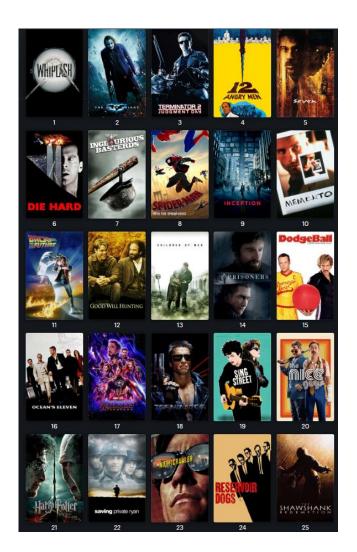


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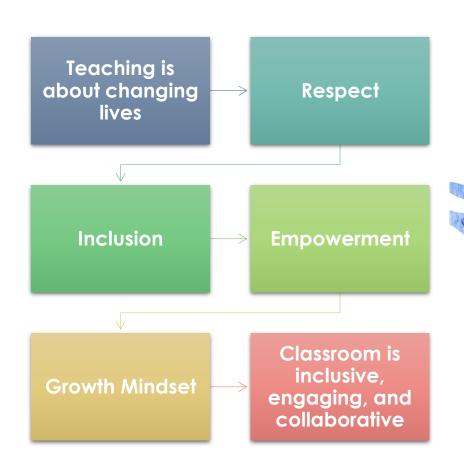


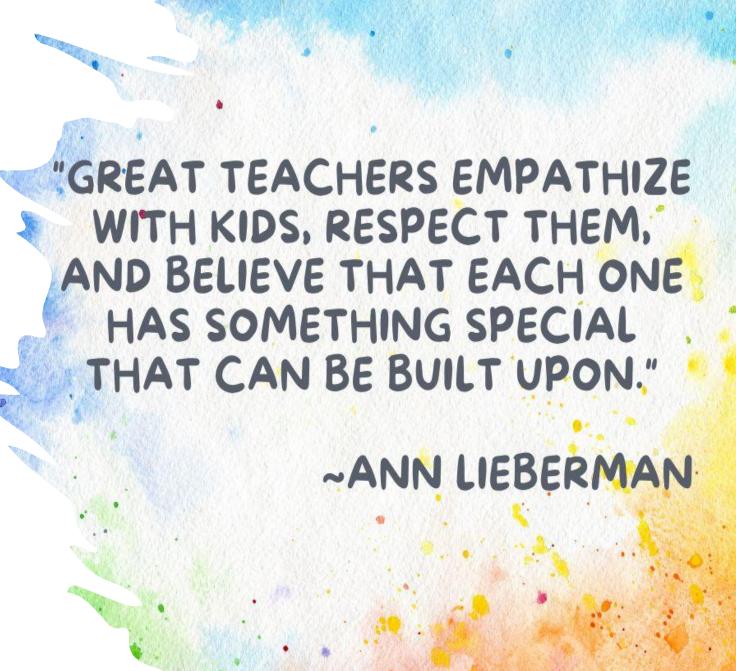


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My Teaching Philosophy





Our Classroom Climate

Everyone feels safe, respected, and included

Mistakes = part of learning

We support each other

Your voice matters

We celebrate differences

This is a judgment-free zone

Relationship Building

I get to know you as a person

We build trust through respect

Open communication (reach out & ask questions)

We solve conflicts calmly & respectfully

We work as a team — no one is left out

Collaboration is a big part of this class

Our Classroom Space

You choose your seat – You will be moved if it becomes a distraction

Extra materials are always accessible

Use technology responsibly

Respect the classroom - Clean up after yourselves

Safe, inclusive, and comfortable for everyone

Routines and Procedures



Enter respectfully, find your seat, prepare materials



Phones away!



Quick engaging activity to introduce topic



Interactive instruction – participate in discussions, be respectful + engaged



Work time –
use wisely
and you will
thrive in this
course



Clean up after yourself and exit respectfully

Classroom Rules

1. Respect everyone

- 2. Be prepared & stay engaged
- 3. Arrive to class & submit assignments on time
 - i. Notify me if accommodations are needed I'm very flexible if you reach out in advance
- 4. Use tech responsibly No phones during instruction
- 5. Try your best effort matters
- 6. Take care of our space



Looking Forward to a Great Year Together