# Ellie Steps Up To The Plate: The Critter Club 18

Ellie Steps Up To The Plate: The Critter Club 18 is a heartwarming story about a young girl who learns the importance of responsibility and teamwork. Ellie is a member of the Critter Club, a group of friends who love animals. When the club's pet hamster, Squeaky, gets sick, Ellie volunteers to take care of him.



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At first, Ellie is nervous. She has never taken care of a sick animal before. But she knows that Squeaky needs her help, so she is determined to do her best. Ellie takes Squeaky home and makes him a comfortable place to rest. She gives him plenty of food and water, and she makes sure that he is warm and has a quiet place to sleep.

Ellie also makes sure to keep an eye on Squeaky's condition. She checks his temperature regularly, and she makes sure that he is eating and drinking enough. Ellie is also very patient with Squeaky. She knows that he is feeling sick, and she is always there to comfort him.

Thanks to Ellie's care, Squeaky starts to get better. Within a few days, he is back to his old self. Ellie is so happy to see Squeaky healthy again. She knows that she made a difference in his life, and she is proud of herself for stepping up to the plate.

Ellie's experience with Squeaky teaches her the importance of responsibility. She learns that it is important to be there for those who need her, even when it is difficult. She also learns the importance of teamwork. She knows that she could not have taken care of Squeaky without the help of her friends in the Critter Club.

Ellie Steps Up To The Plate: The Critter Club 18 is a heartwarming story about the importance of responsibility and teamwork. Ellie is a role model for young readers, and her story will inspire them to be kind and compassionate to others.

#### **Discussion Questions**

- 1. Why is Ellie a good role model for young readers?
- 2. What are the different ways that Ellie demonstrates responsibility and teamwork?
- 3. How does Ellie's experience with Squeaky teach her about the importance of these qualities?

4. What are some other ways that young people can demonstrate responsibility and teamwork in their own lives?

#### **Activities**

- 1. Have students write a letter to Ellie, thanking her for being such a good role model.
- 2. Have students create a poster or diorama that illustrates the different ways that Ellie demonstrates responsibility and teamwork.
- 3. Have students work in groups to create a plan for how they can demonstrate responsibility and teamwork in their own lives.

#### **Assessment**

- Have students write a short essay in which they discuss the importance of responsibility and teamwork. They should use examples from the story to support their arguments.
- 2. Have students create a presentation in which they share their ideas for how young people can demonstrate responsibility and teamwork in their own lives.



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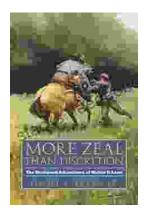
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