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Happy employees are more resilient; they stay with their employers for the long term.

-George Gallup

In our job, what we consider the most essential is being happy. We find our work interesting all the time. Every single day, we look forward to going to school to share the very little expertise we have. We feel excited meeting our students and letting them feel that we are always readily available to serve them. According to the article “11 Rewards of Being a Teacher”, it is so rewarding to go to work and be surrounded by love all around you as a teacher (Lam, 2016). Work becomes an amazing avenue for a teacher because of the learners who let you feel that you are adored and needed and loved.

We are sometimes amazed of the accomplishments we make in a day or two. Some are tedious and even inspiring. We know our haven of certainty had pushed us to be resilient in many ways especially when we feel unworthy of the repeated tasks of teachers. We are sure of one reason, and that is being happy to what we do and who we are with while working. Remember that being happy at work is very important. According to the blog of Chitroda, Happiness at Work: Why is it Important, happy people are more productive. It reminds us that we do better and bigger things when we are happy.

There are many times that we are confronted with distressful situations. I, for an example, often feels unworthy of my tasks as a teacher. Maybe because until now, I do not have the chance to be certified as a teacher, but I always remind myself that the small
card to certify me as full-fledged teacher will never dictate my passion as a teacher. Yes, I do not have it, but my devotion in teaching is incomparable. I am very positive that in God’s time I will have that license, with perseverance. Professionalism does not come only from having a piece of card, but rather the total package that comes with it. I strongly believe in the importance of professionalism as a teacher. There are many reasons why professionalism is important. In the article written by Lara Hutton for Australian Institute of Business, she mentioned three reasons why professionalism is important in the workplace. She believes that the professional conduct of both managers and colleagues can significantly impact the overall morale within the workplace.

Life as a probationary teacher is hard when you have distracters and antagonists. But let them be the ones to push us into our best. Instead of battling with them, continue doing our job, that’s all. We cannot move forward if we always throw stone in every dog that barks along our way. Make ourselves equipped every single day. Scrutinizers are everywhere, but they make us stronger. That’s the very essence why we, teachers should be resilient. We should always learn how to adopt with the challenges, and become better versions of ourselves.

Our goal as a teacher is simple. Aside from being the bread and butter of our family, we somehow feel that this job fulfills us as an individual. It may be boring to some, but this job is our life. Someday, our being resilient will take us to wider and bigger opportunities. One thing must be kept on track – our being positive. It also goes along with resiliency. When we are patient, hardworking, strong, and committed, we could endure all hardships. But we can endure it more and overcome the obstacles when we are positive.

At present, I am still positive on the good things that will come in my life. I am a teacher and one thing is for sure, I am happy with my life. Teachers are still happy, and they can be happier, even how great the waves that will come. Just remain that positivity and resiliency in order to keep our dream job right in front of us.
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