

Every child is special

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I call my students, “MY KIDS”, because they are not just names on my register, but a part of my life. I started teaching in 1998. It has been 18 years now, but even today, I learn a lot from my students. It’s not a single student that has made a difference in my life. All my kids, the future leaders from my classroom, have made a difference in my life. I learn many things from them even though I am their facilitator. What I learn may be minute, but they are significant lessons.

I believe that school is a place where students come to learn, but it is the students who teach us some of the most important lessons instead! Their inquisitive minds, the urge to question and explore have always kept my desire to learn alive. They remind me that there is no age limit to chase our passions or to express our feelings. As kids they are not afraid to open up. They bring back my childhood memories and help me remember that the little things in life are important too! They teach me to pause for a while and think. In the classroom there are naughty kids who create a ruckus and the quiet ones who never speak up, a few always find a means to answer, but I love each one of them equally. Every child is special and you will find something special in every child.

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