

MANAGING A FOURTH GRADE CLASS EFFECTIVELY

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A classroom teacher should possess the skills and qualities to teach any grade level that he or she will handle. First and foremost, neophyte or veteran teachers should have a cognizance, realization, or awareness of the different challenges that they will possibly encounter in their classroom as they finally land to the roster of classroom teachers.

Similarly, it is an irrefutable fact that every learner is unique. Every learner has an individual difference and for this consequence, the teacher must do all his best to generate a classroom environment that will be advantageous for all learners.

In a particular school setting, many are claiming that Grade Four learners are not neophyte in the school. They are midway between Grades One to Three and Grades Four to Six; in short, they belong to the Old Pro in the school. They are familiar with the school setting; the School Principal's Office, the Guidance and Counseling Office, the School Canteen, the faces of the old teachers, the grade level they teach and many more. Sometimes these give them to display a power of supremacy or being better than the learners on the lower grades. Notwithstanding these contexts, managing a Grade Four classroom is not far from managing other grade levels. wherein it is very important for a teacher to set his own goal realizing that Grade Four students are old students in the school; therefore, they are already oriented in the different learners' aspects in the school. The teacher should consider reviewing what the students already know, what more they should know about being a Grade Four student.

Mostly, the teacher should remain unyielding to his or her goals for an effective Grade Four teaching. Similarly, she must always be a role model inside and outside the classroom. This is one effective way of inculcating values to the learners' minds. Grade Four teachers must always of sense awareness of how they speak to the learners and how they act in front of them. Grade Four learners belong to the group who enjoy interesting activities. Teachers should be watchful of their needs.

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