WHAT MAKES A CLASSROOM CONDUCIVE TO LEARNING?

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When can we say that a classroom is conducive to learning?

Classroom is an important environment where teachers and pupils exchange ideas and learning. Some considered their classroom as their second home and just like a home; it must be well-structured, well ventilated, a clean and a safe place for everybody. These are the factors that will make the classroom conducive to learning.

Teachers are exerting much effort and even spending money in decorating their rooms. From the facilities, such as tables, cabinets and chairs to the curtains, displays and colour of the wall are well chosen and well designed to make the surrounding attractive to the students. Another reason of the teachers why they want their room attractive to their learners is because they want them to feel motivated, relaxed and comfortable while spending their 6 hours inside the classroom every day. The teachers also believe that having colours on the walls, along with educational posters, charts and art supplies will make them feel more at home.

But teachers must also be careful of making their rooms attractive because too much decoration can also distract the learning concentration of the pupils.

Aside from the classroom decorations and the designs, good air and light ventilation is the second factor that makes the classroom conducive to learning. The school and the Local Government Unit are the one in charge in checking the electrical needs and safety in every classroom; they make sure that the number of bulbs in every classroom is enough to light the area. They also ensure that the electrical wirings have no problems to prevent fire accident. The classroom must have enough number of windows according to its standard architectural
design. If less air enters in the room, the teachers together with the parents are voluntarily doing projects to provide electric fans to meet the needs of their children.

The last but not the least is cleanliness. It is also a big factor that makes the classroom conducive to learning. Well-structured and well ventilated room is nothing without maintaining its cleanliness. Cleanliness promotes health to everyone inside the classroom, and a good health will result to better learning.

If all classrooms are all conducive to learning, the students will surely enjoy being in and staying in the classroom; they would be motivated to attend their class every day.

It summarized that by giving attention to the environment of a classroom the teacher is setting their students up to be more successful to learn.

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