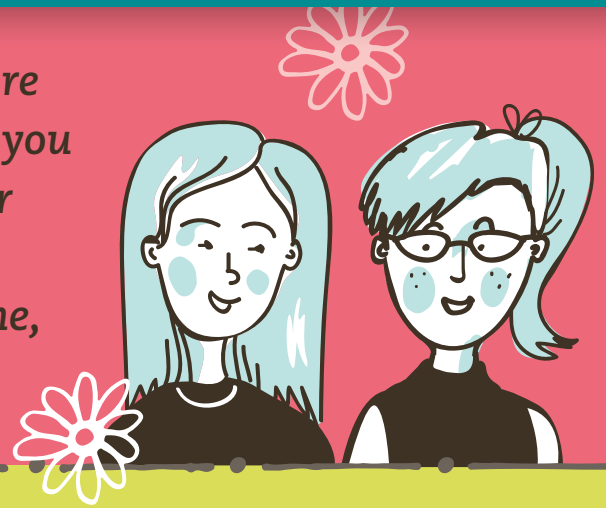


# 9 WAYS TO BE AN AWESOME FRIEND

When it comes to your friends, do you nurture your relationship to grow and thrive? Or do you put in the same effort as making your bed or finding the remote? Good, strong, lasting friendships are a gift from God and need time, effort, and plain ol' politeness to survive.



TRY THESE BASICS

REMEMBER YOUR FRIENDS' BIRTHDAYS. SEND A CUTE CARD OR E-CARD.



FOLLOW PROVERBS 27:10...

"DON'T BLOW OFF YOUR FRIENDS"

REALLY LISTEN TO WHAT SHE HAS TO SAY AND FOLLOW-UP.

IF SHE'S NERVOUS ABOUT HER GAME ON TUESDAY, MAKE SURE YOU ASK HER ABOUT IT ON WEDNESDAY.



TAKE PROVERBS 17:17 TO HEART...



CALL HER FIRST INSTEAD OF WAITING FOR HER CALL OR TEXT

LET HER KNOW WHAT SPECIFIC UNIQUE PERSONALITY TRAITS YOU LOVE ABOUT HER.



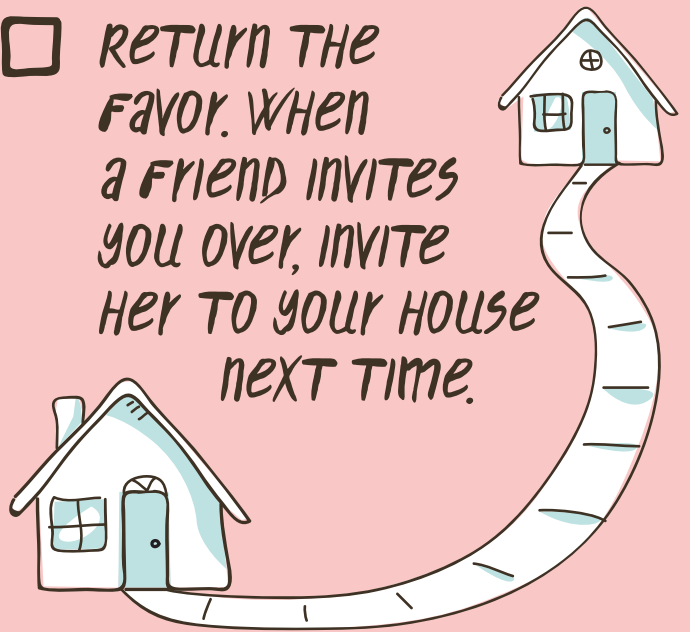
IF EVERYONE WAS THE SAME, LIFE WOULD BE BORING!

IN HER TIME OF NEED, INSTEAD OF "LET ME KNOW IF I CAN HELP," SUGGEST SPECIFIC IDEAS LIKE...

"CAN I DROP OFF YOUR HOMEWORK?"

"CAN I BRING YOU LUNCH?"

RETURN THE FAVOR. WHEN A FRIEND INVITES YOU OVER, INVITE HER TO YOUR HOUSE NEXT TIME.



LITTLE EFFORTS MAKE FRIENDSHIPS GROW.



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