

# Riley's Journey

New Announcements!



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Dear Readers,

Before I talk about this new magazine, I would just like to thank you for reading it! My name is Riley McKenna and I created this magazine based on my own experiences and for you to enjoy! This magazine includes a short vignette of a crazy but interesting educational moment in my life, my passion in life, some new companies and super new news on your favorite shows! This also includes some fun stories and games for you to enjoy! This magazine was very fun to make, so I hope you enjoy!

- Riley McKenna

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## Vignette

I have had a lot of educational historical moments that have shaped me as a learner, but this experience is the one I remember the most. Before 5th grade, all my previous teachers taught me in an easier and more understanding way. I believed at that time that school was the easiest thing. That was until I met my 5th grade teacher.

He was one of the best educators. However, he was the least sympathetic emotionally when it came to work or stress and that was very hard on me as a student.

When I was younger I was a very emotional kid. Everytime I would cry about something, my previous teachers would be very comforting about it. But my 5th grade was not so understanding and compassionate. He would tell me to either go to the bathroom and calm down, or he would take me outside the classroom and tell me to grow up, get under control, and go back in there and work. This way, however, did change me emotionally because I barely ever cry in school anymore and if I feel I have to, I can get myself under control.

Another thing about his class that has really changed me as a student is I had to work a lot harder in his class than any of my other classes, but you would get rewards for it. For example, you would be doing harder work with the class, but if you were asked

tion and you got it right then you would be given  
Also, if you and a few other people did very well  
d test or work, you and those people would get a  
rty or a wing party. This way of teaching  
we realize now that it actually did work because  
I make you work harder to get answers  
ust so you could have a minute or two of a  
deserved treat.

thing my 5th grade teacher did that helped  
n a bit from him was if you were done some  
hat he had given out but other students  
ill working on then he would bring you and  
ents who had finished their work up to the  
the smartboard and teach us some advanced  
t we haven't learned yet. I think it was  
f I'm not mistaken. He really did this because  
d the kids that had no assignments due to become  
d with their math skills. This was because that was  
s passions as a teacher. But when he was teaching us  
er understood it. However, I am happy that he was  
teach us this because there were times where I did  
d what I was learning and he was trying to get  
d for future grades math work.  
rade teacher was definitely a different type of  
still haven't had any teacher like him to the day.

But, even though his teaching was harder and he was not  
very sympathetic towards me emotionally, I was still  
able to really grow and learn from him and I believe  
he is one of the reasons I am the student I am today,  
and I really appreciate him for all those reasons.

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$$1+1=$$



## Passion

My passion for acting was very sudden, but it hit pretty hard once my love came to it. My love for acting really came when I started watching tv shows last year. When I was younger, I would just watch videos on youtube and had a huge hatred of tv shows. But when I first started watching my favorite tv show "The Vampire Diaries," I really thought about what it was like filming it, especially the vampire face and speed scenes. I would also watch bloopers/behind the scenes and just see the smiles on everyone's face and the fun that they had filming it. I mean, they looked like they enjoyed their job and they were getting paid for it! This was the type of experience I wanted and still want for myself. I would love to act as a character who I am so passionate about and work and become friends with my other co-workers on the movie set. When I used to think of these reasons as to why I'm passionate about acting, I thought to myself how it would be like becoming an actor. Would it be a lot of fun? Should I try it out if I could? With these questions in my mind, I started for fun to go into my bathroom and do some improvs from tiktok to work on my facial expressions and my emotions towards the sound or the scene the pov was from. After a lot of practice from these, I really thought I was doing very well with my acting. However, I wanted to learn more about it and try to do this as a fun activity. So when I started applying for high schools, I went for CAPA, which includes theater. After applying, I went for a tour of the school and instantly fell in love with it. The building was beautiful, but I wasn't there

ding, I was there for theater. Fast forward to about  
later, I was practicing and trying to memorize my  
my audition for the school. It took the who weekend  
self prepared with my lines and my home made prop.  
all that practice, I knew I was ready to go. I went to  
on a few days later and it felt very awkward for  
e everyone that went to the same audition as me  
experience, which was something I didn't have, so I  
ve so I was nervous it would affect my audition.  
as soon as I went into the room to begin my audition,  
was went away and I felt great during it. I didn't  
ny of my lines and when I had to sing a little to  
did pretty well. As soon as I went back to my mom,  
both so happy that I did very well. About a month  
found out by my dad I was accepted into the lottery for  
nd the judges has told him that with someone with no  
ce, I did very well and I was thrilled! I couldn't  
ut I didn't have any experience and I got into the  
efore anyone who did! However, the disappointing  
fall was that I was put on the waitlist for the school  
time that I waited for my place to move, it never did.  
up not going to CAPA, but I am happy to start my  
LA. But even being at a different type of school, I still  
include acting in my life. I was thinking about getting  
y coach to work on the emotions and tones of my voice  
pefully someday get an agent and be filmed in a movie



or tv show because that is something I would love to try out  
and it is a dream of mine. This is my start to present of my  
love for acting.

# WORD SEARCH:

A	F	A	M	I	T	Y	G	E	N	M	O	T
C	S	H	Y	J	S	L	R	V	Z	Y	P	D
A	Y	L	J	T	O	I	Q	W	L	Z	O	Q
R	W	S	A	F	E	B	D	O	Y	G	T	U
C	V	C	W	M	F	H	Y	N	S	P	L	R
U	Z	A	D	Z	U	A	J	S	M	A	R	T
A	M	L	X	N	L	M	D	M	F	A	P	W
S	Y	O	I	Y	H	F	R	I	E	N	D	S
A	P	K	I	N	D	O	W	X	H	I	N	P

- Smart
- Loyal
- Kind
- Friendly
- Shy
- Dogs
- Cats
- Family
- Friends
- Shows



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(NOT Read)

Never Have



EVER

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Season 4

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OUT NOW!

Team Ben or Paxton?

## The Beach ☆

I would basically say that I grew up on the beach. I have been there so many times that I can't even count and I've been going to the beach since I was just a few weeks old. I just love everything about the beach. The sun shining, the touch of sand on my feet, and the sound of the waves are just so relaxing. Just the sounds of the beach are just so relaxing. The Wildwood beach is just one of my favorite places to be for these reasons.





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