



The holiday season is approaching! School holidays are opportunities for more family fun and togetherness. It is also an opportune time for parents to improve communication and relationships with their children. Research shows that families who spend quality time together and connect activities at home to what children are learning in school have stronger emotional bonds and better communication. While on trips or outings with your child, take every chance to expose them to new ideas and information, reinforce skills and knowledge, as well as moral values. The Family Time activities you find in this issue are specially designed to encourage more acts of kindness that you may complete together.

While most children can demonstrate compassion to a small circle of families and friends, it is also important to help children learn to care about someone outside that circle, such as a new child in class, or the bus driver of their school bus. Understanding and showing compassion is the result of many social emotional skills that are developing in the first few years of your child's life.

Positive values are a form of complex skill that will continue to develop across your child's life. Raising a caring, respectful, ethical child is and always has been hard work, but it's something all of us can do, and no work is more important or ultimately more rewarding.

Happy holidays to you and your family!

With best wishes, Singapore Kindness Movement

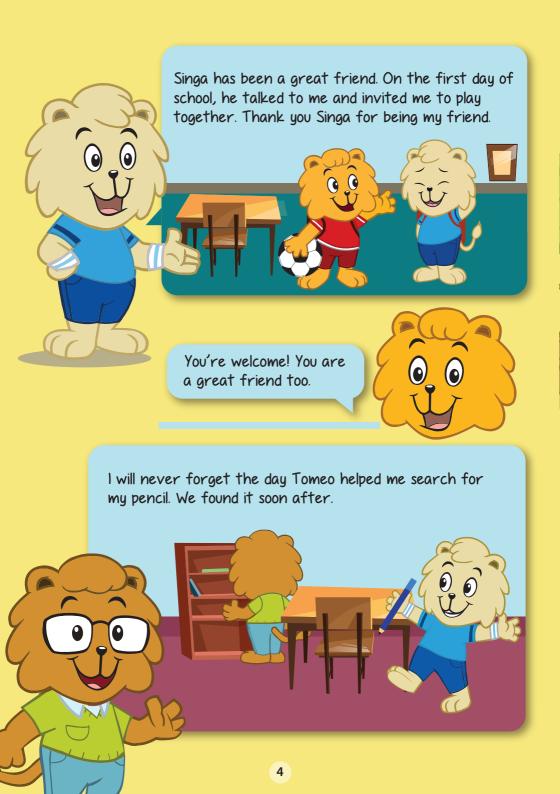




KINDNESS ALL YEAR ROUND

It is coming to the end of a great year. Singa and the Kindness Cubbies are sharing with one another kind acts that they have received.







I know how it feels like when you can't find your favourite stationery.



I am thankful to have all of you as my friends. Let's continue to spread kindness!







HOW CAN YOU SHOW KINDNESS?

Singa tells how kindness is in us and is all up to us!



With the help of Singa's example, think of as many ways you can be kind to others. Draw a picture of yourself in the space below and write down the acts of kindness that you can do.



MY FAMILY

Draw or paste a photograph of you and your family doing an activity during the holiday.

KINDNESS AWARD





PUZZLE

Two of these balloons are the same. Can you spot which ones?



Spread kindness wherever you go. All you need is a little kindness to make a difference. Complete the Kindness Puzzle with your family this December holidays and enjoy a day of fun at the Kidz Amaze playground!





KINDNESS PUZZLE

SCRAMBLE JUMBLE!

How can you show kindness and consideration to others when playing at the playground? Together with your family members, unscramble the letters to solve the puzzles.

Example:

BE INDK AND COSINRADETE TO OTHERS.

BE KIND AND CONSIDERATE TO OTHERS.

- IGVE AYW TO YUONGRE CIHLDERN IN THE PLAY AREA.
- NO PHUSING, TTIHIGN AND CAUSNIG INRYJU TO OTHERS.

ON A SLIDE.



C.L.U.B CUBBIE REDEMPTION

How redeem?

- 1. Complete the puzzle on page 12.
- 2. Bring along your Kindsville Times booklet to the selected Kidz Amaze branch during the redemption dates and time.
- 3. Show your completed puzzle to the staff.
- 4. Redeem a Kindsville merchandise.





Terms and conditions: Each child is entitled to redeem one collar pin and one A4 folder. Collar pin of different designs will be distributed at random. The Singapore Kindness Movement reserves the rights to change the redemption items or design of the items.



Watch Singa and the Kindness Cubbies

Animation

Social Nightmare

A new online photo platform is in town, and everyone is into it except for Tosh who is busy working on his new invention. Feeling left out, he thinks of a great idea to programme Robo-Helper to help him share photos online. But as usual, something has to go wrong!







Watch it at
Kindsville.kindness.sg
or on

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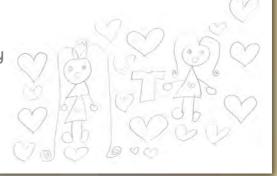
Hayley

Dear Singa, Kindness is up to us. I want to be kind just like you. I say "thank you" to my friend.



Dear Singa,
I help my mummy
fold clothes.

Sarah Lau



Dear Singa,

I help my friends to keep the toys.





Singa would like to know your home address so that he can reply to your letters! You may write your address at the back of your letter. Thank you!

(Parental consent required)