

Agreement	Disagreement
<p>I agree they can do cool stuff.</p> <p>I totally get that</p> <p>Yeah, that's true.</p> <p>Exactly!</p> <p>I agree</p> <p>Yeah, that's a great advantage.</p>	<p>But there are also some downsides.</p> <p>I see your point, but...</p> <p>That's true, but...</p>

Arrange the events in order.

Answer:

1. Ricky's parents purchase the butler robot.
2. Ricky's mother gives him chores to do around the house.
3. Ricky wakes up to find his room perfectly clean and tidy.
4. Ricky searches for his missing T-shirt and football.
5. Ricky follows the butler robot around the house to spy on it.
6. Ricky catches the butler robot red-handed.
7. Ricky complains to his parents about the butler robot.
8. Ricky becomes ashamed of how he treated his belongings.
9. Ricky starts taking better care of his possessions.
10. Ricky decides to become a 'Maximum Efficiency Boy'.

b. Write a paragraph using the events described above.

Ricky's parents bought a butler robot. Ricky's mother gives him chores to do around the house. One morning Ricky woke up and found his room perfectly clean and tidy. But soon he realised that his favourite T-shirt and football were missing. He searched for his missing T-shirt and football everywhere. He followed the butler robot around the house to spy on it. Ricky caught the butler robot red-handed. Ricky complained to his parents about the butler robot. Ricky becomes ashamed of how he treated his belongings. Ricky started taking better care of his possessions. Ricky decided to become a 'Maximum Efficiency Boy'.

4. “Here, sir. I did not know it was bothering you.” What does the robot mean?

Robot had seen Ricky's things lying scattered on the floor. It was thought that he did not need them. The robot was programmed to collect all that was not wanted. The robot didn't know that taking Ricky's belongings was bothering him.

5. What changes came about in Ricky's behaviour?

Ricky was ashamed. Ricky decided to become a ‘Maximum Efficiency Boy’. He put real care into how he treated his things. He kept them tidy and made sure he didn't have more than what was necessary. And he took a leaf out of the robot's book. With his pocket money, he began to help people and buy needful things for them.

Before	After
Ricky was messy and careless.	Ricky became more careful of his belongings.
He just threw his belongings all over the place without caring.	He started to keep his room neat and tidy.
He cared for nothing.	He began to help people and buy needful things for them.
Ricky complains to his parents about the butler robot.	Ricky becomes ashamed of how he treated his belongings.
He was slovenly in his habits	He became a 'Maximum Efficiency Boy'.