

Kids with character



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Abbie Bartholomew, an 8th grader at Northwestern Middle School in Wayne County, demonstrates the character pillars of caring and fairness while acting as a peer mediator at her school. Abbie has been labeled a great peacemaker by her school counselor because she succeeds in encouraging kids to resolve their conflicts as she remains calm, even though these conflicts often involve strong emotions. During the last two school years, Abbie has been at the top of her class academically. She loves the theater and the arts and is considering a college degree teaching kids in grades K-3. Abbie loves younger children and babysits to earn money, which she is saving for her college education. Abbie also is involved in her youth group at church and teaches vacation Bible school. She also has an interest in music and plays classical music on the piano. Even though it is very difficult, she keeps at it because she is determined. Her outgoing and caring personality paired with strong values and a belief in helping others will lead her on to great things.

Abbie

Thank you, Abbie, for being such a great role model.

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