



Ben Affleck's Stand Against Buying His Son \$6,000 Sneakers

Description

Ben Affleck is a well-known Hollywood actor. He is a father of three kids. Recently, he took his 13-year-old son, Samuel, to a shoe event. There, his son liked a pair of shoes that cost \$6,000.

Affleck told his son, "I won't pay for those shoes. They are too costly." He suggested Samuel to earn his own money if he really wants those shoes.

Affleck likes his kids to work for their own things. This is a good way to teach them the value of money. He wants his kids to earn their own money for the things they buy. When he was young, Affleck worked hard to chase his acting dream.

He is not the only dad who teaches his kids this way. Shaquille O'Neal, a famous basketball star, also told his kids to earn their own money. He said, "To use my money, you need to pass two degrees."

In the end, it is important that kids learn the value of money. One way is by earning it themselves. Affleck and O'Neal are good examples that teach this value to their kids.

Vocabulary List:

1. **Costly** /'kɒ:stli/ (adjective): Expensive; having a high price.
2. **Earn** /ɜ:rn/ (verb): To receive money in return for work or a service.
3. **Value** /'vælju:/ (noun): The importance or worth of something; a principle or standard.
4. **Teach** /ti:tʃ/ (verb): To impart knowledge or skills to someone.
5. **Suggest** /sə'dʒest/ (verb): To propose an idea or plan for consideration.
6. **Hard** /hɑ:rd/ (adjective): Requiring a great deal of effort or endurance.

Comprehension Questions

Multiple Choice

1. How many kids does Ben Affleck have?

Option: One

Option: Two



Option: Three

Option: Four

2. What was the reason Affleck gave for not buying the \$6,000 shoes for his son?

Option: Too small

Option: Too big

Option: Too costly

Option: Not stylish

3. Which famous actor encourages his kids to earn their own money for the things they buy?

Option: Brad Pitt

Option: Matt Damon

Option: Tom Hanks

Option: Ben Affleck

4. What does Shaquille O'Neal require his kids to have to use his money?

Option: Two Vehicles

Option: Two Degrees

Option: Two Houses

Option: Two Pets

5. What lesson do Affleck and O'Neal want their kids to learn by earning their own money?

Option: The value of hard work

Option: The value of shoes

Option: The power of negotiation

Option: The art of saving

6. How did Ben Affleck work hard when he was young?

Option: Selling shoes

Option: Chasing his acting dream

Option: Playing basketball

Option: Working in a restaurant

True-False

7. Shaquille O'Neal is a famous basketball star.

8. Ben Affleck teaches his kids to earn their own money.



9. Samuel is Ben Affleck's only child.

10. Shaquille O'Neal only allows his kids to use his money if they pass two degrees.

11. Affleck believes that kids should learn the value of money by earning it themselves.

12. Both Affleck and O'Neal are actors.

Gap-Fill

13. Ben Affleck took his _____-year-old son, Samuel, to a shoe event.

14. Shaquille O'Neal requires his kids to pass two _____ to use his money.

15. Affleck wants his kids to earn their own money to understand the value of _____.

16. Samuel liked a pair of shoes that cost \$_____.

17. Affleck worked hard to chase his _____ dream when he was young.

18. Ben Affleck has _____ kids.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Three 2. Too costly 3. Ben Affleck 4. Two Degrees 5. The value of money 6. Chasing his acting dream

True-False: 7. True 8. True 9. False 10. True 11. True 12. False

Gap-Fill: 13. 13 14. degrees 15. money 16. 6,000 17. acting 18. three

Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. What is a person called who manages the public image and relations of a famous individual or organization?

Option: Journalist

Option: Artist

Option: Publicist



Option: Celebrity

2. What is a subject or concept that is repeated or elaborated upon in a work of art or literature?

Option: Main Character

Option: Setting

Option: Theme

Option: Plot Twist

3. Which term describes a person who shows courage in the face of danger or difficulty?

Option: Shy

Option: Fearful

Option: Brave

Option: Weak

4. Which word means to behave as if something is the case when it is not?

Option: Realized

Option: Genuine

Option: Authentic

Option: Pretended

5. Who are the individuals or choices proposed for selection in a competition or award?

Option: Winners

Option: Nominees

Option: Judges

Option: Contestants

6. Which term describes something that is free from outside control or influence?

Option: Dependent

Option: Isolated

Option: Independent

Option: Social

7. What is an action or event regarded as morally or legally wrong and causing general public outrage?

Option: Accident

Option: Celebration

Option: Scandal

Option: Honor

8. Which term describes something possessing qualities that give great pleasure or satisfaction to the senses?

Option: Ugly

Option: Beautiful

Option: Ordinary



Option: Average

9. What refers to the phenomena of the physical world collectively including plants animals landscapes and more?

- Option: Urban
- Option: Nature
- Option: Artificial
- Option: Man-Made

10. Which term relates to the ideas customs and social behavior of a particular society or group?

- Option: Universal
- Option: Cultural
- Option: Individual
- Option: Local

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

11. Being _____ in your approach can lead to creative breakthroughs.

12. Some designer clothes can be very _____ because of the brand name attached to them.

13. I was _____ up by the sound of birds chirping outside my window.

14. Success in life often requires _____ work and dedication.

15. To make a living you need to _____ money through work or investments.

16. The old house had a _____ feeling to it as if it was haunted.

17. The movie had a _____ ending that left many viewers in tears.

18. It is important to plan for your _____ and set achievable goals.

19. Some people _____ a lot of money by investing in the stock market.

20. She has worked hard to _____ the trust and respect of her colleagues.

Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)



21. The new restaurant in town became very quickly due to its unique menu and excellent service.
22. The artist's work was by critics and fans alike for its innovative style and emotional depth.
23. Learning a new language can be but it is rewarding in the long run.
24. The antique jewelry was appraised at a high due to its rarity and historical significance.
25. One of the primary roles of a teacher is to students important knowledge and skills.
26. His body language seemed to that he was not fully convinced by the explanation.
27. The sunset over the ocean was absolutely with vibrant colors painting the sky.
28. The talk show welcomed a variety of guests from actors to scientists to discuss a wide range of topics.
29. The doctor assured her that the side effects of the medication were and temporary.
30. The news of the accident spread quickly through the small town causing a somber mood to descend.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Publicist 2. Theme 3. Brave 4. Pretended 5. Nominees 6. Independent 7. Scandal 8. Beautiful 9. Nature 10. Cultural

Gap-Fill: 11. Original 12. Costly 13. Waking 14. Hard 15. Earn 16. Weird 17. Sad 18. Future 19. Earn 20. Earn

Matching sentence: 1. Popular 2. Celebrated 3. Hard 4. Value 5. Teach 6. Suggest 7. Beautiful 8. Host 9. Normal 10. Sad

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