**Advice From Previous Students**

**A:** Aim high.

Ask how to do things if you don’t know what to do.

Always follow directions.

Always listen to the teacher.

Always stay on task.

Avoid talking to others when she’s not looking.

Always do something, don’t just sit there.

Accept advice from others. (Trust me, you’ll need it.)

Ask nicely.

**B:** Be kind to one another.

Behave.

Be happy.

Bring pencils.

Be ready and on time.

Be kind and sadly respect she doesn’t let you listen to music.

Be ready to pay attention to her when she needs you to.

Be respectful. She doesn’t like insubordinate kids.

Be ready for fun.

Be happy to work here.

**C:** “Can’t” isn’t a word in this class.

Communicate nicely with the teacher.

Come prepared with the right supplies.

Correct yourself.

Correct your language.

Consider other’s feelings.

**D:** Do homework.

Don’t give up.

Don’t talk back.

Don’t ignore the teacher.

Don’t interrupt her when she’s teaching.

Do not panic if called on. (I know from experience.)

Do not eat food without asking.

Don’t call out answers.

**E:** Effort helps you.

Enjoy the class.

Enter quietly.

Excellence is important.

**F:** Fun. She’s fun and you’ll have fun.

Fill out your planner.

Follow directions.

Focus on work or she will catch you.

Find the beauty in every moment.

Finish work on time.

**G:** Give your attention.

Getting to know your teacher is good.

Get stuff done or else you are wasting your time.

Give respect to the person speaking.

**H:** Humor her. She’s an old woman and doesn’t have far to go.

Have a plan.

Have fun, but be polite and quiet.

Help others.

**I:** If she’s angry, listen to her!!!

“I don’t want to” won’t fly with Mrs. Gray.

If you volunteer people, you will get chosen instead.

If you zone off, you will get in trouble.

**J:** Just get it over with.

Just work hard.

Joke with her when it’s appropriate, not when she’s teaching.

**K:** Keep up with your homework.

Kick your bad attitude out of here!

Know your multiplication.

Kindly tell her when she is wrong.

**L:** Learning in this class is easy if you follow directions.

Love your teacher because so many things at school are hate-able.

**M:** Math is fun.

Making mistakes makes you smarter.

Mind her brain. She forgets things and that’s okay.

Mrs. Gray will always catch you doing something she doesn’t like.

Make Mrs. Gray smile.

Mind your mouth. Don’t talk at a bad time. Avoid talking while working.

Make smart choices.

**N:** Never quit.

**O:** Own your mistakes.

Optimism is good.

**P:** Pay attention.

Participating is key.

Put up with her craziness.

Please don’t say, “God.”

**Q:** Quickly do your work.

Quietly work on the computers.

**R:** Read directions carefully.

**S:** Stay focused.

**T:** Twenty-one Pilots: She won’t let you listen to music.

Tell the truth.

Take off your hats when you enter the classroom.

Talk only when advised to.

Talk to your teacher for help.

Try things.

**U:** Use your time wisely.

Use your brain.

**V:** Vegetables. You can’t have food in class.

**W:** Why won’t she let us listen to our own music? Because research.

Wonder about the world.

**Y:** You need to know when to be quiet.

You are a blessing to this earth, treat yourself as such.

**Z:** Zebras. She might like that animal; ask her.

Zip your lips when she’s talking to you.

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