

Classroom Behavior Guidelines:

I. In order to teach effectively, I want and need the following rules to be followed:

1. Follow my directions the first time I give them.
2. Do not speak or leave your seat unless I give you permission.
3. Keep your hands, feet, and objects to yourself.
4. No teasing, swearing, or loud noises.
5. Be ready to work when the tardy bell rings.

II. I will not tolerate any student not following my rules. I have a responsibility to each of you, and to myself, to make sure this is a classroom where we can all work free from disruptions. If any student chooses to disregard the rules, I will do the following:

1. The first time you do not follow directions, shout out, bother someone, or break any other rules, I will put your name on the board. When your name goes on the board, it means you will have to stay for detention with me, or the school's detention, for one day.
2. If you again choose to disrupt, I will put a check next to your name. One check means you will stay for detention one night and I will call your parents or guardian.
3. If you disrupt a third time, two checks next to your name, I will assign one night of detention, call your parents, and request a conference.
4. If you choose to continue disrupting, I will add another check (three checks) and you will be sent from the room to the ^{assistant} ~~vice~~ principal. (Mr. Baker).

III. If you choose to do any of the following, you will be sent to the Mr. Baker immediately:

1. Willfully or intentionally hurt someone.
2. Overtly refuse to do something.
3. Do anything to paralyze the class and stop its functioning.
4. Willfully or intentionally destroy property.

IV. I also have a responsibility to each of you to let you know that I like it when you do ~~3~~ what I want, and when you contribute to a positive classroom ~~positive~~ environment. This will be done as follows:

1. Praise - individual and class
2. Notes to your parents. I hope to send some every day. If ~~6~~ not a note, a phone call.
3. Class reward for bonus points (awarded for good behavior). The reward will be determined by me and each class.

Each of you must take these sheets home and have your parents read ~~ing~~ and sign it. Then you must return it to me.