



MAGICAL MOMENTS
AROUND THE WORLD

Student Manual



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Note that an Abbreviation is used in this document:

MM = Magical Moment/s

1. About:

Magical Moments Around the World is a uniting of youth all over the world sharing their magical moments in a global online book for generations to come.

Your MM will be read by students around the world and you will have the chance to read MM by students from other countries and communicate with them.

This is your chance to contribute to the biggest book humanity has ever known. This is your chance to unite with other students worldwide and show that we are all part of one big human family.

What's a Magical Moment?

A magical moment is a special and unforgettable event that you experienced in your life. It could be simple or heroic, but what matters is that special feeling you experienced. By telling about your magical moment you rekindle an instance in your life, touching a special spirit deep within you. People who listen are also touched, inspired, given hope and therapy.

Activities:

- MM workshop in which we will have a class discussion and write MM.
- If needed we will translate the MM to English.
- If your class has internet access you can introduce yourself, publish media and interact with peers using the collaboration center

Outcomes:

- We will learn that we are all one big human family connected by one human spirit.
- We will learn that we all just want to be happy.
- MM global online book.
- Publish our work and interact via the collaboration center

2. Question & Answers

Below is a passage written by a student. Please read it and answer the questions that follow.

*"Dear friends,
I would like to share a magical moment with you.*

I helped an old woman who had difficulty walking across the street. She thanked me and smiled. It was a simple deed, but I felt really good.

*Regards,
Human being just like you."*

1. Who is this student?

Could be anyone, but there is one thing for certain - The student is a human being.

2. Where does the student come from?

Could be from anywhere.

3. What is his\her gender?

Could be male or female.

4. Could you or one of your friends be this student?

Yes. We can all have this same experience.

5. What are the values displayed by this student?

Kindness, Compassion...

6. What can you conclude from this experience?

We all share and are connected by one human spirit. We all want to be happy. That when I'm happy your happy too and vice-versa.

One thing is for certain - the student is a human being and his/her magical moment transcends above all barriers that may separate human beings. This is the human spirit!

The human spirit dwells in us and others. It isn't seen but its felt when consciousness arises to it. In fact the human spirit is tangible like the air that surrounds us. The air we share. Some of the air that was once in someone else's lungs is now in mine and vice versa. When I pollute the air (or the human spirit) I hurt myself and others. When I take care of the air I take care of myself and others.

We are all connected by one human spirit

3. Magical Moment Examples

Here are a few examples of Magical Moments

A young worried couple holding their sick baby were standing behind me in line at the pharmacy. I told them that they could go ahead in front of me. The mother and father said thank you and looked at me with gratitude. At that moment I felt such bliss. It's a moment I'll always cherish.

I heard a really neat song on the radio.

I saw a rainbow one day and felt really excited just being there and seeing the rainbow

We were on a school field trip and it was really hot outside. I was really thirsty and a friend gave me his drink. It was probably the best water I ever tasted.

I saw my neighbor, an old ill man, returning from the supermarket carrying two grocery bags filled to the brim.

I took the bags from him and placed them in his house.



Love

Kindness

Beauty

Friendship



Happy

Caring

Music

Nature

Dance

Play

Listening

Helpfulness

Compassion

See

Magical Moment

Write down a MM you experienced. It can be up to 1 page long. If you don't have one now it's fine. Talk with your teacher or think about it at home. You can also ask a friend or family member to tell you about his/her MM.



NAME: _____

AGE: _____

COUNTRY: _____