I've heard the word "hero" so many times. It was mainly used towards people who commit various heroic actions. For example, a policeman who rescues ordinary people from criminals is called a hero; a veteran who participated in war events is called a hero.

As for me, the notion of a hero is a bit different. Of course, I agree that all people who are noticed in heroism are heroes and deserve respect. However, I have my own hero who is neither a policeman, nor a veteran, and yet I like the characteristics that he has.

I should mention that my hero is my dad. He is a collector in a bank by profession and in my opinion what he does deserves respect and admiration. Every day he risks his life transporting a huge amount of money to all corners of Moscow. I'm very proud of that. Speaking of his personality traits, I should mention he's got a strong will, persistence and sharp mind. At the same time he is rather confident, fearless and optimistic. Whenever I'm down or in bad mood he cheers me up and encourages for the new achievements. His colleagues also respect and admire him.

Summing up, I can say that hero for me is a person who does something socially useful and has positive inner world. And all this easily applies to my father, which is why I think he is a true hero.

When I grow up I hope to become as professional as him, even if it will involve a different field.