



Week 6

Primary 5/6

The Write Tribe

AN IMPULSIVE ACT

PART 1

Topic: An impulsive act

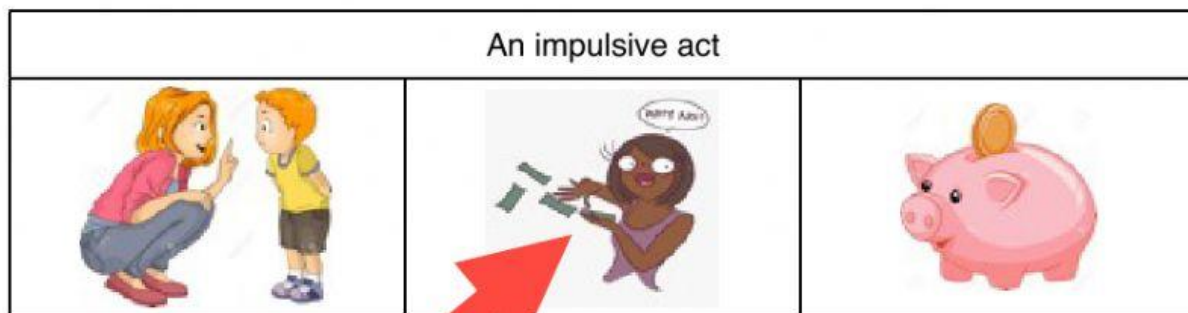


Consider the following points when you plan your composition.

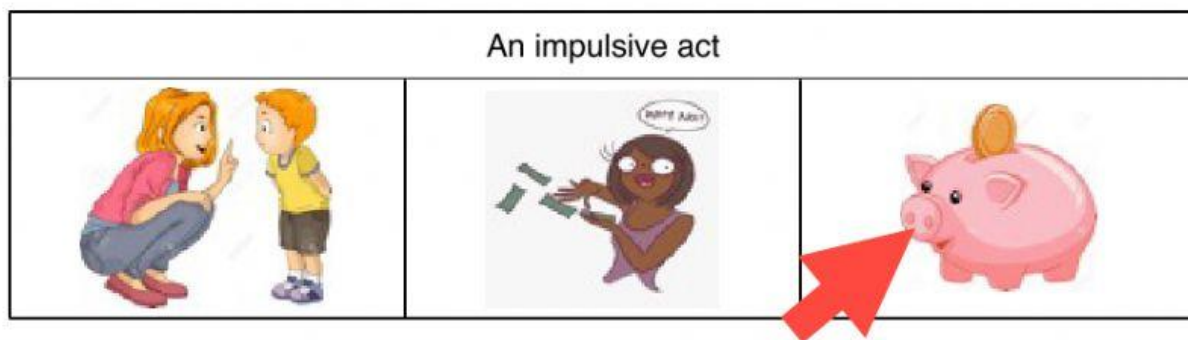
- What was the impulsive act?
- What trait did your character have that caused him/her to be impulsive?
- How did your character solve the problem?
- Where did the story occur?
- What was the lesson learnt?

STAKES / INCITING INCIDENT

For this assignment's composition, you will be graded on how well you UTILIZE stakes and an inciting incident to write a compelling story.



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| INTRODUCTION | Character trait | John is a big spendthrift. He spends money like water. |
| | Example of character trait | |
| CONFLICT | Inciting incident | John had been given money by his mother to buy himself a calculator for school. He needs it for his upcoming math examination. However, when he sees an attractive toy robot at the store, he becomes impulsive. |
| | Action | He decides to buy the robot instead. As for the calculator, he plans to borrow from his best friend, Eric. |
| | Stake | |
| CLIMAX | Problem worsens | Miss Rudy, John's teacher, catches John borrowing the calculator from Eric during the math exam. Miss Rudy calls John's mother. |
| CONCLUSION | Solution | |
| | Lesson learnt (gives up character trait) | John learns that he should not waste money. Instead, he needs to learn how to control his impulses. |
| | Proverb | Money does not grow on trees. |



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| INTRODUCTION | Character trait | Jake is both a knucklehead and a fool who does not look before he leaps. |
| | Example of character trait | |
| CONFLICT | Inciting incident | Jake is offered an opportunity by his classmate Tom, a trickster, to gamble away his hard-earned savings in order to triple it. Jake finds the offer irresistible. |
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