

1) THINGS TO KNOW BEFORE S.O.A.P CLASS

Classroom Culture Guidelines

Ways to prepare for class

- Make sure Lori Rust is ready to do role
- A warm up question ready to begin the class
- An understanding of the scripture being used for S.O.A.P

Materials allowed at students table:

- Pencil/Pen
- Bible
- Notepad
- Water
- Blank Binder
 - **WHY:** Because you need to be prepared for class. Anything short of these materials means you are unprepared and cannot effectively learn/participate in class

Things not allowed on table

- Phone
- Chromebook (unless authorized)
- Backpack (Must be left in back of the room, not at desk)
- Snacks (of any kind)
- Food
 - **WHY:** These things (although not bad in nature) become distracting in class, and pull us away from the main objective of learning more about Jesus, and drawing closer to God

Classroom culture

- Don't be a distraction
- Don't interrupt the teacher
 - You can always raise your hand if you have a question, or raise/cross your fingers if you need to use the bathroom
- Ask before you get water, go to the restroom or get up to do anything.
- Do not crumble, rip or destroy school supplies of any kind (Especially into little pieces).
- No sleeping
- No arguing
 - If there is a problem with the teacher, you can talk to them afterwards. Class is just not the time for any prolonged discussion about an issue.
 - You can also talk with school admin in the school office if you don't feel like discussing it with the teacher.
- Respect each other

2) 1:40pm - Outside introduction (5 Minutes)

- Line the students up outside and explain make sure they understand the following
 - Your Name
 - Five things things you need to bring to Bible Class
 - ***Instruct them to place their backpack in the back or side of the classroom, then instruct them to take everything that they need for class out of their bag before the sit down.***

3) 1:45pm - Class Setup (5 minutes)

- Before the bell rings, make sure students enter into class with their backpacks in the back and all the materials needed at their table

4) 1:50pm - Roll (5 Minutes)

- Do Roll for the students
- Contact Lori beforehand so that she can help you set up attendance for the class

5) 2:05pm - Individual Studying (20 Minutes)

- Students must stay quite as they each study the passage on their own, and fill out their S.O.A.P homework
- If they don;t finish, that is OK, they can complete the assignment at home

6) 2:20pm - Big Group discussion (5 to 15 Minutes - Depending on day)

- Facilitate a conversation where each table shares what they gained from that section of scripture
- *Feel free to expound upon any section of scripture a student shares about or correct any theological mishaps a student may have*
 - I encourage the students to share their thoughts even if they are wrong. **If they say something totally false, don't fault them for it, just use it as an opportunity to share the truth with them.**
 - You can pick any student to share and any student you pick is required to share during this time.