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My name is Ismail Ilgun and I am 22 years old. My roots are Turkish, but I was born in the Netherlands. I was a big fan of creating and watching content YouTube. I started of with watching and years later i started creating myself. I first started in English, that was because everyone understands English and at that time YouTube wasn't really known in Holland!

I gave up cuz i didn't work out. Later that year I started again and quitted 6 months later. 4 years went by and it was killing me everyday. It was my dream to become a YouTuber. I hated the fact that i gave up! So I bought a camera and I just started filming me and my friends and before we knew we became famous all over Holland. We came on the news for 5 weeks straight. Everyday we were on the cover of the newspaper. The news on tv. I became famous and not in a positive way. My life became a rollercoaster. From that day on, I decided to change my life and started working on myself. Not my image, but myself. 3 years later, I became a whole different man.

MANIFESTO

Rebellious teaching sounds very rough to me. It comes over very hard. Being harsh on people isn't good. I don't think it will help the students, because I believe that it will open up their ego even more and enhances the feeling they don't want to let the teacher walk over them. It has something to do with proud.

Try to teach in a sweet way and be patient. Teaching people how not to be, should be done in the opposite way. So don't be rebellious in teaching a rebellious student. Be sweet. That's true rebellion.



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Especially in my experience, I have done a lot of bad things. I have behaved bad and I can remember some teachers had a lot of patience. Now if I look back, I think: well done, the fact that you could

hold and handle yourself is very admirable. That is indeed something special and you earn my respect.

Sometimes being patient doesn't pay off right away, you will see the good side of it later. Maybe you won't see it, but the students will. Students look back and the first thing they remember is the good and the bad teacher. The teachers that were to chilliest are the good ones, the teacher that were too hard were the bad ones.

Teaching is giving people knowledge. That knowledge can do a lot and teachers are everywhere. Look at Malcom X, Nelson Mandela, Tupac. They were strong in their storytelling and bringing over their message. Knowledge can change the world. I think it is very important to not teach only things about numbers and words. But also about the world, how hard is it. I've been on the street a lot. The most things I've been through and had to handle, I didn't learn at school.

Don't only be teacher, but also be a life coach. Don't see them as students, see them as the people that are going to change the future. Try to create a relationship with every student, listen to them. Try to understand them, listen to their problems.

Students need a listening ear. Be that ear. We can talk a lot and tell them everything, but teaching isn't everything. Listening is just as important. We have 2 ears and 1 mouth. That means more listening and less talking.