

What I Wish I Could Change About My Teachers

This collection of requested changes was collected from a high school of about 800 students. The prompt was the title of the document: WHAT I WISH I COULD CHANGE ABOUT MY TEACHERS. The responses were grouped by main point and were found to fit into these eleven ideas. The words chosen are actual responses picked to represent the whole group of similar comments. The hope is that these responses give a look into the mind students as we teachers seek to help them grow.

What I wish I could change about my teachers:

- I wish they would change their attitudes because they seem to be in a bad mood a lot.
- I wish they would change their language. Why is it okay for them to cuss?
- I wish they would have control of the class.
- I wish everything did not have to be about the state assessment tests. Can we just focus on learning for learning?
- I wish they liked their jobs.
- I wish they would be more helpful.
- I wish they didn't play favorites.
- I wish they would try to be more understanding.
- I wish they realized that there was more to our lives than just their class.
- I wish they wouldn't get off-task.
- I wish they LIKED us.