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The Little Big Things

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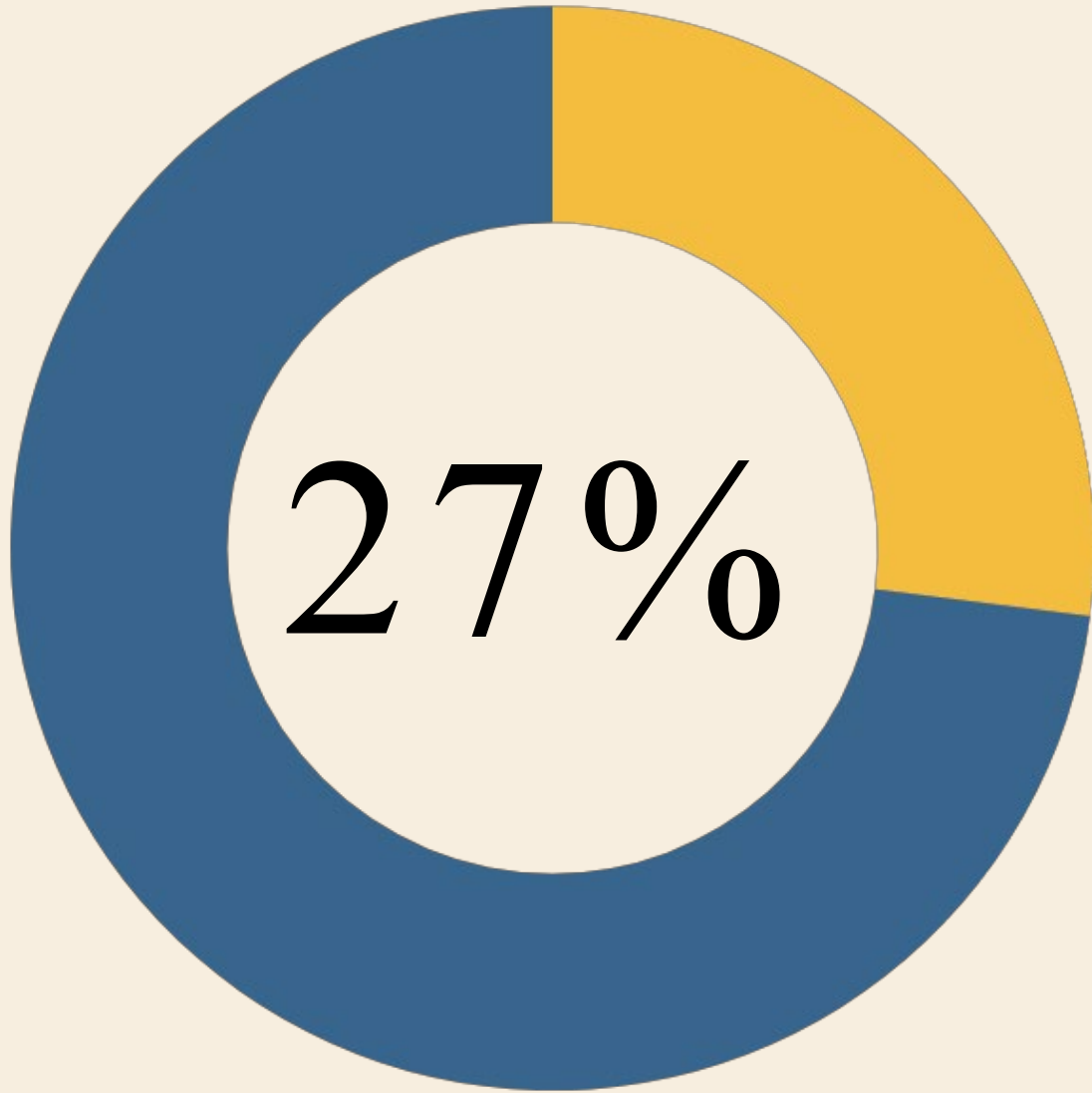
GROUP
DISCUSSION:
Who was
your favorite
teacher and
why?

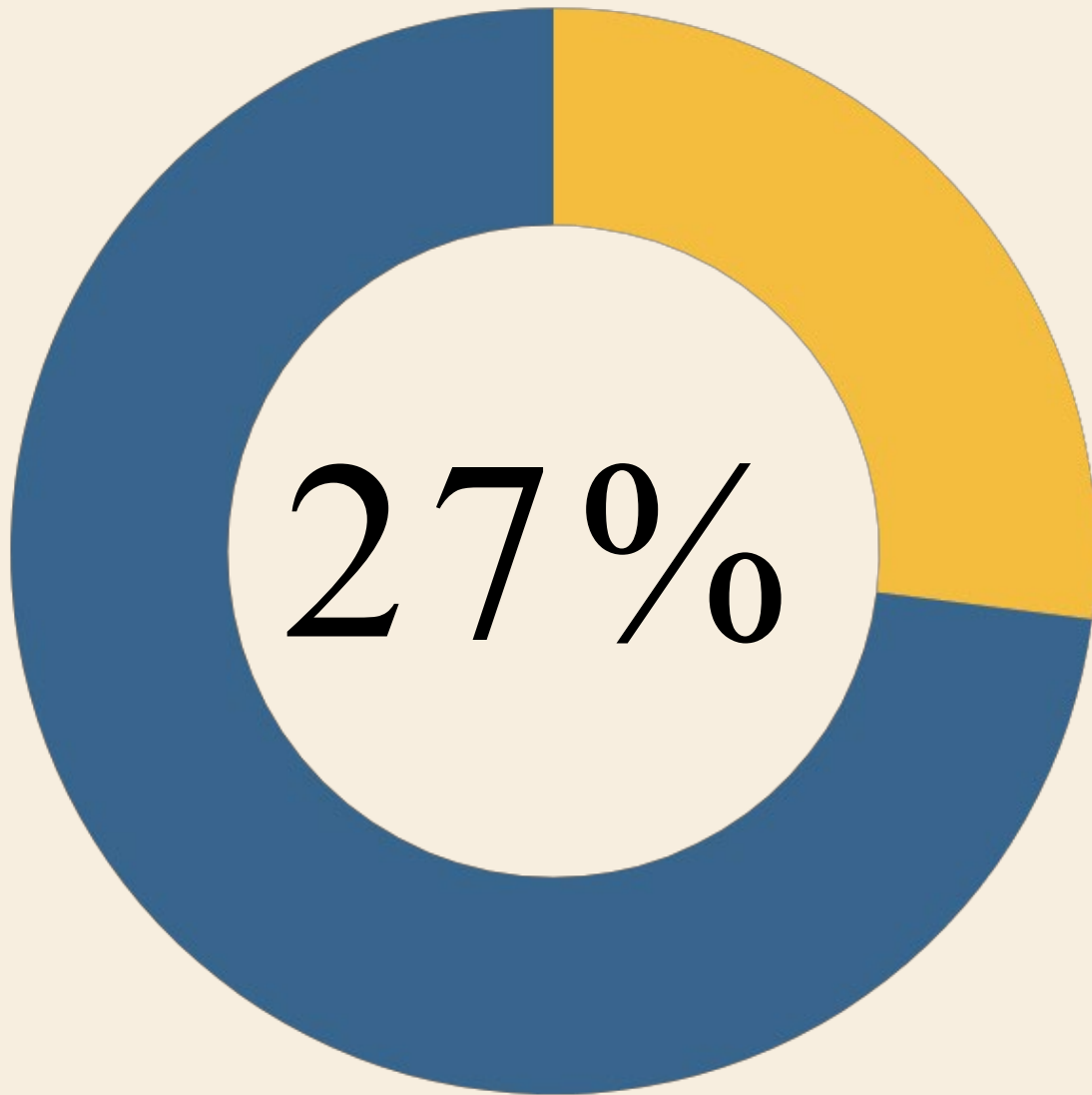
MY FAVORITE TEACHERS

From left to right:
Ms. Loveluck
Mrs. Milligan
Mr. Mackenzie



Hypothesis:
The Little Big
Things matter
more than we
realize

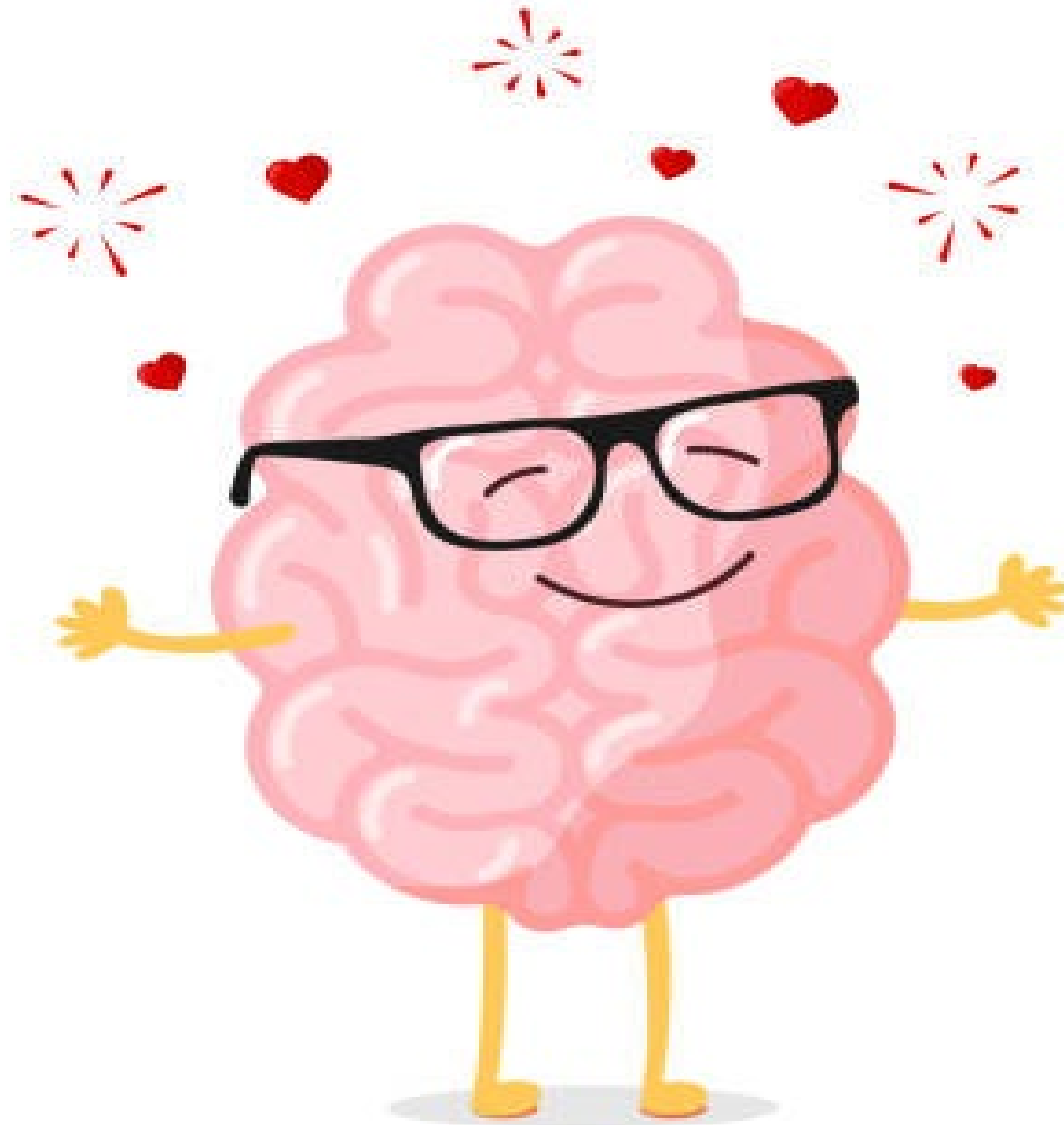




The percentage of students that strongly agree with the statement:
“My professors cared about me as a person.”

Source: Gallup - Purdue, 2014

The
Science of The
Little Big Things

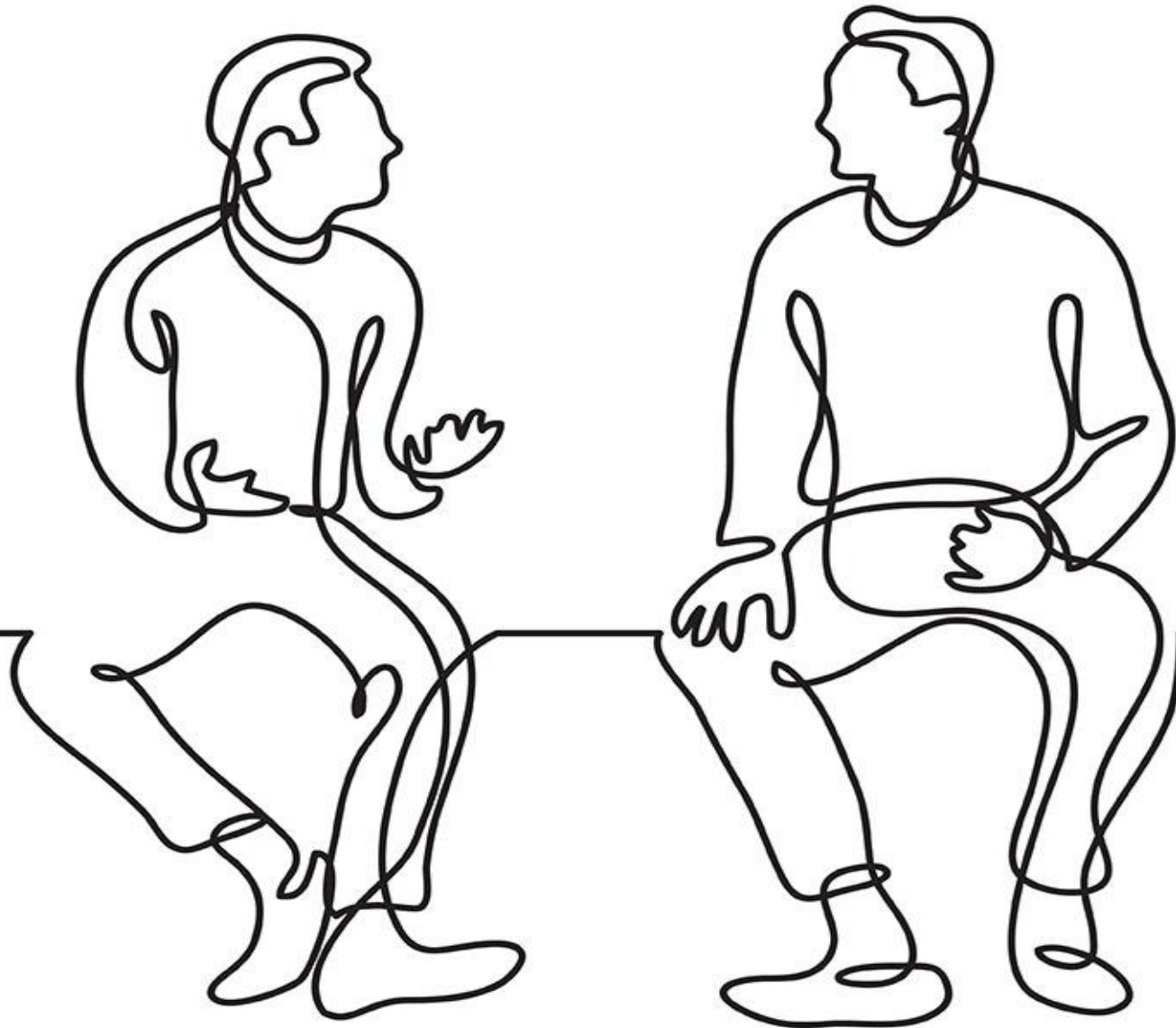




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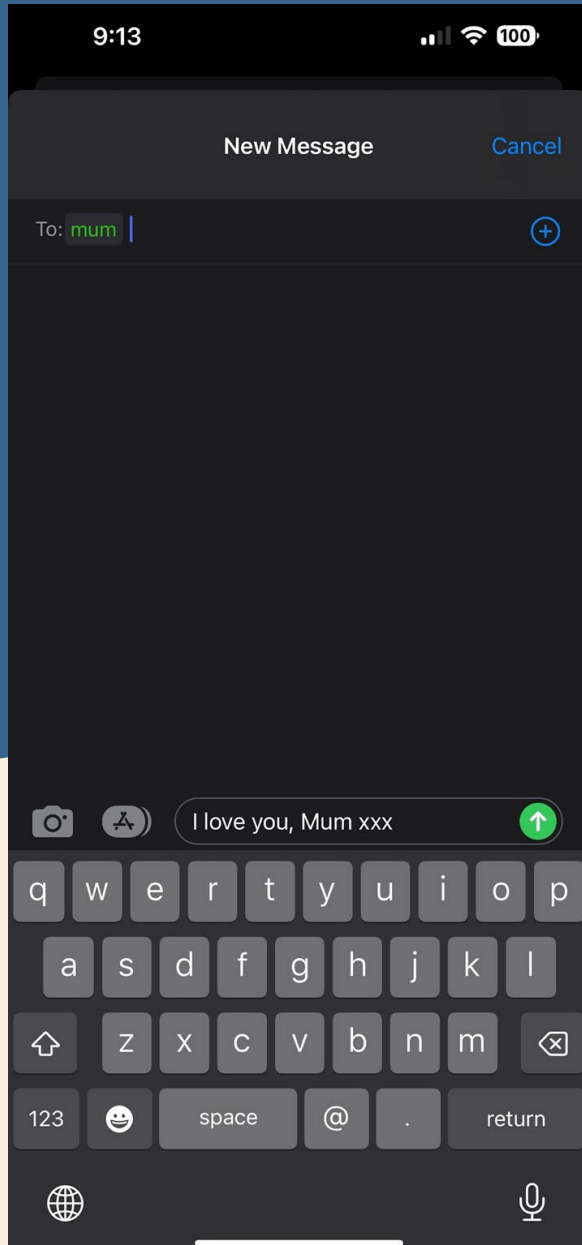






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The Little Big Things Experiment

Please text
something nice to
someone. Anyone
you like!

Good news!
Anyone can
do a Little
Big Thing

The Little Big
Things:
Let's Practice

Turn around!

1. Make eye contact with the people around you
2. Now smile at the people around you
3. Now say hi to the people around you
4. Now say hi and give a compliment to the people around you

The Little Big
Things:
Guiding
Principles



Give

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Give



Up lift

Give

Up lift

Validate

The Little Big
Things:
Grand
Experiment


Look at the card you were given.
Your color circle is your grand
experiment.



Experiment 1:
\$20 to pay it
forward

Experiment 2:
Read *The
Power
of Kindness*

Experiment 3:
Do a Little Big
Thing



GROUP
BRAINSTORM:
Suggest a Little
Big Thing anyone
can do.

Proof:
The Little Big
Things matter

Your Turn! Feel free to comment in the space below on any aspects of this course.

The Best teacher
She saved me
From committing
suicide

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Questions?

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Thank you!

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