Holyoke Community Charter School

Student Life Organization-Prefects

The Powerful Act of Giving

The clip that illustrates the act of giving. One should have the will to give despite the fact that a person in need may be a stranger to you. You should recognize that the act of giving can be a life changing experience not just for the recipient but also the giver. Many in life like to take and not give, and this video is a great example as to how giving can be returned to you. Sometimes it may be in the short term, other times when least expected. In this case, it was a positive example for the known saying “What goes around, comes around”

There are many lessons that can be learned from the video clip attached. Some of the lesson that we found to be valuable are the following:

* Random Acts of Kindness
* The Powerful Act of Giving
* Providing a helping hand
* Appreciation
* Remembering what others have done for you
* Humbleness
* Caring
* Cherishing your Community

We believe that there are many things that one can learn and apply both at home and the school setting from this powerful example. One of them is kindness. Understanding that being kind would create a chain reaction and maintain or establish a caring, and positive environment. This would help students at school feel comfortable and friendly. Kindness is also a big deterrent of bullying. Another one is to lend a hand. If you see that someone needs help and you can provide the help, go out your way and do so unconditionally.