

Letter and Response from Letters to a Young Brother

(Letters to a Young Brother written by Hill Harper)

Hey Hill,

How come when I sit in the front of the classroom and ask questions, my boyz punk me and say I'm trying to be the teacher's pet?

Young Brother

Dear Young Brother,

My advice to you would be to pick which pet you wanna be and continue to ask your questions. Personally I would choose to be a lion. What better pet to be than the king of the jungle? And not too many people I know would choose to punk a lion. The lion is a natural born leader and king. And when did getting an education become uncool? Continue to ask your questions and give your answers because if you don't, what will you learn? And trust me, those who "punked" you for doing so will be the "punks" in life for not doing so. Knowledge and education is power; the more you have, the more powerful you'll be. Now take that back to the jungle and be king!

Be a lion,

Anthony