



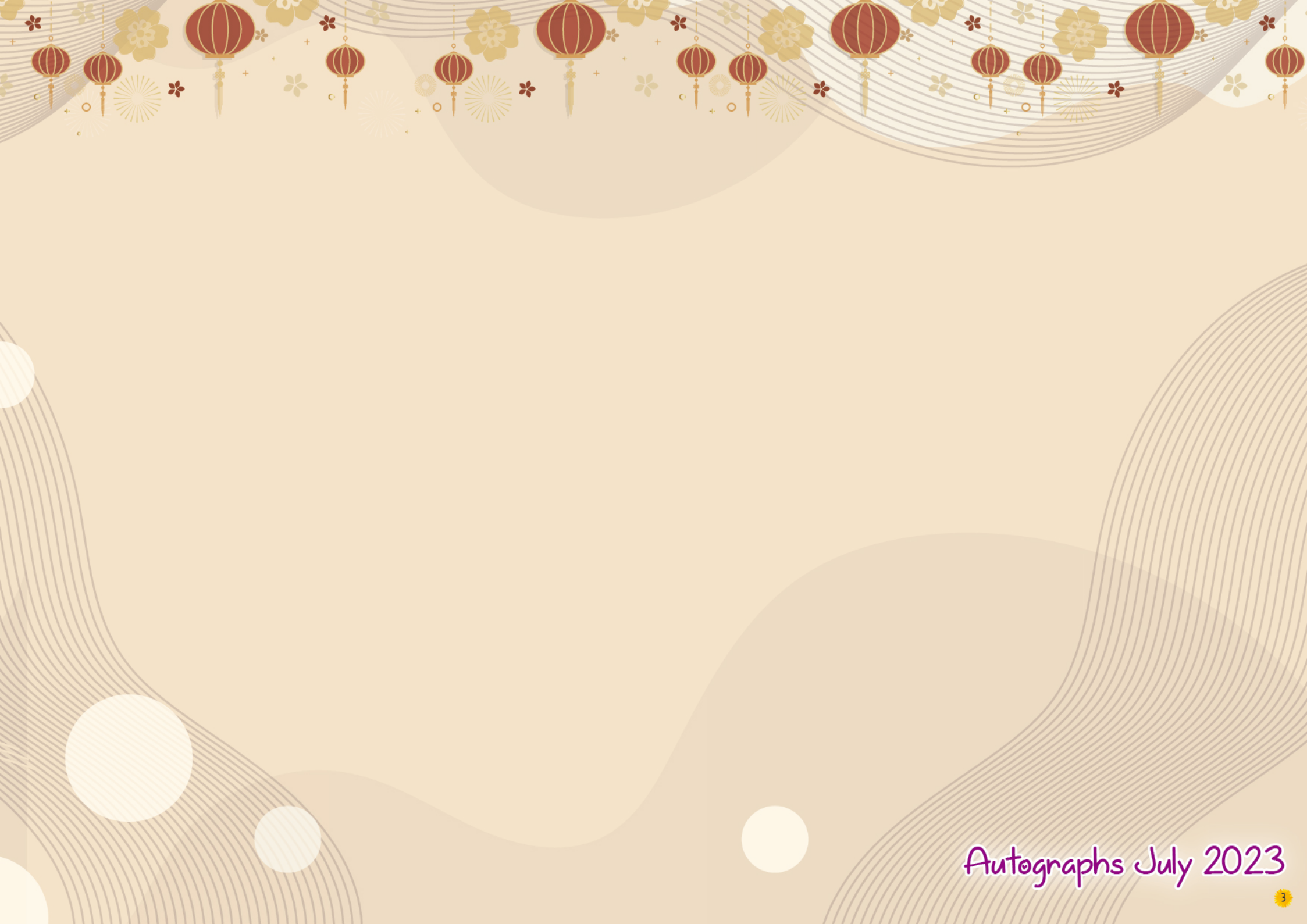
The Kadoorians 2023

**Sir Ellis Kadoorie (S) Primary School
Graduation Book**



SIR ELLIS KADOORIE (S) PRIMARY SCHOOL
P.6 Graduates (2022-2023)





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≡Message from Teachers≡



Congratulations on your graduation! As you move on to the next chapter of your life, I would like to share this inspiring quote from Oprah Winfrey: "The greatest discovery of all time is that a person can change his future by merely changing his attitude."

Your attitude and mindset will play a significant role in shaping your future. Stay positive, be resilient, and never give up on your dreams. Remember to continue learning and growing, and always be kind to others. We believe in you and can't wait to see all the amazing things you will accomplish. Congratulations again and best of luck for your future endeavors!

Ms YU Hing-yin Marie
(Headmistress)

"A life is made up of a great number of small incidents and a small number of great ones. (Roald Dahl 'Boy and Going Solo')"

Have you ever thought of the years ahead of you? What would you like your future to be? Maybe now is the moment to set your future goals. Dream big and start with small acts.

Put your thoughts into action. Be energetic and find the good things to treasure in life. Be considerate and show your love to others. In life, there are exciting moments that can cheer us up as well as sad moments that make us feel down. As quoted by Roald Dahl, 'A little magic can take you a long way.' Wish you all find your way and be brave enough to make your dreams come true.

Ms FUNG Wan-shuen
(Deputy Headmistress)



"Graduation is not the end; it's the beginning." — Orrin Hatch

Congratulations! You have learnt to be heroes of yourselves in terms of responsibility, perseverance and diligence and have overcome many challenges and obstacles to get this far. Without any doubt, the challenges will be even bigger and more difficult in the years to come. However, I believe you shall find success if you keep the qualities of Kadoorians at heart all the time. I wish you all the best in your future endeavors!

Mr Chow Tat-keung
(Deputy Headmaster)

"A lot of people say they want to be great, but they're not willing to make the sacrifices necessary to achieve greatness. (Kobe Bryant)"

6A, Congratulations on entering your new chapter of life! I am extremely proud to have been your class teacher these last two years. Each and every one of you is a great person and you are talented in your own way. No matter what hardships or challenges are coming in your life, remember to have faith in yourself and do whatever it takes to overcome them. "The moment you give up is the moment you let someone else win." Wish you all the best of luck in your future endeavours.

Dream big, fly high. Love you all!

Mr. LAM Ka-lok
(6A Class Teacher)



"The key to success is failure. (Michael Jordan)"

Teaching all of you has brought me lots of joyful memories. I feel so proud of you because, but not limited to, your numerous qualities I admire in you - intelligence, creativity, independence, spontaneity, caring, sincerity and good discipline. I wish you all well in your future. May you all be able to fulfil your dreams and ambitions.

Mr. WU Ka-chai
(6B Class Teacher)



"Learning is not attained by chance. It must be sought for with ardor and diligence. (Abigail Adams)"

To my lovely Primary 6 graduates, congratulations today and best wishes for all your tomorrows.

I hope that regardless of the secondary school that you go to, every one of you can persevere even when things get tough. Also, don't stop striving for your dreams. There are no short-cuts to success, hard work and passion can get you there. May I wish you all the best in your future endeavors!

Ms YAM Ping
(6C Class teacher)



"Whatever you can do or dream, begin it. (Johann Wolfgang von Goethe)"

Cheers to all SEK graduates! I'm so thrilled to witness everyone achieving this significant milestone. Your achievements in academics, personal growth and peer interaction is due to your hard work, which brings you to this exhilarating moment. Yet, this amazing accomplishment is just the beginning of the journey. I sincerely hope that everyone can pursue their happiness. Dream big and unleash your potential. Let your dream be your wings to carry you into the bright future.

Ms TSE Nga-chung
(6D Class teacher)





"Kee your face to the sunshine and you cannot see the shadow. It's what sunflowers do. (Helen Keller)"

During difficult days, sometimes we just need to stand tall and press our face to the sun—like the stately sunflower. Take the advice from a sunflower. Be bright, sunny, and positive.

Ms LAM Chui-fan

"You're braver than you believe, stronger than you seem, and smarter than you think. (Christopher Robin)"

Congratulations to all Primary 6 graduates. You have completed the elementary school stage, way to go! In the near future, you will face lots of challenges, don't be afraid and always believe in yourself. I hope you all can keep a pure heart. All the good things are waiting for you. Wishing you all the best!

Ms HO Wai-han



"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams. (Eleanor Roosevelt)"
Pursuing a dream needs passion and perseverance. Best wishes on your upcoming adventure!

Graduation does not signal the conclusion of a difficult journey. It's the start of something beautiful.

Ms KO Oi-chun

"An investment in knowledge always pays the best interest. (Benjamin Franklin)"

The key to success is not in achieving great outcomes, but in achieving them well. May your dreams and goals always be with you. Happy Graduation and best wishes for your future.

Ms SIU Fung-ying



"Education is the passport to the future, for tomorrow belongs to those who prepare for it today. (Malcolm X)"

Remember that your education is just the beginning, and that the skills and knowledge you have gained will serve you well as you move forward in your personal and professional life. Use them to make a positive impact on the world and to pursue your passions and dreams. Congratulations on your achievement, and best of luck on the exciting journey ahead!



Ms. CHOI Shun-yan

"Perseverance is not a long race; it is many short races one after the other. (Walter Elliot)"

To our resilient Primary 6 graduates, you have shown great perseverance in the face of the challenges and have managed to overcome them. Keep striving to be the best version of you and never give up. Remember that with hard work and determination, anything is possible. Best wishes for your future endeavors! Congratulations!



Ms. YIU Wai-sum

"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams. (Eleanor Roosevelt)"

Congratulations on your well-deserved success. Remember to always follow your dreams, believe in yourself, and never give up in the face of challenges. With hard work and perseverance, you can achieve anything you set your mind to. Best of luck in all your future endeavors!



Ms. LAU Pui-fung

"Constant dropping wears the stone"

Nothing is impossible for a willing heart. Success is simple. You just need to walk on from failure with no loss of enthusiasm, while exploring other ways to find the solution. I wish you all the best and I hope all of you will keep your passion for study in the future.



Ms. TSE Yuk-yee

"Your time is limited, so don't waste it living someone else's life. (Steve Jobs)"

Times flies! It has been a precious time for me teaching you throughout these school years. I hope you will remember our school motto "Seize the Day," and continue to treasure every moment of your life. Taking this opportunity, I would like to congratulate you for the successful completion of your primary school education. May you achieve more goals in your life and inspire others around you. Congratulations again on your graduation.



Ms Ma Sim-hing

"Show me someone who has never failed and I will show you someone who hasn't tried hard enough. (Albert Einstein)"

Your hard work and perseverance should be applauded. You should be very proud of yourselves for reaching this monumental accomplishment. All the best for a happy, healthy, and prosperous future. Congratulations! Best wishes for your future!



Ms NG Ngan-sze

"You do not write your life with words. You write it with actions. What you think is not important. It is only important what you do. (Patrick Ness)"

Congratulations on your graduation! Just remember things may not always go the way you want them to, but life has a way of taking those new directions and turning them into opportunities. Wishing you all the best for the future and all its challenges and opportunities.



Ms WONG Yee-man

"Life is like riding a bicycle. To keep your balance, you must keep moving. (Albert Einstein)"

I am so proud of how much you have accomplished this year. You have persisted through some unique situations and have coped amazingly. I am truly going to miss all your genuine smiles and caring hearts. Good luck in your next steps. I know you are going to do well at your secondary school. Graduates, keep moving forward!



Ms YU Ching-wai



Congratulations on completing the first stage of life's grand journey. Treasure the friends and knowledge you've gained up to this time as they will continue to help and offer you support during trying times.

I wish you all the best for the rest of your journey. Sow nothing, reap nothing.

Mr Fu Yuk



"You can't knock on opportunity's door and not be ready. (Bruno Mars)"

Congratulations on all the hard work, effort and dedication you have put into making this day possible. I wish you all a wonderful and productive time on your journey. Hold on tightly to your dreams and don't let them go. Enjoy the process, trust yourself and your dreams will see the light very soon. I wish you the best as you move forward in life.

Ms WONG Wing-hang



"If you don't like to read, you haven't found the right book. (J.K. Rowling)"

I hope everyone can find the right book for you. I trust your own story will be full of light. I wish you happiness.

Ms LO Yun-ling



"Be kind whenever possible. It is always possible." (Dalai Lama)

Congratulations P6 graduates! It's been an absolute pleasure getting to know you all with your different personalities, your intelligence, your humour and, most of all, the kindness you've shown me. Remember to carry this 'light' of kindness forward onto your next adventure in life where you'll make fantastic new friendships and have amazing new experiences.

All the best!

Ms Rajni



"The only source of knowledge is experience. (Albert Einstein)"

I still remembered the day at Ma Wan campsite. I was so proud of your performance, you shared in such a brave and sincere manner.

What I learned from you all: "Don't under-estimate what you are capable of, your potential is more than you can imagine!"

Challenges surround you every day, but your knowledge and experience stay with you and you shall pass through the challenges as you live your wonderful life!!

Mr TSANG Pang-fei

6A Students



Kelly



From Mulan's story, I discovered that perseverance and determination are essential to success. In a well-known scene from the film, the general challenged her soldiers to scale a large wooden pole. Although the other soldiers gave up, Mulan stuck around all night and eventually managed to scale the pole.

I've been studying the piano since I was in kindergarten. I have the piano test every year, so I have to practice four to five times a week, and sometimes I get lazy, but then I remember Mulan, and I don't give up. Mulan motivated me to persevere in the face of adversity.

Like Hua Mulan, I care about the people around me, and I always try my best to find a solution to their troubling problems. Mulan risked her life in order to save her country and family. Like her, I think we can all be heroes by actively protecting the people around us. I also believe that diligence is what makes a hero, so I worked hard to prepare for my examinations, and it has paid off. As William Penn once said, 'Patience and diligence, like faith, remove mountains.' So, always remember that with a warm heart and a strong mind, we can be heroes too!



Daniel



Alyssa



Mulan and I are quite different people because she was courageous and I am not. However, I know I can be a hero like her if I push myself harder to step beyond my comfort zone and have more confidence in myself.

When I was young, I took up dancing and even though the dance routines were challenging, I persisted. I then gave a stage performance and it pleased my parents. Because I enjoyed dancing so much and succeeded in giving a performance in front of a large audience, I was also very pleased with myself.

I believe success is the result of trying again and again. It's crucial to push oneself a little bit and never give up. As the saying goes, "No pain, no gain."

To become heroes like Hua Mulan, we must be responsible because "responsibility finds a way, irresponsibility makes excuses." (Gene Bedley)

People will see me as their hero if I am there for them when they need me. Once, when my mother was sick, I helped her with the housework and she was so glad that I took responsibility of the situation. Like Mulan who persevered through difficulties, I never give up when I start something.



Harnoor



I think we can all be heroes like Mulan and care about our families. My own personal experience demonstrates the essential value of diligence that Mulan portrays as well. It has always been difficult for me to draw well, so now I try to draw something every day. Even though I spend so much time on it daily, I continue to diligently draw and I have finally succeeded in improving my skills.

"Patience and diligence, like faith, remove mountains", a saying by William Penn seems to be best at capturing this idea that we can all succeed if we put in the necessary effort.



Krysten



Unlike Mulan. I lack the courage to take on a challenging or risky task. However, I can be a hero like Mulan by obeying and protecting my father. I can demonstrate to him the extent of my sacrifice by achieving honors or good grades in school, all of which can also help me overcome challenges in my life.

As Thomas Edison said, "The most certain way to succeed is always to try, just one more time." I will never give up trying to succeed to make my father proud!



Wilson



Mulan's tale has taught me so much. I've learnt that I should always remain confident and never give up, that being modest is a wonderful thing, and that it is crucial to take care of my family.

As Chuck Yeager says, "You do what you can for as long as you can, and when you finally can't, you do the next best thing. You back up but you don't give up." I think this lesson of perseverance applies to all of us.



Cristen



Riley



I'd like to relate a personal experience of perseverance that connects to Mulan's story. Once, on a Minecraft server, everyone was having fun until a hacker showed up and started destroying everyone's fun. To stop the hacker, we all worked hard and even 'enemies' banded together. I finally delivered the killing blow after 21 defeats.

I think the quote by Napoleon Hill, 'Victory is always possible for the person who refuses to stop fighting', is relevant to my experience of perseverance. We can succeed in achieving our goal if we keep working towards it.

Not every hero needs to have supernatural powers or wear a cape. We can be a hero like Hua Mulan by being compassionate, selfless or perseverant.

There was a time when I wanted to learn how to whistle. I started out by simply blowing air. Over time, I could almost hear a high-pitched sound. I was glad that I was getting better even though it wasn't quite a whistle. However, I am confident that I will succeed if I keep trying.

Like the wise person Sun Yat-Sen once said, 'The key to success is action, and the essential in action is perseverance'.



Elliot





Obama



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Jayden



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Brian



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Once, when I was around 8 years old, I had a taekwondo match and one of my teammates was wounded just before the final. So I had to replace him but I was down by roughly 4 points and the game was almost over. I was nervous, but I quickly collected myself, kicked my opponent in the back to tie the score, then punched him to win the match. "Patience and diligence, like faith, remove mountains" (William Penn). I really hope you can do the same.

When I was in P.5, I entered a competition with my teacher to build a toy car. We encountered numerous difficulties while constructing the toy car. However, we were able to resolve these issues after some time.

"Victory is always possible for the person who refuses to stop fighting," I believe, is the wisest saying that fits this experience since we never stopped thinking about how to solve the problems we meet.

Mulan and I share a similar mentality because I also consider myself to be considerate and willing to help people. I try to help solve people's problems so I can probably join her in the ranks of 'hero'.

I have always assisted my mother with her phone, housework, and other issues.

I share a similar experience with Mulan in my everyday life. Since primary four, I have been a member of the rope-skipping crew. I first struggled with the rope-skipping techniques, but I persevered and continued to practice after school until I could finally do it. I competed in challenging events and our team won third as well. I was incredibly pleased with myself and my teammates.

"No gain without pain" teaches us that when we do something, we must practice a lot and persevere until the task is completed successfully.



Avis



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Knowing that her father was too elderly to participate in the battle, Hua Mulan took the decision to take on a man's identity and fight in his stead. She put a lot of effort into her martial arts instruction. She persevered despite finding it difficult. Hua Mulan eventually returned home after fighting for her nation and winning the battle. They were delighted to bring her home and were so proud of her.

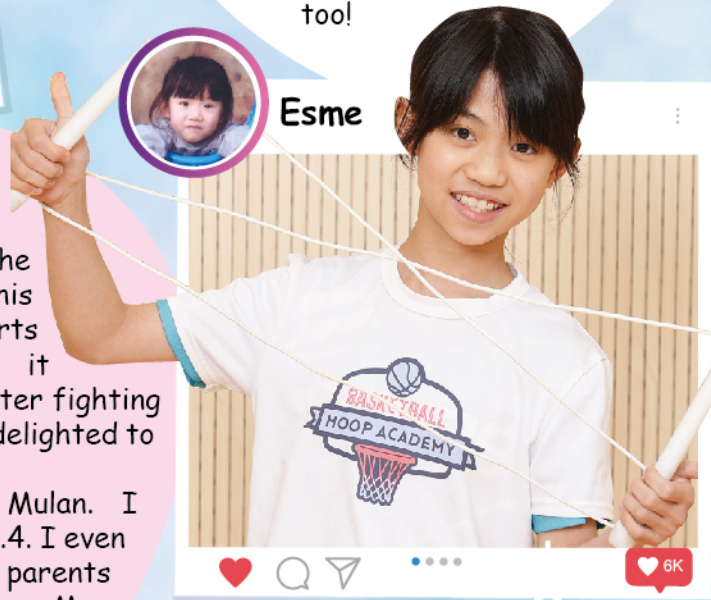
I experienced a similar experience with Mulan. I remember getting pretty poor math results in P.4. I even wanted to stop learning math. Fortunately, my parents and friends encouraged and patiently taught me. My math results gradually improved.

I believe that the saying by Sun Yat-sen, "The key to success is action, and the essential to action is perseverance," sums up Mulan's story wonderfully.

I wish to be a hero like Mulan and I think we share many traits and characteristics. I love my country, I don't give up easily, and I put effort in everything I do. Walter Elliot's quote: "Perseverance is not a long race; it is many short races, one after the other" is one that relates to me. I'm hoping each of you can achieve heroic status too!



Esme



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Annushka



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Even though we don't share similar personalities or qualities, I can still be like Mulan by trying my best to help others and not letting anyone down. I remember once having to look after my baby cousin while her grandmother had to go somewhere. I took really good care of her, and after her grandmother returned, she was so thankful to me. I felt really happy and proud of myself.

"The price of greatness is responsibility." I hope I can always be of help to others.

Let us always remember our responsibilities, believe in ourselves and never give up!

I can still be a hero like Mulan even if we are very different people and have distinct personalities. I've gained knowledge from learning about her strengths. I remember studying one day for my Chinese exam. I almost gave up because it was so difficult. However, I told myself that if I give up, I might regret it. So, I continued studying after that and achieved success. Let us always keep in mind that "Victory is always possible for the person who refuses to stop fighting" (Napoleon Hill).



Karson



Although I am unable to make use of a sword or a horse, I do want to strive to be a hero like Mulan because we share characteristics of compassion, diligence and perseverance. I worry and care about my classmates and I know I must work hard on my examinations so as to attend an appropriate school.

One day, there was a challenge that involved shooting past a robot goaltender and receiving a reward. So I decided to participate. I didn't score on my first few shots but as my accuracy increased, I finally did and it was the best experience of my life.

I discovered that the key is "Success is getting up one more time than you fall down."
(Oliver Goldsmith)

I believe I possess Mulan-like confidence. I always participate in class activities and take my responsibilities seriously. I believe I now need to develop perseverance if I want to be a hero like Mulan. Winston Churchill's quote, 'The price of greatness is responsibility' resonates with me because it means that, in order to gain something great, I must take responsibility and continue to persevere until I reach my goal.



Abby





Tim



Abraham Lincoln once said, "Discipline is choosing between what you want now and what you want the most". After reading Mulan's story, I understand what is most important to me - family. They are the people who always encourage me to achieve my goals. Although it seems unbelievable to risk your own life for your family, Mulan is an excellent role model for this kind of discipline and responsibility.

When Hua Mulan was young, she learned how to ride a horse and wield a sword. She made the decision to enlist in the army and replace her father in the military when she learned that he had to go to war. She put a lot of work into her martial arts training as a soldier and contributed to the eventual victory of her nation.

I was moved and inspired by her story because I feel that I do share similar qualities with her. When I was worried about my GS exam, I decided to put a lot of effort and studied hard to get a good grade. Mom said I was a diligent person for the first time!

So I think the saying "Diligence is the beginning of brilliance" best matches my experience because being diligent, responsible, and perseverant is very important to help me overcome the challenges in my life.



Helen



Henry



Despite my lack of Mulan's kind of confidence, I might still be considered a hero by showing others compassion and persevering just like she did. In primary three, I struggled to improve my grades after receiving low marks in an exam. I wasn't particularly good at the subject but have since improved after putting in hard work and persevering. I believe the proverb that best captures my experience is "Success consists of getting up just one more time than you fall".
(Oliver Goldsmith)

6B Students

"Diligence is the beginning of brilliance."

If I want to be a hero like Hua Mulan, I will need to be hard-working in my studies. I always try my best to study for dictations, quizzes and exams in order to get good academic results. I hope that I can make positive contributions to my family and society when I grow up.



Balram



Angel



Mulan was a filial daughter because she cut her hair and dressed like a man to take the challenge for her father. Although I don't have all these brave qualities like Mulan, I always work hard and never give up. 'The key to success is action, and the essential in action is perseverance.'

I would like to share my experience at a swimming class. Even though I was afraid of diving, with the encouragement from the swimming coach, I learned free style and backstroke successfully. The learning process was tough but I didn't give up.

I will continue to work hard to learn more swimming skills.



Chloe



'Patience and diligence, like faith, remove mountains.'

I have learnt that I can be a hero like Mulan if I can face difficulties bravely. When I was two years old, I bumped my head on the table corner. I hurt a lot and my parents took me to the hospital immediately. Although it was very painful and I had to wait for a long time for the medical treatment, I didn't cry because my mom told me to be patient and brave when having pain or facing difficulties.

Even though I don't think I have any similar qualities as Mulan, I want to be a hero like her because she was such a powerful and determined girl. I believe that "The key to success is action, and the essential in action is perseverance" best describes my similar experience.

As a beginner, I wasn't good at playing volleyball but with the support of my family and friends, I kept trying and never gave up. I put a lot of effort on volleyball training every day until I became one of the best players in the team!



Thomas



I had almost given up my dream of being a detective until I read the story of Mulan. That is when I realised that people don't need capes to become heroes. "Victory is always possible for the person who refuses to stop fighting" is a quote by Napoleon Hill and it teaches us to never give up. This saying best describes my experience and so I have decided not to give up on my dream. I believe that we can all make our dreams come true if we keep trying instead of giving up. We can also encourage others and help them achieve their goals.



Scarlet



"Success consists of getting up just one more time than you fall." I believe that everyone can be a hero like Hua Mulan if we never give up and keep trying hard to achieve our target. Once, when I was playing an online game, I had a very challenging task. Even though I experienced many failures, I didn't give up and I just kept on thinking of ways to tackle all the difficulties in different game stages. Finally, with persistence, I won the game!



Gamponia

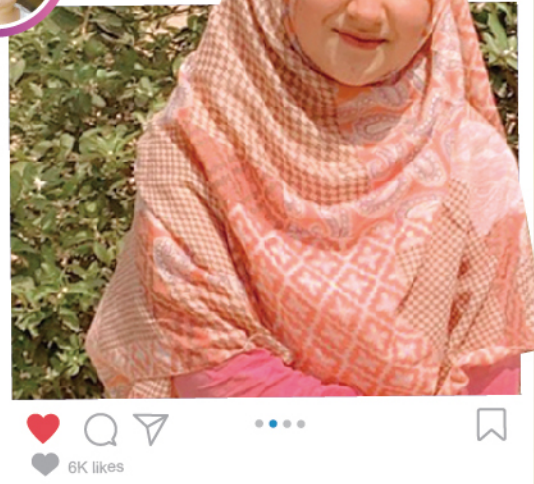




Inaya



Samiqa



Hua Mulan was very hardworking and she could finish her task successfully. The saying "Diligence is the beginning of brilliance" makes me realise that working hard is a must. If I want to get better marks in my assessments, I need to be diligent. So, before the English dictations, I have been spending more time doing revision and studying hard. I am now showing improvement and my teacher is proud of me. I feel so happy!



Grace



I think I have similar qualities like Hua Mulan. To become a hero like her, the saying "Responsibility finds a way. Irresponsibility makes excuses" reflects responsibility for her family. I also care about my family and always do my best for them. This saying also reflects one of my experiences. Once, my mother gave me some money to buy an expensive thing and I was able to do the task successfully. My mother was very proud of me and said that I was a responsible and trustworthy girl.

I don't have any similar personalities or qualities like Mulan but I want to be a hero like her. The saying "Patience and diligence, like faith, remove mountains" reminds me to work hard to achieve my goal.

I want to be a scientist when I grow up, and invent something that will be beneficial to the world. From Mulan's story and the saying, I have learned that I need to study diligently and be patient when doing experiments even though failures may occur.

Like Hua Mulan, I always do everything for my family. I think that loving and caring for family is my responsibility and the quote "The price of greatness is responsibility" expresses this too. When my family needs help or my parents are sick, I always help them by staying by their side and doing everything I can to help them solve the problems. My family can always rely on me!



James



'The price of greatness is responsibility.' Mulan was a responsible girl and I learnt a lot from her story. When the librarian teacher selected me to be a student librarian, I realized that I would have to be on duty in the library during every recess. Although I can't play with my classmates at recess nowadays, I am willing to take the responsibility as a librarian because this is really a meaningful job.



Chandrei



Hua Mulan is a perseverant and brave girl. The saying 'The key to success is action, and the essential in action is perseverance' best describes my own experience of perseverance. One day, I went hiking with my parents. After an hour's walk, I was very tired and I didn't want to walk anymore. My mum told me not to give up and she encouraged me to keep walking. With her encouragement, I continued and finally finished the hike. I was so proud of myself!

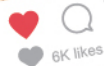


Dean





Younis



"Success consists of getting up just one more time than you fall" is a quote that best describes Mulan because she protected her country and dad by taking a big challenge. She was very brave and perseverant through all the hardships to protect her family, the king, her country and people.

From her story, I have learnt that perseverance leads to success as long as we don't give up. I will always try my best and study hard to attain good academic results.



Xander



After reading the story of Mulan, I learnt that perseverance is an important element for success. Like the saying goes, 'Perseverance is not a long race, it is many short races, one after the other.' One day, I had my cricket training. My coach asked me to do some field practice but I was very tired. My coach told me not to give up and, with his encouragement, I tried my best to catch every ball. My coach was proud of me!



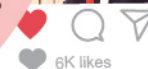
Lucas



"Responsibility finds a way. Irresponsibility makes excuses" reminds me that, like Mulan, I should be responsible if I want to do something successfully. I am a member of the school basketball team. Even though I always feel tired after having school lessons, I attend all the regular basketball trainings after school because I am responsible for being a basketball team member.



Navneet



Mulan's story is heroic although I can't imagine how she could take such a big life risk. I think we can all be heroes even without capes and suits, for example, we can try to succeed in reaching our goal by never giving up. I think "The key to success is action, and the essential in action is perseverance" best describes my experience of this. I am not good at Chinese, but I do not ever give up. I always study hard for Chinese dictations and I finally got 99 marks in a Chinese dictation! I was so proud of myself for being a perseverant girl!



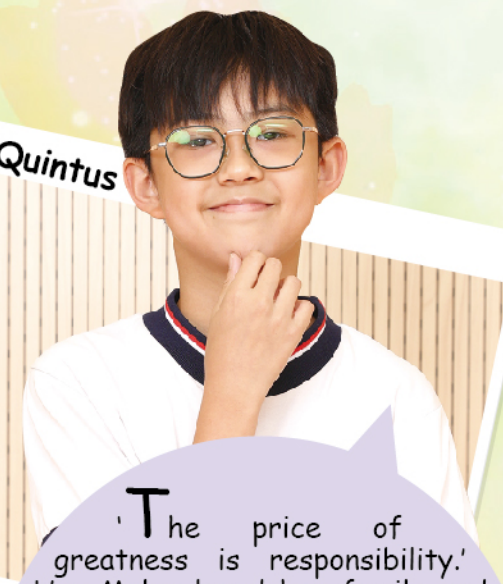
Shravan



Anusha



Quintus



I know I can be a hero like Mulan if I am brave and not give up when having difficulties. "Victory is always possible for the person who refuses to stop fighting" best describes my experience of this.

When I was eight years old, I twisted my ankle very badly and I couldn't walk. After a few days, I got better and although it was still painful, I started trying to walk bit by bit. Even though I couldn't walk well after hurting my ankle, I tried a lot of ways to stand up and walk a few steps without falling for a week. I did not give up. I could finally walk as usual.

From this experience, I now believe that I can solve any problems if I keep trying.

The price of greatness is responsibility.' Hua Mulan loved her family and she did everything for her family even though the task was full of difficulties.

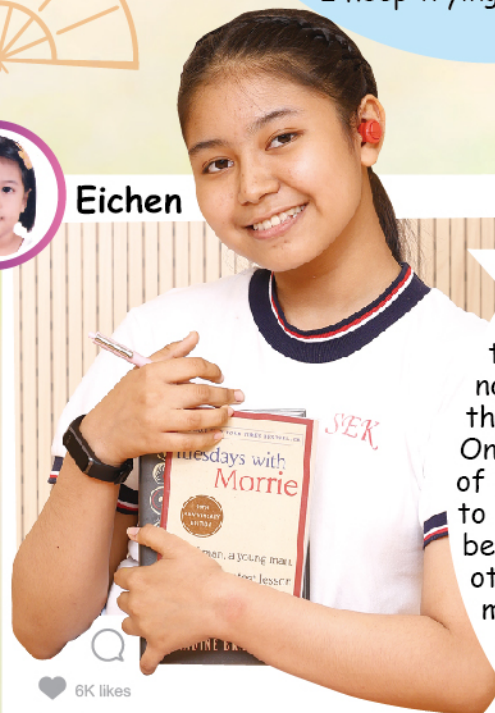
Like her, I also love and care for my family because I am a responsible son. I always listen to my parents and try my best to study hard in order to have good academic results. I wish to make them proud of me.

Hua Mulan and I do share some qualities such as kindness, positivity and fast thinking. Although I may not be as brave or strong as Mulan, I can still be a hero like her. "Discipline is choosing between what you want now and what you want most" best describes my experience of responsibility.

In Primary 5, I had a lot of things to do at the same time. I had to help my friends with their stuff, do my homework and help my mom do the housework. I finally planned a clear schedule, giving priority to the most important tasks first. So, I was able to arrange and finish all these tasks in a calm and organized way.



Eichen



Hua Mulan is a woman of many qualities: strong, brave, intelligent, responsible, determined. To be a hero like her, I need to be perseverant to take on any challenges. "Perseverance is not a long race, it is many short races, one after the other" best describes my experience. Once, I was in Japan for unicycle training as part of a unicycle team. It was a difficult task for me to participate in a competition as a beginner because I had only trained for 4 months while the other team members could do some tricks and more. However, I did not allow this to stop me and I practised a lot throughout the week before the competition. Finally, we won the competition and I was so proud to be a member of this team!



6C Students



Alec Paul



Hua Mulan was strong and fearless in her fight for her country. I am quite different because I am introverted and reserved. I know that I need to be braver and step out of my comfort zone. "Courage starts with showing up and letting ourselves be seen." (Brene Brown) From Mulan's story, I have learnt that it is now time for me to face challenges with courage and confidence. I am ready for the next chapter in my life!

When I was in my own country, my mother was very sick. She needed special medical treatment. Sometimes she couldn't even breathe and had to stay at the hospital overnight. When she was at home, I took care of her and helped with all the chores. I believe that we can all care for others and show compassion for them. "Be a star in someone's dark sky." (Matshona Dhliway) Every effort is worthwhile as long as I can see that my family is happy and healthy!



Neil



I want to be a hero like Mulan as she was very brave and strong. I also want to be able to support my family and my country. "We rise by lifting others." (Robert G. Ingersoll) This saying reminds me that, by helping others, I will also become a better person. Mulan's story has also taught me to be thankful for what my parents and my country have done for me. I will work hard to make them proud and become a successful part of society in the future!



Faakhir





Ahmad



Mulan's life story is a good example of perseverance. She never gave up trying to help her family and her country despite all the challenges she faced. She truly followed the idea that "If at first you don't succeed, try, try again."

I should learn from her and try harder in achieving better in my studies and my life. Mulan has inspired me to be a more diligent person!

Mulan and I share some characteristics, such as wanting to be brave and determined. Responsibility is about doing something you're supposed to do and accepting the results of your actions. "Responsibility finds a way. Irresponsibility makes excuses!" (Gene Bedley)

Before, when I was offered any responsibility, I used to always make excuses because I was afraid of making mistakes and getting into trouble. But now I am more confident and ready to face any consequences of my actions and choices. I can definitely be a hero like Mulan by being brave enough to overcome my fears!



Ivan



Phong



I have had an experience regarding my perseverance and I think I might be a great hero like Hua Mulan. This year, I was in drama class and every day I revised my script diligently and paid attention to all the details. At the end, I was awarded the second-best actor!

I think "Perseverance is not a long race; it is many short races, one after other" (Walter Elliot) fits with the story of Hua Mulan and my experience too. I now know that I have to work diligently every day to achieve my goals. I can do it!





Yu Jong

Hua Mulan and I share some similar qualities, such as the love for our family and not wanting to be cast as a stereotype. If I want to be a hero like Mulan, I would also need to be brave and diligent. "Victory is always possible for the person who refuses to stop fighting" (Napoleon Hill). I would like to share my experience which shows the core value of diligence. I once failed a very important exam. I was very disappointed with myself but I refused to give up. I thought about all the people who have succeeded by working hard and persevering. So, that is what I did and, at the end, I passed my next exam!



Kashish



To be a hero like Mulan, I learnt that we should not give up just because we fail once or twice. We might even make more mistakes in the future but we must keep trying until we succeed. "Perseverance is not a long race; it is many short races, one after the other" (Walter Elliot)

When I was little, my parents gave me a pair of rollerblades. I didn't know how to use them but I was willing to try. After many days, I still couldn't rollerblade properly and I was starting to feel disappointed. However, with some help from my loving parents and my continued effort, I could finally control my balance after a week. My perseverance paid off!



Khushal

I want to be brave like Mulan and help my family and friends. I believe that when you help someone, the good you do will come back to you in the future. "Happiness springs from doing good and helping others." (Plato)

Once, my friends asked me for help with their homework and I took the time to explain it to them patiently. Then, a few days later, I could not understand my Chinese homework and those same friends came to my rescue. I was so thankful!



Zikra



Like Mulan, I feel happy when I am helpful to someone. She helped her family and her country, and I like to help anyone in need because I believe that "Helping others is the foundation of happiness."

One day, I was browsing in a bookstore when I saw an old man looking for a book. He looked confused and there was no salesperson around. So, I went up to him and asked him if I could help. He gave me the name of the book and I helped him find it. He was so grateful and kept saying 'thank you' and also called me 'good boy'. I felt happy that I was helpful to someone!



Timothy



Like Mulan, I am a caring person to everyone. I know I could also be a hero like her if I developed more diligence and perseverance, instead of giving up so easily. "Diligence is the beginning of brilliance." (Indonesian proverb)

When I was younger, I always loved painting but I did not think I was good at it. So, I watched some videos to learn how to paint and got many different ideas from them. I practised diligently and now I am much better because I continued the task I started and did not give up. I now plan to continue developing my painting skills with the same diligence!



Hanfa



Hua Mulan was a brave and confident girl but I am not. We may be quite different but there is one thing we both have in common. We both don't give up easily when facing challenges.

I believe in the saying "Never give up on something you believe in." (Steve Scalise) because perseverance always wins. I always try my best in every situation, at home and at school, and I don't give up until I reach my goal. I am also a responsible person so, when I need to do any work, I will complete it to the best of my ability, just like Mulan did!

Mulan's story inspires me to keep trying when things are not easy, and not give up until I reach success. "You will succeed if you persevere." (Helen Keller) I may not have courage like Mulan but I need to continue trying my best. Mulan's compassion for her family and her country amazes me too. I also aspire to be like Mulan and put others' needs before mine. With the qualities of courage, compassion and perseverance, I am sure I can succeed in anything I decide to do!



Farhan

Mulan and I do have some similar qualities and one of them is determination. Although I may not be very brave or smart, I know I can achieve whatever I want with hard work and determination. "Patience and diligence, like faith, remove mountains." (William Penn) This saying reminds me to work hard to achieve my goal.

When I was promoted to primary 5, my English was quite bad and I actually failed in the English test. I was very disappointed and realized that, if I wanted to be better, I had to work for it. So I kept practicing my grammar rules every day and increased my vocabulary by reading more. With diligence and determination, I finally became better at English. I'm really proud of myself for having these qualities!



Mikaylah

Mulan's story is one of great perseverance. She was confident and never gave up. I also believe that "Victory is always possible for those who don't stop fighting." (Napoleon Hill) because I have experienced it. I have always loved playing football but I wasn't very good at it at first. However, I did not allow that to stop me. I kept practicing every chance I had and pushed myself to do my best. All my effort paid off because I am now a good football player and improving every day!



Sharanya



Rakshini



Hua Mulan and I do share similar qualities because both of us are perseverant. The saying "Victory is always possible for the person who refuses to stop fighting" (Napolean Hill) reminds me not to give up, especially when there are difficulties or obstacles in my life.

I enjoy playing table tennis and, every Saturday, I practice for several hours. My goal is to be the best, and I will never give up practicing until I succeed in being Number One!



Emmy



Mia



Mulan and I share the same strong quality of perseverance. She was very determined to fight for her country and I am very determined to succeed in my studies. I think the saying "Don't give up until you reach your goal" best describes this. When I was in primary 3, I was not very good at English and I used to get low marks in my tests. I wanted to do better so I started studying diligently and my grades started to improve. I was really amazed but still not satisfied enough. So, I paid more attention in class and even did extra English exercises. My grades began improving dramatically and, in about 7 months, I was the best in my class!



Hua Mulan

and I are similar because we both want to take care of our families. I believe that family is the strongest bond we have and it is our duty to be there for them and to show them care and kindness. "It takes courage to be kind." (Maya Angelou) Like Mulan, I also want to be strong and brave enough to show kindness and give help to others. As I grow up, I will be meeting new friends and I hope to have the courage to be kind to everyone I meet!



Hera

Even though Mulan was such a gentle girl, she fought bravely in order to protect her family. She never gave up and, at the end, she was successful. Her story is a great example of the saying, "Perseverance is not a long race; it is many short races, one after the other." (Walter Elliot)

I have learnt to be brave like Mulan and step out of my comfort zone. I have also learnt to be diligent and persistent to achieve my goals. I know it will take time but I do believe that perseverance is the key. I am continuing to develop courage and do my best every day!

If I want to become a hero like Mulan, I know I need to be strong, kind-hearted and fearless. Fear is usually the biggest obstacle to success but I know I must not give up. "Victory is always possible for the person who refuses to stop fighting." (Napolean Hill)
When I was young, I didn't know how to swim but all my elder siblings could swim well. So, every time we went to beaches or waterfalls, they used to go in the deep water and I used to stay near the shallow end. However, I decided to keep on practicing until I could swim well. Now, I am a confident swimmer!



Revathi



Habiba



I aspire to be like Hua Mulan. She is such a beautiful girl who is kind and strong, smart and confident. I would like to have her courage and perseverance too.
The saying "Patience and diligence, like, faith, remove mountains." (William Penn) reminds me to develop these qualities so that I can be successful in life. First, I need to believe in myself and also work diligently. I also need to be steadfast in my goals and face obstacles with patience and courage. I know I can do it, like Mulan did!

6D Students



Ella



I perceive myself as a brave person. When it comes to a new concept to be learnt in class, I may need help understanding at the beginning, but I won't step back and admit defeat. Stephen King has once said, "You can, you should and if you're brave enough to start, you will." Therefore, I will keep trying instead no matter how hard it is. For some difficult subjects, I usually complete exercises at the tutorial centre or ask teachers for help when needed. With the assistance of my friends and classmates, I allow myself to understand what I need to.



Arnold



I think I am as brave as Mulan. Mark Twain once said, "Courage is resistance to fear, mastery of fear, not absence of fear." Although Mulan is a woman and usually defined as weak and inferior in society in the past, she is mentally strong to take over the responsibility of her dad as a former general. Whenever I face difficulties in my life, I usually seek for solutions rather than stay negative. So, instead of complaining or blaming others, I prefer to act and try my best to solve the problem.



Aisha



Being optimistic is one of the qualities that I share with Mulan. Although, as a girl, Mulan has to take orders and obey all the time, she does not get discouraged and always believes that she can take responsibility. She also finds ways to strengthen herself in order to achieve victory. Like Mulan, I have told myself that I can learn or achieve anything, even though some concepts in class can be very challenging to understand. As Gordon B. Hinckley upholds his belief, "Be believing, be happy, don't get discouraged." I will keep trying and won't give up easily.



Antonio



I want to be just like Hua Mulan because she protects her family and country and receives recognition for it. I also want to learn to be brave, strong, and positive. Once, during lunchtime at school, my friends asked if they could have a slice of my pizza, so I shared it with them. In return, I received a lot of gratitude and this reminded me of the saying "We rise by lifting others." I take that quote to heart.

Mulan and I both share the quality of perseverance. I can also become more of a hero like Mulan by being more responsible and less afraid of things. A few weeks before the final exams, I put all my effort and time into studying. I struggled a lot but persevered and didn't give up. It was worth it because ultimately my grades improved. Steve Scalise once said, "Never give up on something you believe in." I realized that if I face my responsibilities and not give up, it will be worth it in the end.



Chloe



Ai Liang



Being brave is one of the qualities I possess and share with Mulan. In the story, Mulan is brave enough to learn martial arts to equip herself to fight in the wars. Despite the limitation of her physical condition as a girl, Mulan is brave enough to overcome all difficulties. Mulan's experience recalls a quote by Helen Keller, "We could never learn to be brave and patient if there were only joy in the world." I face difficulties in different aspects of my life too but, with the support of my dear classmates and teachers, everything becomes more manageable for me because I have the courage and faith that I can do it.

Being courageous is the quality that I share with Mulan. It is challenging for her to pick up a sword and shield on a battlefield because she has to be cautious not to let anyone discover her real identity. I can't imagine how stressful and arduous her life is but this only shows how truly courageous she is. In my life, I may not be brave enough to reveal the truth, especially when I make wrong decisions but, with the encouragement of teachers and classmates, I think I have the courage to take responsibility and show others that I am mature enough to make good decisions. I would always bear the saying "The future doesn't belong to the fainthearted; it belongs to the brave" by Ronald Reagan by heart and uphold the belief at all times.



Kristine



I don't think I am brave but I always keep trying whatever is within my ability and I don't give up easily. Perseverance is therefore the quality that I share with Mulan. So, even though I might find it time-consuming to revise everything for the English and Chinese dictation, I always stay focused and try my best, and I can usually achieve good marks. Sun Yat-sen once said, "The key to success is action, and the essential in action is perseverance." Being brave and not giving up on my ability are the keys to my success.



Percy



Being optimistic is a quality that I share with Mulan. It is hard to make a person believe in something that does not exist but Mulan believes in herself. No matter how hard it is for her to take up the responsibility of a general, she never steps back. She tries her best all the time. Roald Dahl once said, "And above all, watch with glittering eyes the whole world around you because the greatest secrets are always hidden in the most unlikely places. Those who don't believe in magic will never find it."

In my life, optimism is like magic; it is a miracle that is in my hands. If I dream and believe in myself and what I want to do, miracles do happen and I can work towards create sparks of magic in my life.



Christy





Jerry

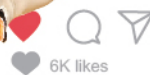


I think being determined is the quality that I share with Mulan. When I took part in the Robot Competition, I faced a lot of difficulties. However, I stuck to my beliefs and adjusted the solutions to the problems swiftly. It was important because if I didn't believe in myself, I would have given up more easily.

With the support of my parents, friends, and classmates, I achieved second place in the competition which was very rewarding. Wade Davies once said, "Heroes are never perfect, but they're brave, they are authentic, they are courageous, determined, discreet and they've got grit." I will always remember days when I struggle because they are when I can learn from my mistakes and improve.



Amosh



Bravery is the quality that I share with Mulan. She doesn't step away from the obstacles she faces and, even though no one understands her, she strongly believes in herself and what she has to do. Preity Zinta once said, "Luck always favours the brave. And you must remember that brave are the people who follow their heart; brave are the people who take chances in life, which also means that you have to say no sometimes. I believe the power of no is greater than yes." In my life, I also try my best to be brave to overcome the difficulties I face daily. Saying 'no' to show rejection could be risky and challenging in a sense that it could bring along misunderstanding and loneliness. Yet, I believe that facing my inner self is crucial and it takes a lot of courage to uphold my beliefs and accept my strengths and weaknesses.



Angela

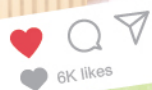


Not giving up is the quality that I share with Mulan. Mulan is brave and willing to try different ways to find a solution. As she cares for her dad, she takes up the responsibility of fighting in his place as one of the solutions. She is even determined to do way better than her dad and so she sharpens her martial arts skills. If Mulan does not try, she would never know how far she can go. In real life, I like drawing, but drafting is difficult for me because it is a process of thinking about how to arrange objects and ideas logically. Roy T. Bennett once said, "Do not fear failure but rather fear not trying." From Mulan, I have learnt to keep trying to find a way.

The qualities I share with Mulan are being confident and responsible. I remember when I was small and returned home from school, I didn't want to do any homework so I just sat on the sofa and watched TV. My mom used to ask me to do my homework but I would refuse and keep eating chips instead. My mom then told me the story of Mulan, and I suddenly realized that everyone has a responsibility in life. It reminds me the saying "The price of greatness is responsibility" by Winston Churchill. As a student, my duty is to do my homework and study hard so we can grow up to be responsible adults.



Vinnci



Raadiyah



Being optimistic is the quality that I share with Mulan. In the beginning of her story, Mulan does her best within her ability and does not give up when facing obstacles as a soldier. For us, during the pandemic, it was not easy to help those in need who were staying in the elderly homes and daycare. However, we continued to do our part and contributed to society by donating items or writing cards to them. As Debbie Reynolds once said, "You just never give up. You do a task to the best of your abilities and beyond." Doing good deeds beyond your abilities and not giving up can lead to success.



Simran



Believing in oneself is the quality that I share with Mulan. Mulan decides to take her dad's responsibility as a general. Once she makes up her mind, she no longer doubts her decision. Holding on to her beliefs, she tries her best to achieve her goal. In my life, I also make different kinds of decisions every day. Some are wise, while some may not be the best decisions. Yet, with every decision I make, I put effort to achieve my goal. Roy Bennett once said, "Beliefs are choices. First, you choose your beliefs. Then your beliefs affect your choices." I might get upset on the way to success but, with the encouragement of my teachers and classmates, I am usually satisfied with my achievements.



Justin



Hua Mulan makes great efforts to practise martial arts and doesn't give up. I will also try to be more diligent like her. In the past two years, I have studied hard and got good results. For example, Mathematics was difficult for me, so I spent more time reviewing the textbook and doing extra exercises. After that, I got good results. Napoleon Hill once said, "Victory is always possible for the person who refuses to stop fighting." It also recalls another piece of past experience in SEK. I was not good at Chinese before, but after revising and studying hard, I have made good progress. My daily experiences define victory, of which I will bear the saying in mind and act it out in the future.

Being calm and gaining strength on the way to a personal goal is the quality that I share with Mulan. In her story, Mulan manages to stay calm when she takes on her father's responsibility as a general fighting against the enemy in a war. Being tough is not easy in real life as others may not understand my situation well. Thankfully, my family understands and always cheers me up when I encounter difficulties. Thomas Paine once believed, "The real man smiles in trouble, gathers strength from distress, and grows brave by reflection." As time goes by, I am getting stronger and tougher, and I'm sure I will gain success!



Sherman



Gerard



Hua Mulan puts a lot of effort into preparing for the battlefield. To better equip herself and fight against the enemy, she sharpens her skills in martial arts. Being courageous is essential, but playing smart is also very crucial. Being skillful and courageous are the qualities that I share with Mulan and this reflects in my experience this year when I transferred to SEK. I slowly got used to the new school environment and with the help of teachers and classmates, I have managed to catch up and immerse myself by observing others and interacting with my classmates. John Lewis once said, "You must be bold, brave and courageous and find the way, and to get in the way." It is great to know that I have made good progress upon my graduation here.

Precious



Memories











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Cristen



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Dream BIG."

-Henrietta Szold

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