**How to help students in the classroom?**

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[*Every child should have a caring adult in their lives. And that's not always a biological parent or family member. It may be a friend or neighbor. Often times it is a teacher.*](http://www.brainyquote.com/quotes/quotes/j/joemanchin168545.html)[***Joe Manchin***](http://www.brainyquote.com/quotes/authors/j/joe_manchin.html)

Classroom management is in a set of organization skills designed to make the class run smoothly and effectively. It is called “an umbrella-term,” which means that it covers everything such as lesson plan, instructions, board management, time management, etc.

Therefore, how efficiently teachers can help students depends on classroom management.

Here are some possible issues that teachers can manage using various methods.

How could teachers make students follow the “English only” policy? We can think of rewards and punishments related to Skinner’s theory, but before considering rewards and punishments, teachers should encourage students to use English in classroom. Teachers can write down many sample sentences and keep them on the board or wall chart in order to make students naturally absorb the sentences. Students can use them.

If a student speaks in native language instead of speaking in English, teacher can use one of them as punishment.

1. Thinking chair- student sitting for two or three minutes to reflect on their behavior.
2. Extra homework-making student to practice more.
3. Cleaning classroom or restroom
4. Grouping and group task- make “English only” policy as a group task. The students could have a sense of responsibility toward each other.
5. Self correcting Korean sentence to English sentence
6. Standing until student says any English sentence
7. Money jar- it can be applied to older students or adult students.

If students follow the “English only” policy very well, teachers can reward them these ways.

1. Extra points, stickers, or candy
2. Fake money- students can use them on the market day.
3. Extra game time or watching favorite video clip- last five to ten minutes of class

What will be effective for tardiness and attendance management? It can be also managed using rewards and punishments. There are “best attendance award” and “good attendance award” in Korean school system, and they are considered honorable.

It can be a strong motivation for students and parents to achieve the good attendance goal. Teacher can use stickers or point system also.

If a student comes late for the first time, teacher can give a warning message. Nevertheless, if he gets late three times, teacher can write a letter to his parents about this issue. Tardiness needs cooperation between teacher and parents.

How can teachers help students prepare major presentation?

First, teacher makes students choose the topic by themselves. Then teacher can give tips, samples, some list of books, and websites to find information about the topic.

After students make a rough draft, teacher can help them correct errors before the due date.

During preparation, teacher should encourage them continuously by saying “You can do it,” “Well done,” “Good idea.”

Teacher can use grouping to make students help each other.

In actual classroom, there are many other issues that teacher should manage or help.

If teacher knows proper skills and endeavors with warm heart, he will achieve good result in classroom management.