

I have very high expectations for myself and for our classroom. On the following page you will find a list of these expectations. Each expectation has a reason that I will be happy to explain to you should you ask.

Please know that I do not feel my expectations are unreasonable or difficult to follow. I would never ask you to do something that I am not willing to do myself. They are based on best practices and are the basis for running a strong, successful department.

They allow you to be seen in a professional light by your superiors, your colleagues, and your students. I hold myself to these high standards and expect no less from you.

I understand that sometimes "life happens" and you may need to be late, or absent. You will not be reprimanded or made to feel bad. However, I do keep track of the "little things" just in case they turn into "big things." EXPECIATIONS

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Initial after each one to indicate you understand your expectations for this classroom.

I expect you to be on time.

I expect you to be at work on a regular basis.

I expect you to text me as early as possible and contact an administrator if you will be gone.

I expect you to follow cell phone and dress code policies on a daily basis.

I expect you to communicate any concerns/problems you have to me (not behind my back).

I expect you to be where you are scheduled to be and to be doing what you are scheduled to be doing at all times and to check in with me regularly.

I expect you to stay out of the 'lounge' as much as possible to avoid gossip, negative energy and the possibility of breaking confidentiality.

I expect you to keep a positive attitude and an appropriate tone of voice when dealing with colleagues and students.

I expect you to do your part to keep our classroom clean, tidy and organized.

I expect you to be flexible with your daily routine and willing to assist wherever needed.

I expect you to be responsible in getting your required hours of training.

I expect you to follow the lesson plans and behavior plans and to ask questions when you don't understand.

I expect you to respect my plan time with limited interruptions.

** I reserve the right to add other expectations at a later date**