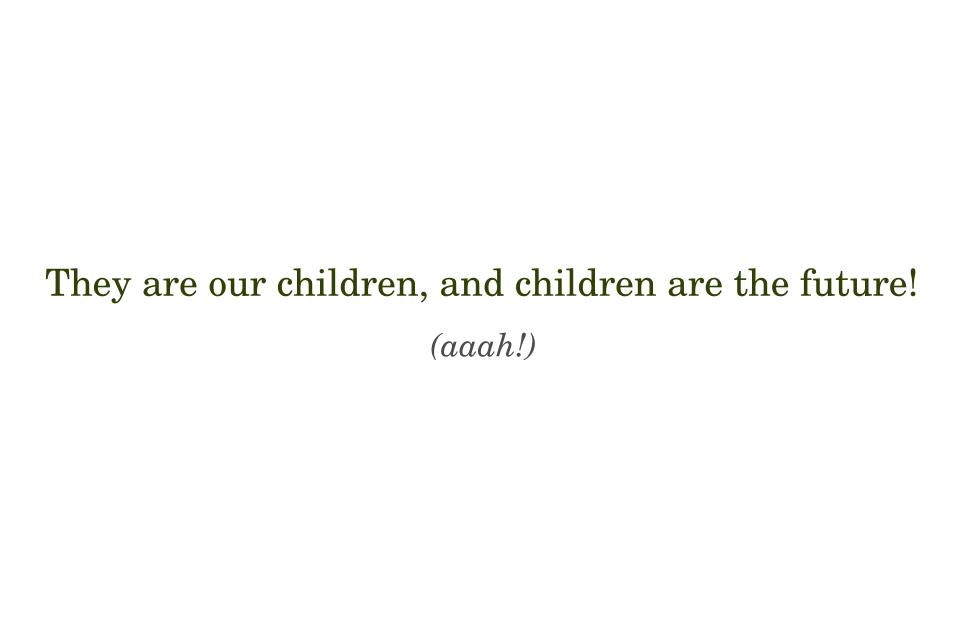
Does the Semantic Web Need Ontologies?

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Yes!



But we are like neglectful parents!



Come and meet the children...

Welcome to Ontology High School

Motto: Cave canem



intelligence





science!





What about the regular kids?



Neglected!

No real home to go to (have to sleep rough at universities)



VoCamps created to provide emergency care





The kids need guidance

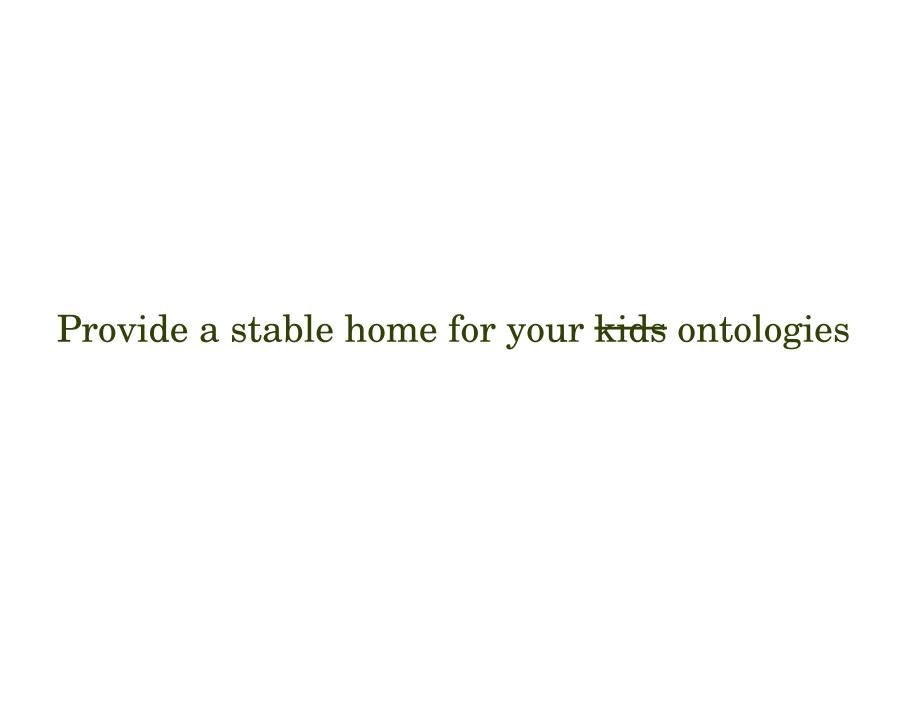


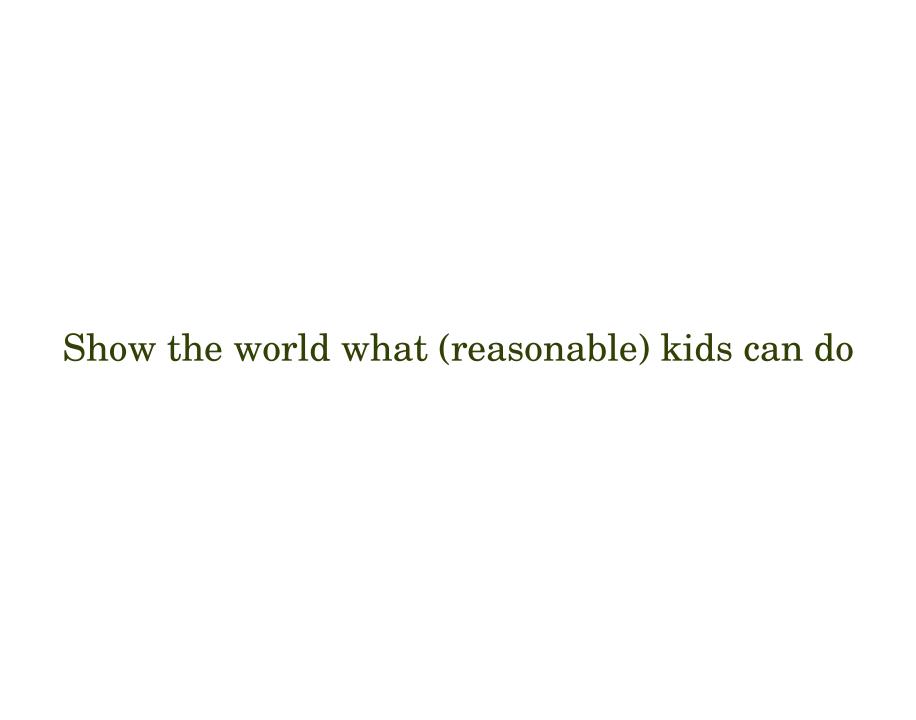
What will they do when they grow up?



The world doesn't care what the kids can do because no-one has showed them

Take-home Messages





Thank you