

Timeline Project

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At the age of seven, children should be able to use a vocabulary of several thousand words, use serious, logical thinking that is thoughtful and reflective. They should be able to understand reasoning and make the right decision, and tends to worry about things while having strong emotional reactions to things.

Even though I was not directly impacted by the events on September 11, 2001, I think everyone will always remember that day and the tragedy. I was a 7-year-old girl, sitting in my first grade classroom. Everyone was staring at the television screen in the corner of the room in silence. At the time I don't think any of us students fully understood what was going on, but we have suffered the effects of it from there on out. At the age of seven I knew right from wrong, and I definitely understood that this act on this day was absolutely wrong. The security went up tremendously, not only in airports, but also in school systems. Improvements in school security and emergency preparedness went up a lot and made it so everyone was a little more ready just in case something horrific did end up happening.

Even though I was not old enough to understand all of the impacts of the terrorist attacks of September 11th, I was old enough to understand that it was not okay and I am now old enough to understand the impacts of it today.