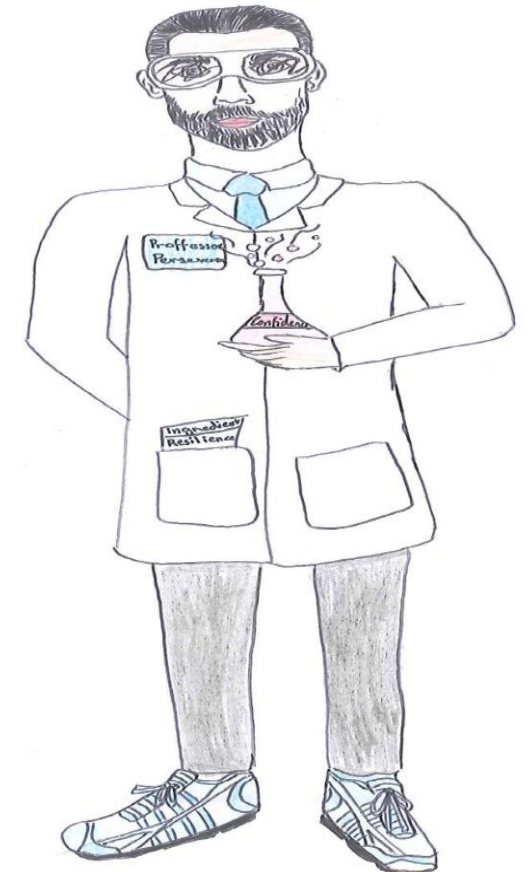


Growth Mindset Assembly

Professor Perseverance



Thinking time.....

- Can you remember some of Professor Perseverance's character traits.

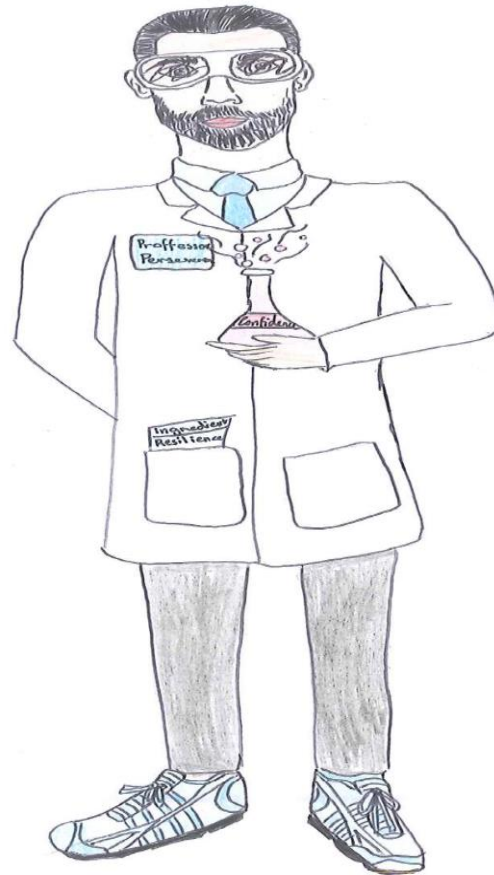


Professor Perseverance Character Traits

Doesn't worry if things go wrong

Doesn't give up and tries different ways to find a solution

Is confident to have a go



Has self-belief

Works hard

Is resilient

Has a desire to want to improve

Story about Perseverance

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=t5mGeR4AQdM>

1. How did Vashti's teacher help her?
2. How did Vashti show perseverance?
3. How did Vashti help another child?

Professor Perseverance helps David Duck to keep going!

One bright sunny morning, Professor Perseverance saw David the duck merrily swimming along the river where he lived. The river was flowing rapidly. Professor Perseverance saw that David was struggling in the fast-flowing river. He encouraged David to make sure his feet paddled quickly under the water so he didn't get washed down the river! That morning, a group of children went with their parents to the river to feed the ducks some lovely seeds and bread.

The ducks swam closely to the bank so that they could get the yummy food. They gobbled most of it up and swam away, apart from David who could not get near the edge. Professor Perseverance saw that David was upset that he could not get any of the delicious food because the river was flowing too fast for him. David tried to swim over a number of times, but each time he got close he nearly got washed underneath the water. Professor Perseverance asked David to think of a way to find a solution to his problem. David thought carefully and just then, he saw a rugged rock sticking out nearby. He used all of his energy to swim to the rock, then jumped over the fast-flowing water to where the children were. Professor Perseverance was so happy to see that David had not given up and the children threw him some extra bread and seeds, which David gobbled all up!



Reflection Time

*Have you ever had to persevere at something?
How did you feel when you have achieved it?*

