THE POWER OF READING

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Over the years, it is obvious that children of today are becoming less inclined to reading. This could be attributed with the digital natives’ children. They are more attracted to engaging into those mobile games than on taking time to sit and spend some moments with books and other reading materials such as magazines and newspapers.

There are many benefits that children could obtain when they are exposed to reading. Their vocabulary become wider. They become more observant to proper grammar, phrasing, and spelling and even to pronunciation when they are reading aloud. Through reading informative books and magazines, the children could widen their knowledge and understanding about people and places from different parts of the world. Reading fictional stories and articles open the world of imagination for them. Books that aim to give moral lessons could encourage children to share some quality time together, away from hustle and bustle of daily living. They share some precious time as well as their point of views on certain issues contained in the story. Through this, their relationship could be enhanced while learning and enjoying at the same time.

Parents must encourage their children to appreciate the goodness of reading. They must instil in their mind that reading is very vital not just for our survival in the school world but also in life as well.

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