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Determination

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'Determination is the wake-up call to the human will,' said Tony Robbins, who is named 'Top 50 business intellectuals'. Determination is one of the main keys that led him to success. Determination is the essence of increasing our chances to be successful in a particular thing or achieving a particular goal, and it can also help us to stay motivated and continue striving towards the thing we want to achieve.

Moreover, Determination enables us to persist in the face of difficulties. It makes us march fearlessly ahead with faith until we reach our goal. Determination is very important since life is never smooth. Many of us fall when we come across obstacles. But with determination, we can overcome many types of obstacles.

Therefore, determination makes us creative and imaginative. However, in order for us to succeed in life, we must set definite goals for ourselves, work hard to put in the necessary effort. Success in life is a process of selection and elimination or choosing between the worthy and the worthless. Thus, unless we are inspired by determination and a great purpose to make our life count, we may not make much of an impression about us.

名人雋語

- 只要朝着陽光，便不會看見陰影。
—— 海倫·凱勒
- 想法改變了歷史的進程。
—— 約翰·梅納德·凱恩斯
- 每個人都是自己的命運建築師。
—— 克勞笛烏斯



Famous Quotes

- *The face of light, shadow just behind us..*

— — Helen Keller

- *Ideas shape the course of history.*

— — John Maynard Keynes

- *Each man is the architect of his own fate.*

— — A.Claudius

Tan Ho Yee

People with determination have the ability to make a firm decision and not be swayed to change it.

As the saying goes, success is achieved by ordinary people with extraordinary determination. So why is determination essential?

Firstly, it propels you forward. Determination is about staying focused on a goal. The ultimate success will stay distant if we keep standing at the starting line not knowing where to go. But as long as you have identified a goal, you can create paths to it and move closer to the success you thirst for.

Secondly, it motivates you to overcome difficulties. What will happen if you run into obstacles on the path to your goal? You may overcome them or you may carve out a new path. Then you need determination. It keeps you going regardless of what's in front of you. With a strong will, difficulties are not an end. Be determined, then you can be brave.

Thirdly, it makes you believe in yourself. Well, all of us struggle and feel confused in front of a crossroad. Even after making a decision, we may still dwell in the thoughts of the "ifs" and "what-ifs". But with determination, you will have greater confidence to go forward. That's what determination does to us—we stop looking back, get rid of self-doubt and stay on track.

In conclusion, determination is necessary to keep us strong, confident and fearless. Cultivate this ability, and you will reach your goals someday.



Leung Yin Hei

What does determination mean to you?

For me, determination is the process of controlling or deciding something. It is a driving force behind our relentless pursuit of our goals despite challenges.

Determination is vital for us because it guides us to march fearlessly ahead with faith until we achieve our goal. On the way to reach our goal, we will face a lot of distractions and setbacks. We may feel tired and lost and want to give up. We will also wonder why we are where we are and why we have to suffer so much. Determination, at this moment, is a guiding light through the darkness. With determination, we will have bravery to continue on with what we are working on.

While determination is important for everyone, it is especially important for students. Students need to be determined to study hard and get good grades. We also need to be determined to do our best in all areas of life.

Students can develop determination by setting goals and working hard to achieve them. We can also practise determination by never giving up, even when things get tough. Finally, we should learn to enjoy the process of working towards our goals, rather than focusing only on the final outcome.

If there is one gift that we can give to ourselves in life, it is the power of determination.

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If a person wants to be successful, he/she must have a lofty vision, a goal, or an ambition. With that being the meaning or purpose of life, there will be an invisible driving force that propels him/her to success.

Sir Issac Newton was determined to become a scientist who contributed to the society since he was a child. Although he was kicked out of school, his enthusiasm for learning did not diminish in the slightest. He worked hard to teach himself and kept researching on his own. As a result, he turned from zero to hero and became a physicist and mathematician famous for his laws of physics. This proves that aspirations to success is of utmost importance.

Although it is impossible for all of us to become great people like Newton, we can still learn something from their examples and apply it in our lives. No matter where our starting line is, we must work hard and make progress towards our goal. Because of this, goal setting is the first step to take if you want to succeed. As the saying goes: "Where there is a will, there is a way". Once you have identified a goal and have the determination to achieve it, you will find a way to make your dream come true.