

THE GIRL IN TECH



BOSE, 13 Y/O

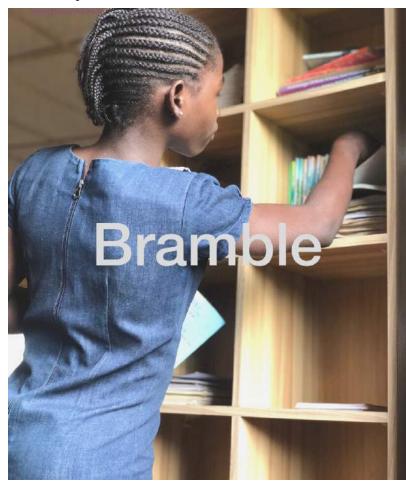
I have a place in the science and technoloy world. Semilore was a young girl who lived with her grandmother in a marginalized village in Ibadan. Semilore loves to explore. She would pick materials from the environment and try to recycle them. She tries many times but was stopped by the necessary things needed for recycling.

Her grandmother observed her every day she goes out to pick objects and try new things. She decided to send her to a neighbouring learning space to learn. Her grandmother was excited when she was accepted into the learning space in the village. Her Catalysts love her and always give her attention whenever she comes around to learn. Her science catalyst would intentionally give her materials to recycle and ask her to solve a few questions from her science materials.

Semilore is resilient and would never give up no matter what happens. She also loves reading and spends most of her time exploring new ideas. Semilore will always tell her grandmother that she knows she has a place in the science and technology world.

Whenever Semilore is reading her books and sorting all the materials needed for creating new things, her classmates will always laugh at her and even abuse her that only a crazy person pick things around. She does not even care about what they say but keeps doing what she loves to do.

Mr Bola, Semilore's mentor came to class to give an announcement. 'The Federal Government have decided to give a scholarship grant to anyone who can create something new using tyre', Mr Bola, said. Semilore was bubbling with so much excitement. She took her to and began to write what tyre can be used for.



Suddenly, she came up with the idea of creating a seat using a tyre.

She ran to her Mentor to share her idea. Mr Bola encouraged her to write her idea in a well-structured proposal and submit it to him.

Five days later, the result for her submission was sent and she was awarded the scholarship grant with an opportunity to travel with one of her parents. The Federal Government decided to take her out of the country to further her education. Semilore home to share the good news with her grandmother. Her grandmother was so happy and began to pack her bags.

"Grandma, I don't even know when I will be leaving. Calm down," said Semilore. I can't wait anymore Semilore"s grandmother said.

Semilore travelled with her grandmother two weeks after her result was announced and she became the best woman in science in the world.

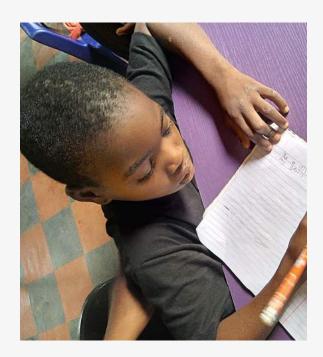
MIMI

Story written by Cecilia, 10 Y/O

Mimi is a girl. She is 10 years old. She was born into the family of Mr and Mrs Akinola. Mimi is the second child of the Family.

Mimi attends Bramble Learning Space in Ibadan, Oyo State. Mimi loves to show kindness to others. She learnt that from her learning space. She is always willing to help her friends.





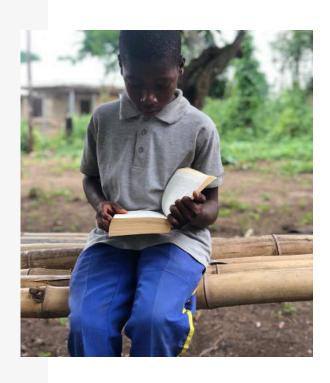
Her community gave her an award for her good character when she helped the king's wife find her missing purse. Mama Sade told Sade to imitate Mimi's character.

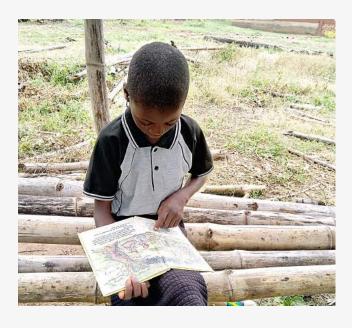
It is good to show kindness.

SHINE YOUR LIGHT

Poem written by ThankGod, 13 Y/O

How dark should it be? how cloudy can it look? whether raining or not, that it won't be bright when the light is shining upon the surface of the Earth





How can fire quenched water? How can a shrimp be swallowed by Jimbo?

No way!

Darkness will never overwhelm light? let no darkness overcome your light Instead, let your light shine upon the darkness and give room for brightness.

GOD'S LOVE

Written by Comfort, 13y/o

I woke up this morning with much excitement. After years of seeking admission, I finally got one. I dressed up and was ready to leave for the registration office.

I hurried to where I placed my bag the previous day to pick the last money in it for my transport. I was shocked when I got to where my bag was placed and I didn't find anything in it.

Then I remembered two of my friends; Segun and Akin came to visit the previous night. It won't be nice to ask them if they took the money, I thought. What is the next step? I need to ask them anyway.

I dashed out of the room, ran towards their room and politely asked if they took the money.

Segun, please, do you by any means find some money where you sat in my room yesterday?

No, I don't. Segun said. Where is Akin? Do you know if he does? I asked Segun. I am not sure he does, Segun said. Well, he is outside in the garden, you can ask him.

Yes, I saw the money but I placed it on the table beside your mirror, Akin who has been listening to my conversation with Segun answered.

Ohhh..... I probably missed that location. It's okay, Akin said. We were preparing to go out when you came in. How do I get my money now? I don't want to go back to my room. I look to my side and saw Segun's bag lying on the table with a thousand naira note on it. I stretched my hands and picked it. Okay, I will see you guys later. I am late for my appointment. I dashed out of their room and stopped a bike in front of the house.

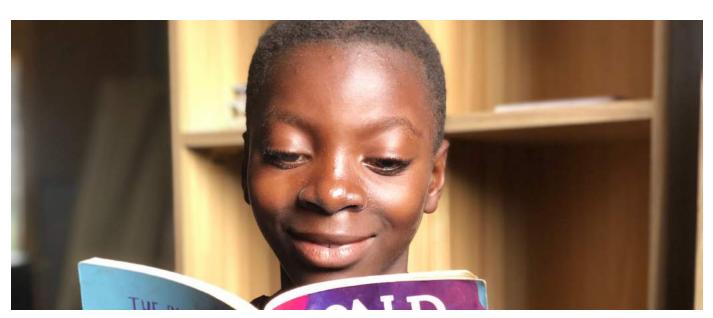
I just stole! I thought to myself. It's nothing. They are my friends. I comforted myself with those words and stopped thinking and beating myself up.

I got to the venue for the registration and I was told the registration has closed and that I got the message late. I was disappointed. Maybe God is punishing me for stealing.

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Hello, Segun! I am sorry I took the money. God is punishing me already. I promised I won't do it anymore.

I missed the registration. The registration is closed already. God isn't punishing, but it is not good to steal. He loves you and He has forgiven you, Segun said. I felt guilty and decided never to steal anymore. Then I remembered what Segun said and asked for forgiveness. I was glad that even while I was yet a sinner God has loved me.



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