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Motivational Gifts

Romans 12:4 - 8

If one has the gift of prophecy, let him prophecy.

If one has the gift of serving, he should serve

If one has the gift of teaching, he should teach.

If one has the gift of encouraging others, he should encourage.

If one has the gift of giving to others, he should give.

If one has the gift of being a leader, he should lead.

If one has the gift of showing kindness to others, he should do it with joy.

Prophecy

Seeing the meaning of what God is saying

- This student has the gift of hearing what God is saying.
- Give them opportunities for reflection on Bible verses / stories.
- Encourage them to share what God is saying.



Giraffe – the alert one

Serving

Helping

- This child loves to help.
- Give them responsibilities in the classroom, e.g. looking after equipment.
- Set up situations where they can help others in academic work, e.g. older children reading with younger children



The rhino bird helps the rhino

Teaching

Sharing knowledge in an interesting way

- This student loves to research.
- Provide plenty of free-choice project opportunities.
- Provide books and other materials for them to research information.
- Allow them to present their projects to the class.
- Give opportunity to explain Biblical meaning



The monkeys teach their young.

Encouraging

Be strong in the Lord

and help others to be strong in the Lord

- Allow this student to work with others who need support.
- Give them opportunities to teach others one-on-one



They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength
and will soar with wings as an eagle. (Is 40:31)

Giving

A cheerful giver

- This student loves to give gifts.
- Provide opportunities for making gifts for others, a piece of art or writing a story / poem for another student.
- Put this student in charge of a class 'giving project' to a hospital, the elderly, an overseas community



For Mum



The lioness shares her food with the rest of the pride before eating food herself.

Leadership

Well organized and likes to organize others

Must learn to be a servant leader or administrator

- Allow this student to mentor others.
- Give opportunities for group leadership.
- Involve this child in setting up and running rosters.



Meerkat communities are very organized with leaders to give instructions.

Mercy

Shows kindness

Cares for others, especially the poor, the sick, the needy

- Give opportunities to comfort others
- Be a friend to a new class member
- Give responsibility in mission or community projects.



Female elephants care for all the baby elephants in the herd
And adopt orphan elephants.



The chameleon changes its colours in different situations. As we grow more like Christ we develop in ALL the gifts and can use whatever gift is necessary in the right circumstance.