## **PUNCTUALITY**

You know, being on time is a very important skill. People are counting on you, and their plans may fall apart if you're not on time.

Even if you're invited to a gathering with friends, the person hosting has made special accommodations just for you. Showing up on time lets your host know that you appreciate their hard work.

If you keep your host or other friends waiting, they may miss out on the evening, too.

No one wants to be the friend who does that, right?

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## **EARN THIS NUGGET**

Be organized and plan ahead, so that you're prompt and punctual to every event, appointment, or class, for the next 3 weeks.

So let's make sure that we're punctual from now on.

The two secrets to being punctual:

- Planning
- Organization

A little attention to these two things and you may never be late again.

When you're told to be ready by a certain time, aim to be ready five or ten minutes before.

When an event is coming up that you need something for, get what you need ready in advance, and then go back to doing other things.

Then you won't have a mad panic at the last minute.

For example: Jasper has band practice, and he was late the last four times, which disappointed the band teacher.
What can Jasper do differently?

Jasper decides to stops playing his video game and gets his trombone and music books ready.

He even changes into his band uniform and gets on his socks and shoes, so he can head out as soon as it's time to leave. Once he knows he's ready to leave, then he goes back to playing his game.

Finally, he leaves five minutes earlier than normal.

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And it's a good thing Jasper was ready on time, because as they left, there was a traffic jam. No worries though, making sure that he was

organized and ready made sure that he left enough room in his schedule, that he will still arrive to band practice on time.

Great job, Jasper!



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