

## 杜賓犬反賄選

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天氣：陰天



今天是選班級幹部的日子，一早我們班的梁珍妮（她是校董的女兒，大家都暱稱她小公主）

賣力拉票，她說：「我爸說誰投我當班長，放學後就可以到雜貨店領禮物。」天啊！她這種用利益換選票的行為根本就是賄選嘛，我對這種行為很不以為然，但是其他同學看起來都滿開心的。

我轉頭問小雲有什麼看法（她跟杜賓犬從小一起長大，





我跟她也成了好朋友)，她毫不猶豫的說：「我不可能被她的禮物收買。」我正想稱讚她為人正直時，她補了一句：「除非她送我現金。」我嘆了口氣轉頭回來坐好。

投票時，除了我之外的同學全都一面倒的投給小公主，所以她順利的當選了班長。放學後，同學們湧入雜貨店領賞，我站在門口看熱鬧，正巧遇到杜賓犬，於是我就把小公主賄選的事一五一十的告訴他。

杜賓犬緊盯店門口，正巧看到小雲拿著鈔票走出來，他衝過去質問：「妳怎能收這種錢？」只見小雲手上緊緊的擰著鈔票，她低頭小聲的說：「小公主答應給我現金，這樣我媽就不用擔心沒錢買鞋給弟弟穿了……」

杜賓犬生氣的說：「妳不知道她買票是不對的嗎？妳收了錢就成了共犯！」說完他便一把將她手上的鈔票抽走，小雲著急的想搶回來，卻敵不過他的力氣，她眼淚奪眶而出，指著杜賓犬腳上那雙嶄新的球鞋哭著說：「你從來不愁沒鞋子穿，怎麼可能了解我這種心情……」

杜賓犬一言不發，板著臉把錢拿去還給小公主，留下我和小雲站在店門口。雖然明知道賄選是不對的，但我一想到小雲家很窮苦，就忍不住同情起她來……

P. S.

選班級幹部時，一定要投認真做事的人，而不是投送你東西或金錢的人喔！



# DOBERMAN REJECTS ELECTION BRIBE

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Thu.

Weather : Cloudy



Today is the class leader election day. Jenny Liang (she is the school manager's daughter nicknamed "Little Princess") has been busy

soliciting votes in my class since morning. She said: "My dad said whoever voted for me as class captain can receive a gift in the grocery store after school. " Gosh! This is simply vote bribing. I don't like it much but other kids seem pretty happy.

I turned around and asked Hsiaoyun what she thinks (she grew up together with Doberman and became my good friend). She never hesitated: "I'll never be bribed by her gift." I was





ready to complement her when she added: "Unless the gift is cash." I sighed and turned back to my seat.

During the voting, everyone voted for the Little Princess except for myself. So she was successfully elected as the class leader. After school, everyone poured into the grocery store to receive their gifts. I was watching the crowd when I met Doberman. So I told him about the election bribe.

Doberman saw Hsiaoyun walking out the store with cash. He confronted her: "How can you accept this kind of money?" Hsiaoyun held on to the cash, looked down, and whispered: "Little Princess agreed to give me money. Now mom has money to buy shoes for my little brother..."

Doberman said angrily: "Didn't you know election bribe is wrong? You've become an accomplice by taking the money!" Doberman then took the money from her. Hsiaoyun rushed to get it back, but wasn't strong enough. She cried and pointed at Doberman's new tennis shoes: "How can you understand? You never have to worry about shoes...."

Doberman frowned and returned the money back to Little Princess while we stood in front of the store. Although I know election bribe is wrong, I can't help but sympathize with Hsiaoyun once I think about her poor family....

**P.S.**

When selecting class leaders, you should select those who take their duties seriously instead of giving you gifts or money!

