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 IF I COULD INVENT SOMETHING NEW

If I could invent something new, I would invent a device that can make the speech impaired people (dumb) talk.These are people who cannot express themselves orally. This impairment may be temporary or permanent. This device, which I call “The Speech Indulcer” would read their minds and write on it screen what they would like to say. The machine would serve as a positive impact to speech impaired people. It will helps them not to feel bad when others are expressing their minds freely through speaking.

Firstly, why have I chose to invent the device? There is a boy living with his parents in our estate whose name is “Habeeb”. Habeeb is a nice, caring and brave boy who always respect young and adults, but cannot talk. Habeeb is mostly stigmatized by some of his classmates just because of his health problem. Due to the stigmatization, he dropped out of school. His classmates always bully him because they know he cannot express his feelings and report to their class teacher.

Secondly is the importance of the device ; the Speech Indulcer”. The speech indulcer will provide so many benefits to the speech impaired people. With the machine, the stigmatization will reduce on the speech impaired people. They will be able to express their feelings.

Also, they will be able to feel belong in the society for they will be able to express their thoughts just like every other person. Educationally, the machine will assist in improving their level of connectivity in the class thereby increasing their educational output.

Generally, I will like to advise the public not to stigmatize the speech impaired people because we don’t know what will happen later in the future. Some speech impaired people kill themselves because of the stigmatization they have been going through which is not supposed to end like that. There is a proverb that states “WHEN THERE IS LIFE, THERE IS HOPE”.

In conclusion, the Speech Inducler which I would love to invent will serve as a benefit for the speech impaired people not to lose their hope of getting to talk again.

Meanwhile, I will advise the speech impaired people not to misuse the disability by engaging in any bad act in an attempt to prevent the stigmatization and bullying on them. If I could invent something new, I would invent a speech indulcer machine to help the speech impaired people against the pain they are facing and the stigmatization on them.