



# Character's Bio

## Sabbih

Name:	Sabbih
Age:	11 years old
Ethnicity:	African (Afro-Shirazi people)
Nationality:	Tanzanian (Zanzibari)
Occupation:	Student in STEM

## Sabbih's Character Traits:

Sabbih is an 11-year-old girl from the village of Paje in Zanzibar, Tanzania. Her character vividly reflects ambition, determination, and a fierce passion for STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics). Sabbih's journey begins in the modest surroundings of Paje, but her aspirations extend far beyond its serene landscapes.

This young Zanzibari girl possesses a remarkable affinity for robotics and DIY projects, skills cultivated through countless hours of hard work, curiosity, and an unrelenting quest for knowledge. Her small room is adorned with posters of

renowned inventors and engineers, a testament to her unwavering dedication to the sciences.

Sabbih's daily life revolves around her studies and experiences with robotic devices she constructs from spare parts. Despite the limited resources in her village, she demonstrates an exceptional ability to improvise and innovate.

One of Sabbih's most admirable qualities is her resilience. She faces financial obstacles that would discourage many, yet she remains indomitable. Recognizing her potential, her family rallies behind her with unwavering support. Her parents, in particular, encourage her at every step, nurturing her dreams and providing the emotional foundation she needs to keep moving forward.

Sabbih's determination to attend the prestigious STEM school in Stone Town is her driving force. She sees it as the gateway to realizing her dream of becoming a robotics engineer. Her enthusiasm, combined with her impressive skills, makes her a budding prodigy.

In "Le Monde de Sabbih," readers will follow her journey through academic challenges, financial constraints, and societal expectations. Her character serves as an inspiration, demonstrating that with determination, passion, and a strong support system, one can overcome any obstacle to reach for the stars.



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## Muhamed

<b>Name:</b>	Muhamed
<b>Age:</b>	20 years old
<b>Ethnicity:</b>	African (Afro-Shirazi people)
<b>Nationality:</b>	Tanzanian (Zanzibari)
<b>Occupation:</b>	Tourist Guide, Fisherman

## Muhamed's Character Traits:

Muhamed is a 20-year-old Zanzibari who plays an essential role in the life of his family and the community of Paje. He leads a versatile life as a dedicated fisherman and appreciated tour guide, emphasizing his strong work ethic, responsibility, and unwavering commitment to his loved ones.

At the age of 15, Muhamed made a significant sacrifice by leaving school to assist his family. Understanding the economic challenges they faced, he took it upon himself

**to contribute to their livelihood. This decision underscores his altruism and deep sense of responsibility, placing family above personal ambitions. Muhamed's friendly and straightforward nature endears him to villagers and tourists alike. His warm smile and welcoming attitude make him an excellent choice as a tour guide in Paje.**

**He possesses an innate knowledge of the village's history, culture, and natural beauty, which he shares enthusiastically with visitors. His ability to connect with people from diverse backgrounds and provide them with memorable experiences makes him a valuable asset to the local tourism industry. Despite the demands of his work and the rigors of fishing, Muhamed always finds time for his family.**

**He assists his parents in their fishing activities, working tirelessly to ensure their well-being. In 'Le Monde de Sabbih,' Muhamed's character represents the essence of sacrifice, family values, and community spirit. His unwavering support for Sabbih and their family is a testament to the strength of their bond, and his journey reflects the challenges and triumphs of those who work tirelessly to provide a better life for their loved ones.**





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## Fatima

Name:	Fatima
Age:	43 years old
Ethnicity:	African (Afro-Shirazi people)
Nationality:	Tanzanian
Occupation:	Seaweed Farmer

## Fatima's Character Traits:

**Fatima is a 43-year-old Tanzanian woman whose dynamic spirit and unwavering dedication serve as the cornerstone of her family's well-being. Born in the capital, Dar Es Salaam, she embarked on a life journey marked by resilience and determination, following her husband, Abu, to the peaceful village of Paje in Zanzibar.**

**Respectful, dynamic, and full of life, Fatima's personality radiates positivity and strength. She faces life's challenges with grace that inspires those around her.**

**Her deep-rooted respect for traditions and values reflects the rich cultural heritage of Tanzania.**

**Fatima's occupation as a seaweed farmer attests to her tenacity and adaptability. Engaging in the demanding work of seaweed cultivation, a crucial source of income for her family, her days are filled with caring for delicate seaweed crops, working tirelessly to ensure a bountiful harvest. This occupation demonstrates her determination to provide for her family and contribute to their well-being.**

**Her move from the bustling city to the peaceful village of Paje was a testament to her commitment to her family. She embraced this change gracefully and has since become an integral part of the close-knit community. Fatima's warm and welcoming nature has helped her forge deep connections with her neighbors, strengthening bonds within the village.**

**Fatima's role in 'Le Monde de Sabbih' is not only that of a mother but also a symbol of resilience and sacrifice. She instills in Sabbih and her family the values of hard work, respect, and the importance of community. Fatima's character embodies the strength of women facing adversity with determination, ensuring that her family thrives in the village of Paje, Zanzibar.**



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## Abu

Name:	Abu
Age:	46 ans
Ethnicity:	African (Afro-Shirazi people)
Nationality:	Tanzanian (Zanzibari)
Occupation:	Fisherman

## Abu's Character Traits:

Abu is a respected and wise 46-year-old Tanzanian man who considers the peaceful village of Paje as his home. Born and raised in Paje, he has a deep connection with the land, the sea, and the traditions of his community.

Abu's laid-back temperament and profound wisdom make him a pillar of strength and stability within his family. Naturally respectful, Abu embodies the values of his culture, displaying humility and respect for tradition. He is well-known in the village for his unwavering respect towards others, a quality that has earned him admiration and trust from his peers.

**Abu's occupation as a seaweed farmer and fisherman is not just a means of livelihood; it also reflects his commitment to provide for his family. He works alongside his wife, Fatima, demonstrating his dedication to supporting their household. His fishing skills also contribute to the family's income and sustenance.**

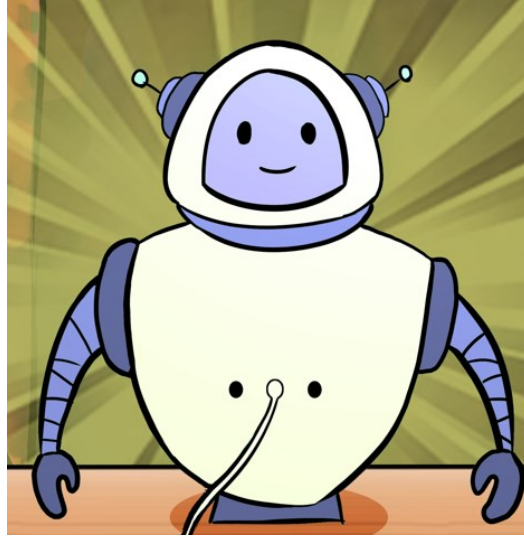
**One of Abu's most remarkable qualities is his unwavering support for his children, especially Sabbih. He recognizes the value of education and the opportunities it can bring. Sabbih holds a special place in Abu's heart, and he encourages her to pursue her dreams of becoming a robotics engineer, even if it means making personal sacrifices.**

**Abu's role in 'Le Monde de Sabbih' is that of the quiet strength. He serves as a role model for his children, instilling in them the values of hard work, respect, and the importance of family.**



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## Kabili

<b>Name:</b>	Kabili
<b>Age:</b>	N/A – Creation Date: February 20, 2022
<b>Ethnicity:</b>	N/A – Robot created by Sabbih
<b>Nationality:</b>	Tanzanian (Zanzibari)
<b>Occupation:</b>	Sabbih's Assistant

## Kabili's Character Traits:

**Kabili, whose name means 'courageous/brave' in Swahili, is an innovative creation by Sabbih, representing the convergence of her passion for robotics and DIY projects. This remarkable robot has emerged as a key figure in Sabbih's journey, shaping her destiny and drawing international attention.**

**The creation of Kabili took place during a chance encounter with 'two Canadians' (Khadydja and her sister) who visited the Paje school in 2019. Khadydja NDOYE, the author of the story, later returned to Paje School to organize the 'BIPOC IN STEAM' camp in late January 2022. Inspired by Sabbih's dedication and ingenuity,**

**Khadydja provided invaluable advice and resources to bring Kabili to life. With her mentorship, Sabbih designed a robot that embodies not only advanced engineering but also the spirit of African innovation.**

**As Sabbih's constant companion and assistant, Kabili plays a crucial role in her journey. Beyond its technical skills, Kabili symbolizes the power of STEM education to empower young minds in Africa and beyond. The robot assists Sabbih in her experiments and even serves as an ambassador for her STEM initiatives. Kabili's impact extends well beyond the borders of Tanzania.**

**Newspapers across the continent and the world have praised Sabbih's achievements, with Kabili at the forefront of these accolades. The robot and its creator have become synonymous with the potential of African innovation in the STEM field. In addition to its role as Sabbih's companion, Kabili is at the heart of a transformative mission.**

**Alongside Sabbih, they work on building STEM schools across Africa. These institutions aim to provide young minds with access to quality STEM education, contributing to closing the gap in educational opportunities on the continent. The character of Kabili in 'Le Monde de Sabbih' is emblematic of the power of determination, mentorship, and the potential of STEM education to shape the future of Africa. As Sabbih's creation and partner, Kabili not only assists in her journey but also inspires many others to pursue their passions and dreams in the field of science and technology.**



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