

Pay It Forward

In the popular book and movie, *Pay It Forward*, 12-year-old Trevor McKinney gets a challenging assignment from his social studies teacher.

Think of an idea for world change, and put it into practice! Trevor came up with an idea that fascinated his mother, his teacher, and his classmates.

He suggested that he would do something really good for three people. Then when they would ask how they can pay him back for the good deeds, he would tell them to “pay it forward” – each doing something good for three other people.

Trevor figured that those three people would do something good for a total of nine others. Those nine would do something good for 27 others, and so on. He was sure that before long there would be good things happening to billions of people all around the world.

