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### Who I am grateful for

A specific person who I am grateful for is my mom because she taught me to be grateful for what someone gives me. An example of how she taught me to be grateful is when she took me to work and showed me how hard people work to buy something. I worked with my mom from 6:30 am to 4:00 pm making meatballs, kneading batches of dough, seasoning chicken, cutting vegetables and fruits for prep, making dough and more at a pizzeria.

This matters to me because now when I get something I don't like or didn't want I still appreciate it because people work hard to get you something. It makes me feel appreciative because it's the thought that counts when someone gives you something they work hard for. Now I learned how hard you have to work for money and I learned to be grateful for something I receive. When I was little I wanted toys but I received clothes for christmas but now when I receive clothes I am grateful for them. It changed my point of view because now I know how hard someone works and how tired they must be from what they do. Before I thought my mom was exaggerating and dramatic about how tired she was and how much her legs hurt but after I went to work with her for one day I was very tired and I didn't even do everything she does and that shows how tired I get from working half of what she does. I'm grateful for her getting me into this new school because she went from place to place dropping papers off and in the car so she used a lot of gas and that isn't cheap so I'm grateful because she also spent money.

These are the reasons I'm grateful for my mom because she does so much for me and I appreciate it a lot. Now I am and will be grateful for whatever I get for my birthday, christmas etc. I am grateful for my mom and for my family because they all work hard to give me something.