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Virtue of the Week – LOVE OF LEARNING



“Get wisdom; get insight; do not forget, and do not turn away from the words of my mouth. Do not forsake her, and she will keep you; love her, and she will guard you.” (Proverbs 4:5-6)

You might be awarded a *love of learning* virtue for doing things like:

- Showing effort and enthusiasm
- Producing good quality work
- Completing additional / independent work



- ***You have a desire for knowledge and are happy learning new things and growing in understanding.***
- ***You are attracted by what is worth knowing and away from what is not.***
- ***You give time to learning and you seek what is true and what is good.***
- ***You do not give time to rumour or gossip.***
- ***You are open minded and open to change.***





Queen Elizabeth II

1952 – Present



Facts about Queen Elizabeth II

Born – Princess Elizabeth of York

Mother – Queen Elizabeth (Queen mother)

Father – King George VI (1895- 1952)

Spouse – [Prince Philip](#), the Duke of Edinburgh (married on November 20, 1947)

Children – Charles, Prince of Wales; Princess Anne, Princess Royal; Prince Andrew, the Duke of York; and Prince Edward, the Earl of Wessex

Reign – 1952 – Present

Coronation Date – [June 2, 1953](#)

Most famous for – Longest-serving British monarch in history; and her apolitical approach to dealing with things

Elizabeth II Accomplishments

- Elizabeth II joined the Women's Auxiliary Territory Service (ATS) and trained for six weeks as an auto mechanic in 1945 to contribute the World War Two Homefront,
- She was a keen horse rider,
- Elizabeth also transferred the remainder of the British Empire to a commonwealth with 54 voluntary member states.
- Elizabeth modernised the monarchy, changing laws to ensure gender had no influence on the succession, allowed commoners to be married into the royal family (specifically William and Kate's marriage),
- She also embraces change; giving televised speeches and tweeting to make the monarchy more approachable.
- Lastly the sheer amount of charity support/ work done by the Queen shows her dedication to the country.
- She supports more than 600 charities in Britain (the royal family officially support nearly 3,000 charities around the world). The Queen is responsible at least in part for raising an eye-popping £1.4 billion.
- The Queen's impact has been felt most powerfully in causes that support communities and that promote education. These are aspects of life that can provide the support and skills needed to help people rise out of poverty.

Love of learning

Knowledge

Learning is something we do every day, sometimes without even realizing it! The queen has changed with the times in many ways. She took part in the war effort in WW2, televised her coronation, finished the decolonization of the British Empire, changing the law to allow William and Kate to marry, passing the Crown Act of 2013 –changing the succession to stop the favouring of princes over princesses. The Queen is an inspiring figure who has ruled for 70 years.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HFxlSVVcNXk>

Reasoning

1. How can you be inspiring to the people in your life? This can be a small or a big thing!
2. Is there something you can help your friends with? Maybe you are good at Maths, History, sports or something not related to school?
3. Is there anything you'd like to learn? Maybe someone you know is an inspiration in this?

Practice

1. Always be open to taking new opportunities made available to you, it might inspire you.
2. Try to learn something new every day, it can be anything at all!
3. Share the knowledge, you never know you might teach someone something important or even change someone's life!