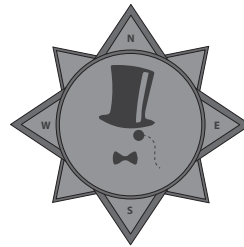


ADDRESS A PERSON WITH RESPECT

Treating a person with respect starts with you, RockHopper. You need to always treat everyone with respect, no matter who they are. But it is especially important to address someone with respect that you don't know. This goes double if they are older than you or in some position of authority.

FLIP OVER FOR YOUR NEXT CHALLENGE



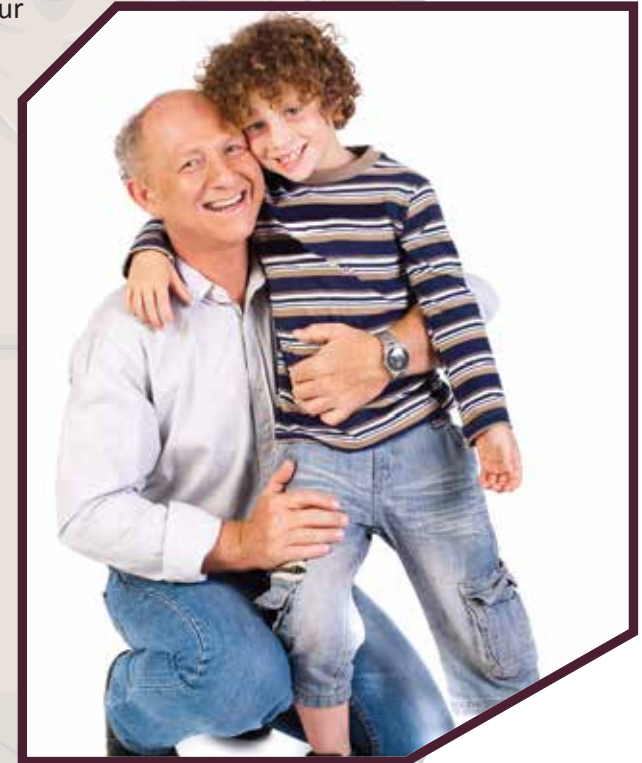
EARN THIS NUGGET

- Practice with a family member or two several times until everyone agrees that you are acting in an exemplary fashion (posh way of saying super cool).
- Have your parents introduce you to an appropriate individual that you don't know, so you can try out your skills for real.

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- They are a "sir" or a "ma'am." If you know their first name, don't use it unless they specifically tell you to.
- If you only know their first name, you can call them Mr. John or Miss Jennifer. This is still far more respectful than simply using their first name.
- Don't say just "yes" or "no." Say "Yes, Sir" and "No, Ma'am."
- If anything is given to you say, "Thank you." If they ask you if you would like something you say, "Yes, please." Never say "yes" or "no" when offered something without using your manners.
- Don't ask for something that has not been offered to you. If they offer you a drink say, "Yes, please" and "Thank you, Sir." But don't ask for an item they have not offered you.
- Stand up straight and sit down (when offered a seat) without wriggling. Listen to what they say and keep watching their face so they know you are paying attention.
- When you part company, thank them for their time or anything else they have given you.



It's simple stuff, but it goes a long way. If you can get this down you'll be considered among the top one percent of children across the nation, and that's just what we expect from RockHoppers.