

Great Classroom Idea



Grade level: Elementary/Middle School

Subject (if applicable): All

Please check all that apply:

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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 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> other: <u>interactive theme day</u> |

Description: (attach supplementary materials if needed)

A Day in the life of...

This is a cross-curricular idea where you take any subject (i.e., History - "The Victorians") and create a whole theme day. Teachers are dressed as characters from that time period. You would plan food and artifacts and lots of interactive activities all related to a theme. It is a hands-on, kinaesthetic experience for students to take part in. You can also get local drama groups who may be able to come in and perform short pieces related to the theme. Students remember these days in the same form as an "in-house field day."

Exciting, fun, dynamic, and educationally stimulating!

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