


because i said i would

Set A Goal/Make A Promise



Don't respect someone  
for making a promise.  
Respect them for keeping it.

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8th graders have made you a promise.  
It's this simple...



because  
I said  
I would.

**PEOPLE WITH  
GOOD INTENTIONS  
MAKE PROMISES  
BUT PEOPLE WITH  
GOOD CHARACTER  
KEEP THEM.**

# What commitment in film can teach us

- Films can teach us about the importance of keeping our word.
- Films can help us to examine personal values and daily choices in other situations.
- Films give us an opportunity to analyze the importance of a promise.

Soul Surfer (2011)

Her promise?



## Small Group Discussions

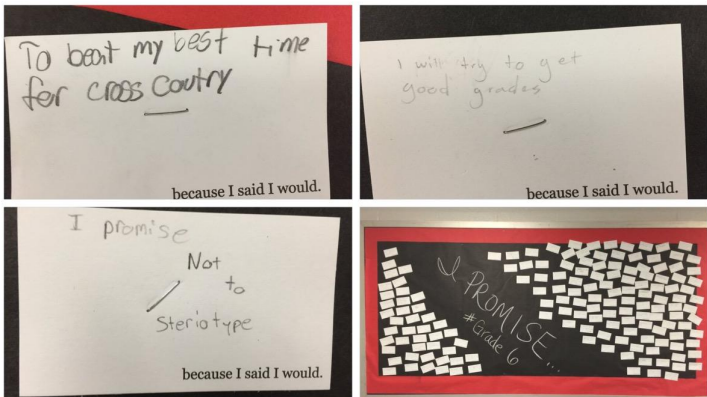
In your small group, discuss movies with a promise.

Discuss whether or not the promise was fulfilled.

Discuss why you think it's challenging to keep a promise?

Should you make one if you don't intend to keep it?

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When a mom tells you she asked her 6th gr son why he cleaned his room and he says, "Bc I'm wearing a bracelet that says @bcisaidiwould!" 😊❤️



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Make a commitment or promise to yourself,  
write a card to post on our wall.

because  
I said  
I would.

I commit to spending  
more time looking at  
my son and less time  
looking at my  
smartphone.  
because I said I would.

