***23 Qualities of A Good Student***

**Students are the leaders of the next generation of any nation. Hence, they have to be groomed and trained to be people with excellent qualities. However, in order to respond as required to the lessons thought by coaches, parents, and teachers, students must possess the following 23 great qualities to become good students.**

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 **01. Discipline**

***The first quality of a good student is discipline. This means a student who aspires to be excellent must adhere to his/her study timetable strictly and obey the instructions of coaches, teachers, and parents every day.***

 **02. Building Relationships**

**A student who aspires to be the best always maintains a cordial relationship not just with staff and teachers but with fellow students as well. This enables him/her to focus intensely on extra-curricular sessions and studies effectively. Also, building quality relationships helps a student to be able to partake in things like study groups with other students to broaden his/her mind on topics that are difficult for the student.**

 **03. Asking Relevant Questions**

**Asking questions might make a student look like a “fool” initially but in the long run, it separates a good student from an average or bad student. A student that asks questions a lot either to clarify what the teacher has said or to solve a doubt on a particular subject matter easily becomes excellent in such areas. Because the student has had any misunderstanding completely erased, allowing for a brilliant performance. A good student would even not shy away from asking classmates or seniors to clarify hard questions.**

 **04. Sense of Respect**

**Good students would certainly always possess a great level of respect for the laws of the nation, society, and school as well as societal norms. Students who excel effortlessly always place the country’s goals over their personal ones. They are even willing to push aside academic interests when the duty of their nation demands it. In cases like floods, earthquake and other natural disasters they eagerly provide their services. Aside from obeying the laws of the land, good students have in general great respect for their teachers and fellow students which allows them to put their full focus on their education and not on grievances initiated from disrespect.**

 **05. Taking Responsibility**

**Responsibility is one of the marks of top performers and this goes for good students too. They never put the blame on their mistakes or faults on excuses but take full responsibility for their actions and own up to the results of such actions. Good students also take the responsibility to develop their character while in school to be able to have effective skills after graduation.**

**06. Participating in Extra-Curricular Activities**

**Students should not relent in participating in an extracurricular activity, whether it’s sports, arts or any other kind, as these are targeted at building the overall capacity of a student. Hence, a good student is actively involved in extra-curricular in order to obtain development on all sides of his/her personality. However, when engaging in these activities good students do not put aside their studies and are able to maintain a balance.**

**07. Searching Knowledge**

**The pursuit of relevant knowledge is a necessary quality of good students. The more knowledge a student acquires, the hungrier for knowledge the student develops. The acquisition of knowledge sharpens the mind and aids the student to seamlessly flow in their studies.**

**08. Working Hard**

**Good students possess the ability to put their all in their studies, by not relying only on the coursework outline given to them by their teachers but research widely online and through various recommended texts to gain a broader understanding of various concepts and understand a topic from a different perspective. All these can only be done with hard work, as it takes hours to study effectively. It’s non-negotiable that smart hard work is the secret of success and it remains true for students.**

**09. Punctuality**

**Research has shown that people who excel in any field have great honor and respect for time. Students who produce excellent results keep to the time allotted for projects and assignments. This helps them avoid mark deductions from late submissions, allowing for the receiving of full marks.**

**10. Attentive to Lesson**

**Being attentive to what is being taught in a classroom is one of the great qualities of a good student. During lectures, they focus intensely on what the teacher is trying to pass across and this aids immensely because they don’t have to try to understand a concept on their own after classes because they didn’t pay attention when it was being explained. This makes it very easy for topics to be understood.**

**11. Self Confidence**

**Self-confidence is a major backbone to success and this goes for students too. A student who is confident in his/her ability to perform excellently in his/her studies most often does well. Due to the fact that confidence ensures the student puts his best in the work assigned.**

**12. Positive Attitude**

**Good students have to show they see willing to put in hard work and not just coming to school for social activities. A positive attitude helps a student to maintain top-notch results despite mistakes or faults previously and also is the reason behind the drive to work hard.**

**13. Setting-up Aim**

**Without a well-defined goal, no student can achieve quality results. A good student always sets up his aim at the beginning of every school term or session. This initiates the tenacity to get those results as the student constantly is reminded of what he/she is aiming for. A student must always look beyond the hardships of education and place his/her goals as the focus.**

**14. A Good Listener**

**The most important qualities of a good student are that he should be a good listener. He will be an attentive listener in the classroom. He should listen to what his parents and teachers say and do accordingly. This quality is also essential for a student to be a good listener so that he can understand what he is learning in the class. For this reason, he has to build and develop his listening skills first.**

**15. Having Smartness**

**A good student always has the ability to think quickly and act on his feet. Being smart certainly makes teachers fall in love with a student, this is because smartness comes with the skill of problem-solving. This quality is a rare one but good students possess it.**

**A smart student not only makes it easier for his teachers but also assists in helping other students easily understand concepts being taught. Most times this quality of a good student is developed through study and paying maximum attention when a topic is being taught in the classroom. This makes topics appear easier for them than other students who don’t invest as much hard work.**

**16. Good Manners**

**Teachers will let you know that a class full of students who are well mannered, following procedures and rules always have a higher chance of showcasing their full learning potential. Students who behave properly are much more likely to learn better than their classmates who statistics on disciplinary actions.**

**So many students who are very smart but have bad manners end up being major frustrations for their teachers due to not maximizing their full learning potential except their manners are changed. It’s much easier for coaches or teachers to deal with well-behaved students even when they have academic struggles. No one wants to work with bad-mannered students, constantly orchestrating problems however teachers would do anything for students who exhibit respect, politeness and are obedient to rules.**

**17. Having Seriousness**

**Students who excel have a serious-minded approach to education. They resist procrastination and laziness when it comes to studying, assignment completion and submission, etc. Good students always push themselves to ensure they don’t fail because of lazy behavior.**

**Asides from ensuring they carry out their projects properly, seriousness towards their academic pursuits endear a good student to his/her teacher. This allows the teacher to give his all to ensure such a student succeeds.**

**18. Excellent Organizer**

**Being a great organizer is a quality that distinguishes a student that excels and an average student. Students who schedule their time and day always yield better results than those that do not.**

**Organizing their study time, assessment time, etc is things that aid a good student greatly. This organization’s quality even goes beyond activities to be done in school. It helps students begin preparing for the next stage after schooling, giving them a head start to their classmates.**

**19. Simplicity of Mind**

**Most times students fail to understand concepts being taught to them because of how complex their minds are. However, this is not so for good students. An excellent student keeps his/her mind simple, allowing for difficult concepts to be broken down and easily solved. This is very important because it is the norm for students to have complex mindsets regarding academic pursuits but good students always perform above the norm.**

**20. Keeping Updating**

**Staying updated in any field is the reason for success. Good students do not rely on past information but are constantly in search of new knowledge. They refuse to remain outdated in terms of academic pursuits. What this means is that a student who must excel must be an avid researcher, constantly seeing out new ideas and findings on each subject topic being taught.**

**21. Having Commitment**

**Being committed to every aspect of schooling can aid a student manifest a high confidence level, which in turn improves educational success. Commitment to the process of academic pursuit can involve, participation in extra curriculum activities. This means the student is completely committed to the processes laid out by the school for the perfect student.**

**22. Ambitious**

**Students who exhibit ambition never stay down in failure. The drive they possess keeps them going until they achieve the level of excellence they have envisioned. Ambition assists a student to work hard and put in everything he/she has into achieving great results.**

**23. Academic Competency**

**The purpose of a student in a place of learning is an enhancement in the academic arena. Hence, a good student is one who is competent in academic obligations. Assignments are submitted on time and project work is well researched following the complete guidelines of his/her teacher. This is one of the most vital qualities of a good student as it is the major reason for enrolling in an academic setting.**

***Final Verdict***

**In summary, good students remain teachable always and lay down their own desires for educational pursuits. They aim at building a personality which is balanced all around and enhancement of character. Students with these excellent qualities always ensure their teachers, parents, and coaches remain a product of their efforts and results. Alongside making their guardians proud, these qualities are what make students succeed in all endeavors.**