

Great Classroom Idea



Grade level: Elementary/Middle School

Subject (if applicable): Classroom Mgt

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| <input type="checkbox"/> lesson plan | <input type="checkbox"/> project-based teaching/activity idea |
| <input type="checkbox"/> technology integration idea | <input type="checkbox"/> graphic organizer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> integration of faith and learning idea | <input type="checkbox"/> webquest |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> classroom management technique | <input type="checkbox"/> virtual field trip |
| <input type="checkbox"/> devotional | <input type="checkbox"/> bulletin board idea |
| <input type="checkbox"/> science demo or experiment | <input type="checkbox"/> critical thinking strategy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> assessment tool | <input type="checkbox"/> original classroom game |
| <input type="checkbox"/> relationship-building idea | <input type="checkbox"/> other: _____ |

Description: (attach supplementary materials if needed)

I inherited a poster in my classroom that includes two class rules:

1. You may not stop the teacher from teaching
2. You may not stop the students from learning

This poster reminds all of us of our purpose in working together.

11 Kings 4 and Prophets and Kings pp. 235-236 clearly sets limits on misbehaviour by our youth. We need to set firm boundaries, especially on those few students who continually sabotage the work place.

Team up with another teacher to arrange an alternative setting for a child who is behaving too irresponsibly to remain in your classroom. This could be for a morning, a day, or even a week if early efforts have failed to bring an improvement.

Reteach students that while school is a right, having a reserved seat in your room is a privilege. Those students who do want to learn will appreciate knowing that you value them and their right desires.

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