

Six Year Old Kid Orders \$1,000 Worth of Food Deliveries

VOCABULARY WORDS

1. Feast (Noun) /fi:st/ a large meal, typically eaten as part of a celebration
Example: The family loves having a feast specially when there are special occasions.
2. Series (Noun) /'sɪri:z/ a number of related objects, events, etc. coming one after another
Example: The couple decided to sell their house after a series of unfortunate events that happened in it.
3. Unexpected (Adjective) /ˌʌnɪk'spektɪd/ not considered likely to happen or be the case
Example: Her reaction to her disqualification in the contest was very much unexpected.
4. Delivery (Noun) /dɪ'lɪvəri:/ the act of bringing letters, parcels, etc. somewhere
Example: There was a tremendous increase with the profit of delivery service companies during the pandemic.
5. Realize (Verb) /'ri:ə,laɪz/ to understand a fact or situation, sometimes suddenly
Example: People have to realize the importance of taking care of our environment.
6. Repay (Verb) /rɪ'peɪ/ to pay back a loan or money one has borrowed
Example: She needs to repay her loan otherwise debt collectors will go after her.



A Michigan man says he had to pay a \$1,000 bill after his 6-year-old son ordered a feast from several restaurants leading to a series of unexpected deliveries. Keith Stonehouse said the food started arriving at his home one Saturday night after he let his son, Mason, use his cellphone to play a game. Instead the boy used his father's Grubhub app to order food from one restaurant after another.

Keith Stonehouse was alone with his son while his wife was at the movies when Mason ordered jumbo shrimp, salads, cheese fries and other foods that one Grubhub driver after another delivered to their home. Stonehouse said it took the arrival of a few orders of food for him to realize what was happening. By that time, there was nothing he could do to stop it.

The boy's mother, Kristin Stonehouse, told The Associated Press that she and her husband told Mason what he did was like stealing. To make him understand, she and her

husband took Mason's birthday money from his piggy bank, telling him it would help to repay them. However, the boy then found a coin on the floor and said he could start saving again.

Keith Stonehouse said most of the food went into the family's refrigerators and he also invited some neighbors over to eat some of it. He recommends parents make sure important apps are not available for children when they're using a parent's phone. And he's changing his password.

DISCUSSION

1. If you had \$1,000 to spend at any restaurant, which would you choose?
2. How often do you get food delivered to your home?
3. What were you like when you were 6? Did you often get in trouble?
4. Which of your friends or siblings was the biggest troublemaker growing up?
5. Were your parents strict when you were growing up?