



Kids Talk about Homework Support

Geneviève Perrault, a volunteer at Anne-Hébert primary school in Quebec City, asked Vanessa (4th grade) and Camille (3rd grade) what they thought of the homework club run by Frontier College and its volunteers.

Here is what these two students had to say:

Vanessa: "I like homework support because I get to finish my homework from school, but also because we laugh. We learn things and volunteers learn things too."

Camille: "We have fun, we meet people, and even if the volunteer is older, it doesn't matter because she knows more things and more jokes."

Vanessa: "At home, I have to wait before I get help because of my little brother who is two years younger than me."

Camille: "I like the surprises we get at the end of the homework session."

Vanessa: "I like to read a story when the volunteer brings books."

And our volunteer adds: "After ten years of volunteering for a helpline offering listening for adults experiencing difficulties, I find it very refreshing to work with kids. I am particularly lucky since both young girls are smart and bubbly."