# hy my Mom is specia Letters from the winners of the

Acton BIA writing contest

My Mom is the best because... she built a swing for me. Brandon Senior Kindergarten Class, Robert Little Public School

Why my Mom is the best in the World!

I think my mom is the best in the world because

she raised me as a child when my mom had alcohol

problems. Also I think my mom is the best because

she puts me in activities like soccer, hockey, lacrosse,

swim team, swim lessons and Brownies I love when

my mom does that. My mom is the best in the world

because she volunteers with school trips, like the

butter fly musuem or when she came in our class for

ginger bread houses. My mom is also the best in the

world because she does chores around the house like dishes or laundry. She also lets me watch T.V. at night and lets me stay up late, also lets people sleepover.

My mom is also the best because she takes me places

like Florida, Disney, sports world and Canada's Won-

derland. She helps me with home work. She helps me

when I'm hart like when I fell off my bike or when I

fell off the monkey bars the first day of kinder

garden and had to get stiches. I love my mom!

Taylor, Age 8

#### My Mom is the best because... she is my best friend.

Senior Kindergarten, Robert Little Public School

#### Why my Mom is the best in the World!

My mom is the best in the whole world because when my dad is in the forest of B.C planting trees my mom takes me on lots of trips to take my mind off of him. When my dad is still in Ontario my mom takes me to visit him. My mom helps me when I'm hurt because when I fell on te driveway and scraped

my knee she put a band-aid on my cut and I felt better. When I am down she gives me treats to cheer me up like stickers or crayons maybe some bubble gum or candy if I'm lucky! Also when I'm frustrated she explains things to me I don't understand. When there is no one to play with my mom plays with me and we have lots of fun before we can play I have to do my home work. When it's to hard she helps me. In the summer time I have swimming lessons. My mom pays for my lessons and I like that. But the best thing of all is she loves me!

> Tahira Age 8

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# Notable uotes

"God could not be everywhere and therefore he made mothers." - Jewish proverb

"The mother's heart is the child's schoolroom." - Henry Ward Beecher

'All that I am or ever hope to be, I owe to my angel Mother." - Abraham Lincoln

A mother's yearning feels the presence of the cherished child even in the degraded man. - George Eliot

Let France have good mothers, and she will have good sons. - Napoleon Bonaparte

That best academy, a mother's knee. - James Russell Lowell

Whatever else is unsure in this stinking dunghill of a world a mother's love is not. - James Joyce

"Of all the rights of women, the greatest is to be a mother. - Lin Yutang

A mother is a person who seeing there are only four pieces of pie for five people, promptly announces she never did care for pie. - *Tenneva* Jordan

"Only mothers can think of the future – because they give birth to it in their children. - Maxim Gorky

A mother had a slender, small body, but a large heart - a heart so large that everybody's grief and everybody's joy found welcome in it, and hospitable accommodation. - Mark Twain

A mother understands what a child does not say. - Jewish



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