**# Essay 2**

**My teacher's classroom management**

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“ Habit is a second nature” - Blaze Pascal -

We remember a certain teacher as his way of a classroom management not who he was or a subject. However I didn't know the reason why he use that in those days. Some class had a good reputation and others did the opposite. There are many reasons; composition of members, learning attitude, and teacher. I think that teacher's classroom management is one of the most important factor. So, I talk about my teachers' classroom management included english only policy and attendance policy(rule). And also I would think about advantages and disadvantages of their classroom management. And I would like to learn useful tips for my teaching.

On my high school third grade, I met Mr. Cho. From his first class, he spoke only English except explaining grammar. Through his policy, he could make the class calm and we should concentrate on his English carefully. However too much teacher talks interrupt for students to speak English so we were likely to reduce our saying in the class. Surely some talented students tried to speak English. But most of students found it hard to speak English. On the other hand our listening skill developed gradually.

Second memorable classroom management is time management. On my third grade middle school, Ms. Jeong used strict time rule; if we were late for

the class even 1 minute, we should clean toilet after class. Nobody wants to clean the toilet. Thanks to that strict policy I could be a fast runner to be on time in the class. These are my past teachers' classroom management I remember. There are advantages and disadvantages. I agree that Mr. Cho's English only policy in the classroom because many chances of listening English could enhance students' listening skills. However I'd rather reduce too much teacher's talk. Instead of teacher's talk, I would give my students

listening or speaking task goals. It can draw my students' involving. But I disagree with Ms. Jeong. Through her strict policy can be effective in a short time. I'd rather change attendance rule. According to the Behaviorist theory, we could use both reinforcements. But I would choose the positive one. Before my lesson start, I put some candies on the table. If all my students come to the classroom, I would give some candies to the first three students come to the classroom. It can be helpful for forming diligent attitude.

 I think that teacher's well planned ordinary classroom management is very important for leading a class for a long time. It can be helpful for all students to enhance the unity of their own class. And it can be means of drawing cooperation to make a learning environment and also means of controlling the class effectively. In addition, it can be a way of making rapport between teacher and students.