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Outside of the requirements of my faith or religion, in the last year, I have supported my African community in the following ways.

I have played in two football teams, my school team, and a local team called Lewisham Youth, I am very competitive and I always play to the best of my ability.

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**Happiness**

The things that make me ecstatic are, playing football and various other sports, playing board games such as scrabble and monopoly, playing video games, socialising with my friends, playing with my two brothers, when I am at school (not always), when it is my birthday, when it is Christmas, and when the people around me are happy.

The things that make me unhappy are, when I or someone close to me gets hurt, or even worst, dies; when something bad happens to someone close to me and when the people around me are unhappy.

A professional footballer is what I aspire to be. It has been my ambition since I was very little. My favourite team is Barcelona, one day I will play for Barcelona. Whilst being a footballer I want use some of the money that I earn to give to charity, to start a successful business, and to build a big house of course. I want to become a footballer because I enjoy playing it and I think that I am an excellent football player. I want to start a successful business because many teachers have said that I am intelligent and I want to use that intelligence. I also want to have a beautiful wife and children.

To prepare myself, so that when I am an adult I will be in a good position to be happy, I will work hard at school so I learn the skills that are required to become a successful businessman and I will try hard to become an even better footballer. I will also try to be as kind as possible so that when I become an adult, people will hopefully be kind to me. I will not be a very happy adult if most people detest me and are rude to me. Also, I don’t want to wake up one day as a miserable old man with no friends.

I care whether the people around and closest to me are happy or not, because, I find it extremely difficult to be joyful when they are dismal. Their mood affects mine a lot. For example if they are dejected I am more likely to also be dejected.

If I could have one wish and that wish couldn’t involve the whole world, just a small amount of people, I would wish that my family and the people closest to me would remain happy until the days of their deaths. That would be my wish because, that would make me incredibly jovial.