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Proverbial Advice Desk

Directions: Read each letter below from someone asking for help. Write a short response that includes a **proverb or saying** as advice. Be sure your proverb fits the situation and explains the lesson clearly.

1. Dear Advice Desk,

I worked really hard on a group project, but my teammates didn't do much. Now they'll get the same grade as me, and it feels unfair. What should I do?

- Frustrated Student

2. Dear Advice Desk,

I posted a silly photo online, and now people won't stop teasing me. I wish I could take it back. Any wisdom for handling my mistake?

- Regretful Poster

3. Dear Advice Desk,

My best friend and I both tried out for the same play. I got the lead role, and now she's barely talking to me. How can I fix things?

- Lonely Lead

4. Dear Advice Desk,

I keep rushing through my homework so I can play video games. Later, I find tons of mistakes and lose points. How can I stop this bad habit?

- Speedy Student

5. Dear Advice Desk,

There's a new kid at school who's quiet and dresses differently. Everyone laughs at him, but I'm not sure if I should speak up. What do you think?

- Conflicted Classmate