

THE HAPPY CLASSROOM

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As teachers, we are bound to make the learning environment more fun and conducive to learning. We need to make the learners feel that they are enjoying learning. We need to eradicate the bad images about classroom.

How can we make our classroom happy? Making our classroom a happy one can be easy. Here are the ways.

As teachers, it can all begin with us. We can be the source of inspiration and motivation to our pupils. If we let pupils feel that they are loved and appreciated, we are slowly building an atmosphere of love and happiness.

Some children come to school with the burdens in their own homes. Some of them are so sick and tired of all those, and coming to school serves as a breather for them. If we, as teachers, can be their source of strength, it is more likely that they will enjoy schooling. Some learners even treat teachers like their own parents because they found refuge in them.

We can also make our room happy by putting decors and posters which are suitable for learning. These materials may aid our pupils recall, remember and learn the lessons. If our room has materials which can help them, then learning might be less stressful, and instead more enjoyable.

Another thing to consider is to make our classroom safe and free from distractions. Putting objects in order minimizes risk of accidents and untoward incidents. The feeling of safety makes the room more fun and favourable to our learners.

Cultivating a culture of love and harmony also makes the classroom happy. Instead of competing with each other, learners help each other in learning. With this, they feel that there is no competition among them and they can perform well, without having to outdo or surpass anybody. They also feel the sense of relief, knowing their classmates are willing to help them.

Preventing bullying and traumatic incidents is also a step to develop a happy classroom. If pupils can study and live safely and freely, they are bound to enjoy learning and are more likely to study well.

A happy classroom is not a myth. It is attainable. We just have to work it out well and live in peace and harmony with one another.

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