

MENDRE HEROES

The First Day at School





One day, there was a little girl named Seren and it was her first day at Hendre. She was extremely nervous but also excited to meet new people.



As she walked into school a splash of sparkles appeared in front of her.

"Ahhh!" She screamed as she jumped away.

Then a figure appeared.

"Don't fear me little girl." Said the figure.

"Who are you?" Shouted Seren anxiously.



"I'm Positive Penelope." She whispered. "How are you feeling on your first day?"

Before she could answer, Positive Penelope asked "Are you nervous? I was nervous on my first day. When I am nervous, I like to do some mindful yoga. Do you want to join me?"

"That sounds fun." Seren replied. They set off to mindful yoga and tried out some new yoga moves.

"Do you feel any calmer now Seren? Asked Positive Penelope.

"Yes thank you." Seren replied.

"You better head off to assembly now, you don't want to be late" encouraged Positive Penelope.



She ran down the corridor to find the hall.
But as it was Seren's first day she didn't
know which door to go through.



All of sudden a classroom door opened and out came Resilient Riley. She asked the girl "Pwy wyt ti? Beth yw d'enw di?" Seren replied "Seren ydw i."

Seren was still lost and didn't know where to go. "Are any of these doors the one which will take me to the hall for assembly?" Resilient Riley nodded "Yes, I can show you the way. Follow me!"



After lunchtime Seren went outside for outdoor learning. She was struggling to look after the plant she had been given. "I'm not very good at gardening" said Seren. Out of nowhere appeared another figure.



"Not good at gardening? I can help with that" said Respectful Rhys happily. "The trick is you must take care of everyone on our planet and they will respect us". Seren watered the plant carefully and as he did the plant started to grow.

"Wow, this has been the best day ever" said Seren.



As Seren walked towards the gate, she thought to herself "What a lovely first day" until she realised she had lost her bag. "What am I going to do? I need my bag for school tomorrow." From above appeared a blue cape which lowered down from the sky.

"Do you need any help" Curious Colin asked.

"I have lost my bag, I can't find it anywhere." Seren replied.

"The best thing to do is retrace your steps."

remarked Curious Colin.



Seren and Curious Colin retraced her steps of the day. They went back to Respectful Rhys outdoors and back into the assembly hall with Resilient Riley. As they approached the front of the school where Positive Penelope was waiting Seren saw her purple bag sitting on the chair.



"Thank you for all your help today, I am so excited to spend tomorrow with you!" said Seren excitedly.

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