



True Stories fromKATY..... TEACHERS

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Teachers share a few funny anecdotes from the classroom

Misplaced Cell

"I put my phone in my bra on my way to the school. My class totally lost it when a call came through and my chest started glowing. Oops." - N.B.

Eating Alone

"I usually eat my lunch at my desk to finish grading papers so I don't have to take work home. A few of my students came back to the classroom early and saw me eating at my desk. One of the students asked, 'Mrs. D, are you eating lunch alone because you don't have any friends?'" - A.D.

Dodgeball Blast

"I'm a P.E. teacher. When I'm having a rough day, I allow the students to play dodgeball because every time a kid gets hit in the face, I instantly feel better. They have a blast with it and I do, too!" - A.S.

Candy Crush Confessions

"I'm the teacher always preaching the 'no phone rule,' but during a staff meeting I'm always on my phone playing Candy Crush." - J.K.

Lunchtime Naps

"During student lunchtime is when I offer extra discussion/tutor sessions in my room. But sometimes I lock my door and leave a note saying I'm at a teacher meeting when I'm actually just napping on my desk." - J.H.

Taking Care of Business

"When I was a student, I always felt uncomfortable with the obligation to raise my hand in the middle of a discussion to ask to use the restroom. Who made up that rule? I allow my kids to break it. Teenagers don't need a teacher's permission to go do their business." - A.G.

Badge of Courage

"I think being a math teacher is such a brave choice. We are so under-appreciated because nobody likes math, but someone has to teach it!" - M.R.

Crazy Thinking

"I told my neighbor I was a teacher and she asked me if I was crazy. I'm starting to think I might be because I actually like it!" - S.D.

Lots o' Kids

"When people ask me how many kids I have, I always answer with the amount of students I have. This year, I have 27 kids!" - M.M.

History Lesson

"I teach American History. I asked the class if anyone knew what 'DC' in Washington D.C. stands for. My class clown said, 'Da capital.'" - K.S.

Miss Me?

"I was out for a week for family reasons and when I got back, I overheard the students talking about how happy they were to have me back instead of the 'boring sub.' It's always nice to know your students miss you when you're gone." - L.P.

Taking the Credit

"When former students visit me and share their success stories, I always take partial credit for that!" - G.G.

Cheap Entertainment

"When I catch my students writing notes to each other in class, I don't punish them, but I do confiscate the notes and read them after class for my own entertainment." - J.L.

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