I am glad to be a student. I think about poor families. They can't send their children to school. These people don't understand being a student is important. Children graduate from school and face society. It is more difficult than being a student at school. You must obey your boss. You need work experience. You have many needs. You might lose your job at any time.

Being a student makes a good future. We should value our time at school. We can make many friends. We can learn many things from teachers. Meanwhile, we should watch our behavior. We must enlarge our mind. There is no perfect person. Everyone has disadvantages and advantages. We should understand each other and forgive each other.

Students should respect older people. Older people should understand younger people.

We should share with people if we can. We should be grateful to our parents. They gave us good food and clothes. They use cheap things. They hope we can be good, useful people. Our teachers helped us have goals in our life.

New Words

1 family 家庭 2 graduate 毕业 3 important 重要 4 experience 经验 5 meanwhile 同时
6 advantages 优点 7 enlarge 扩大 8 goals 目标 9 disadvantages 缺点 10 behavior 行为

Phrases

1 glad to be a student... 作为一个学生而感到高兴 2 think about...想... 某事 3 can't send children to school...不能供应孩子上学 4 face society... 面对社会 5 obey your boss... 听从你的老板 6 to have many needs 有许多的需求 7 you might lose your job at any time 你随时都可能失去工作 8 makes a good future 创造美好的未来 9 value our time at school 珍惜在校的时光 10 meanwhile 同时 11 watch our behavior 注意我们的行为 12 enlarge our mind 扩展我们的思维 13 everyone has disadvantages and advantages 每个人都有缺点和优点 14 we should understand each other and forgive each other 我们应该去理解对方和原谅对方 15 respect older people 尊重长辈 16 share with people if we can 和人们分享...如果能... 17 grateful to our parents 感谢我们的父母 18 they use cheap things 他们用便宜的东西 19 helped us have goals in our life 帮助我们...在我们的人生当中有了目标

Match the vocabulary below (1-10) with the meaning (a-j)

1 family [b] go through different things
2 graduate (v) [h] at the same time
3 important [i] shortcomings
4 experience (v) [k] to make something bigger; to become bigger
5 meanwhile [e] aim
6 disadvantages [f] your act
7 enlarge [d] things you are good at
8 goal [a] important
9 behavior [c] a group, parents and their children
10 advantages [a] finished school or
I am glad to be a student. I think about poor families. They can't send their children to school. These people don't understand being a student is important. Children graduate from school and face society. It is more difficult than being a student in school. You must obey your boss. You need work experience. You have many needs. You might lose your job at any time. Being a student makes a good future. We should value our time at school.

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Put these sentences in the proper order.

1. I think about poor families.
2. We can make many friends.
3. They can't send their children to school.
4. Being a student makes a good future.
5. Older people should understand younger people.
6. We should value our time at school.

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Mark these sentences True (T) or False (F). If a sentence is false, change it so that it is true.

1. I don't think about poor families. T/F
2. You need work experience. T/F
3. We should not watch our behavior. T/F
4. We should not value our time at school. T/F
5. We should understand each other and forgive each other. T/F
6. Being a student don't makes a good future. T/F
7. Everyone has disadvantages and advantages. T/F
8. They don't hope we can be good, useful people. T/F
9. We can learn many things from teachers. T/F

Choose the correct words that are underlined below.

It is more difficult than being a student in/at school. You must obey mine/your boss. You need worked/work experience. You have many needs. You might lost/lose your job at many/any time. Being a student makes a bad/good future. We should waste/value our time at school. We can make one/many friends. We can learn many thing/things from teachers. Meanwhile, we should look/watch our behavior. We must exlarge/enlarge our mind. There is no perfect person/people. Everyone has disadvantages and/but advantages.
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Our teachers helped us have saogl in our life_______

Match these sentence parts to make correct sentences.

1 Children graduate from ____ [a] people if we can.
2 These people don't understand ____ [b] a student at school.
3 we should share with____ [c] grateful to our parents.
4 It is more difficult than being [d] school and face society.
5 Our teachers helped__ [e] being a student is important.
6 We should be__ [f] things from teachers.
7 Older people should __ [g] understand younger people.
8 They can't send __ [h] us have goals in our life.
9 We can learn many __ [i] their children to school.

Questions for discussion. Student A and Student B ask each other the questions below. Student A does not look at Student B's questions. Student B does not look at Student A's questions.

Student A
1 Do you think about poor families? Explain your answers? What, exactly, do you think about?
3 Do you think being a student is important? Give two reasons.
5 Should younger people respect older people? Why or why not?
7 Can we learn many things from teachers? Explain your answer.
9 Does everyone have disadvantages and advantages? Explain your answer.
11 Should we understand each other and forgive each other? Explain your answer.
13 Do you feel glad to be a student? Explain your answer.
15 Should older people understand younger people? Explain your answer.
17 Should we watch our behavior? Why? Explain your answer.

Student B
2 Do you want to make many friends? Explain your answer.
4 What two things did you like best about this text?
6 Why do you need many experiences? Explain your answer.
8 Should we value our time at school? Explain your answer.
10 Would you share with people if you can? Explain your answer.
12 Do your parents give you the best things that they can? Explain your answer.
14 Do your parents hope you can be good and useful person? Explain your answer.
16 Do you think there is perfect person in the world? Explain your answer.

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