

CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT PLAN

Greetings! My 3 goals for you are to: 1) reach your potential, 2) pass my class, and 3) have a memorable experience with literature. Following my 3 simple rules below will guarantee your success in these endeavors.

1. Respect yourself, classmates, and me.

Discussion:

Mutual respect between parties leads to listening, listening leads to cooperation, cooperation leads to teamwork, and teamwork leads to achieving goals. If you don't respect yourself, your classmates, and me as your teacher it will be impossible for us to work together. Respect comes in many different forms; here are a few: politeness, assertiveness, tact, understanding, compassion, trustworthiness, following established rules, and devotion.

2. Show up, and be on time.

Discussion:

In order for me to give you 100%, you need to be in class during every scheduled session; the sessions you are absent make it impossible for me to teach you during that time. In order for you to take advantage of every learning opportunity and assessment you need to be in class every scheduled session. Punctuality and timeliness will also be essential in your future beyond my class and your high school experience. For the rest of your life you will have to be somewhere at some designated time. *Now* is the time to develop the habit of showing up and being on time.

3. Give your best effort.

Discussion:

Giving your best effort will result in a number of positives. First, you are infinitely more

likely to reach your potential. Next, by giving your best effort you will be doing the things that need to be done in order to succeed in this class, and you will be taking care of Rules 1 and 2 above. Finally, it will make your classroom experience more meaningful. If you are giving your best effort I will notice it.

*My promise to you:

I will follow my own rules above by: 1) treating myself, your classmates, and you with respect, 2) showing up and being on time, and 3) giving you my best effort.

*Of particular interest to me is class participation; everyone benefits from a class of participants.

Let's have a great year at P. K. Yonge!

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