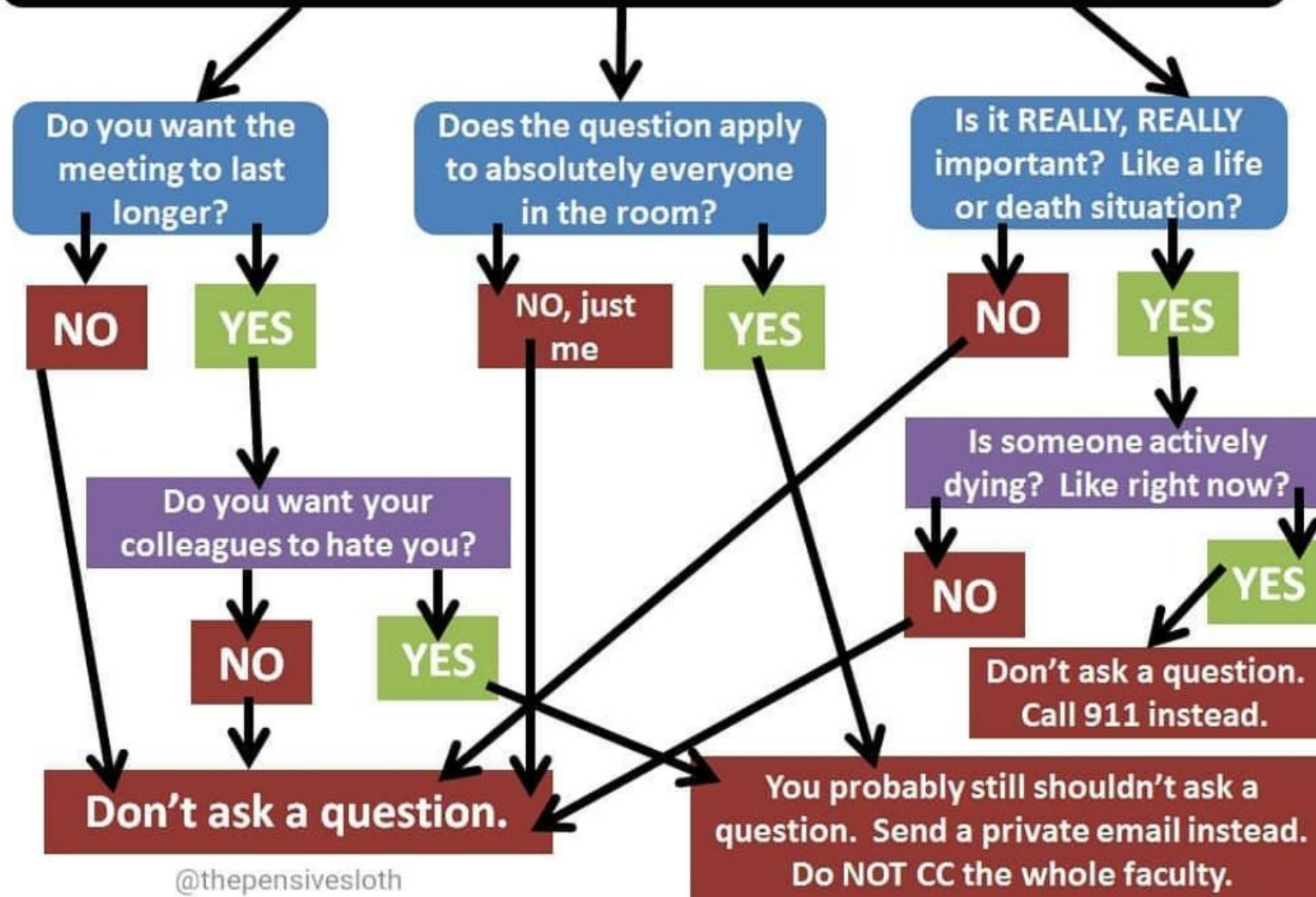




Should you ask a question at a faculty meeting?





Total Teacher Move

@totalteachrmove



Following

Dear non-teachers,
Go to a bar tonight, find 25 drunk people, and
try to get them to quietly do math problems.
That's what teaching is like.

Instruction:

Things you probably didn't learn in college.

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my classroom
not being fun!

How to cover
all the content
meaningfully and
still have fun.

forgetting
students'

names, (especially
at the wrong moments)

fearful of ...
underplanning and
running out of
materials for the
class in the middle
of class

No one
will
understand
my
handwriting

A Homework Technique:

A simple way to get some discussion going quickly



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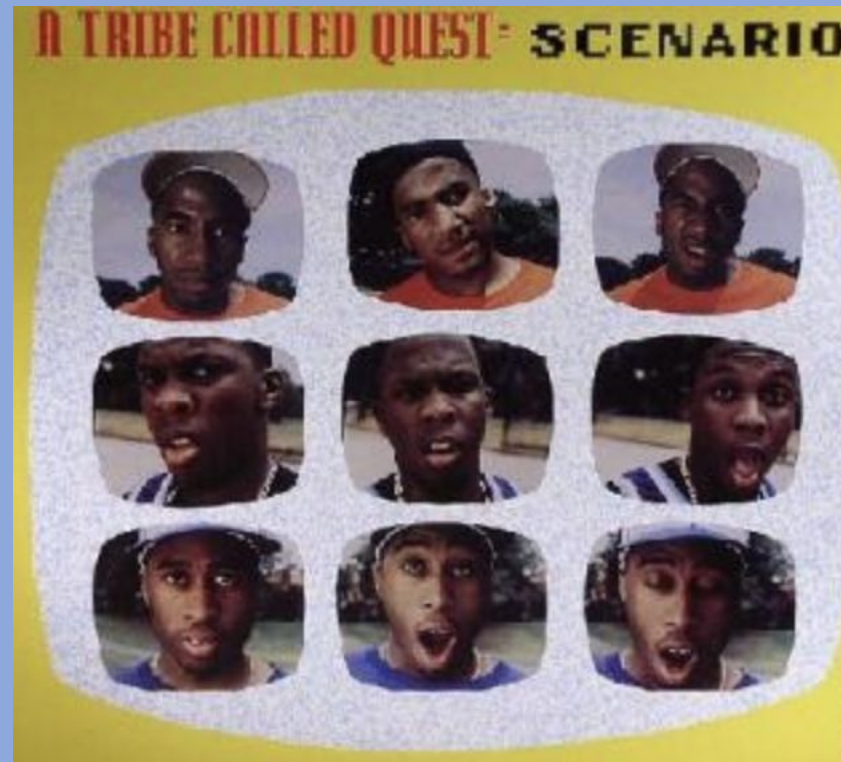
- 1 minute to write
- Don't repeat what student says
- Step away from speaker
- 10 second pause
- Summarize/add commentary at end if needed

Giving Directions/Saving Your Sanity

- ***The RULE of 3s***



Scenario: Here we go, yo...



Given the scenario, give directions to your class.

- *Near the end of your class, you need the students to stop their group activity and return to their seats to take a 5-question, short-answer quiz on a piece of loose leaf paper. They can use pen or pencil. When they're finished, they should turn their paper face down.*
- For a few minutes at your tables, discuss how you would give the directions to maximize their being followed and minimize chaos.

Handling disciplinary
issues "appropriately"

- Losing classroom
control

Students...
classroom
management

How to be successful

classroom
management

(rowdy
behavior)

Handling Bad Student Behavior

- The most important rule for you...
- Some techniques

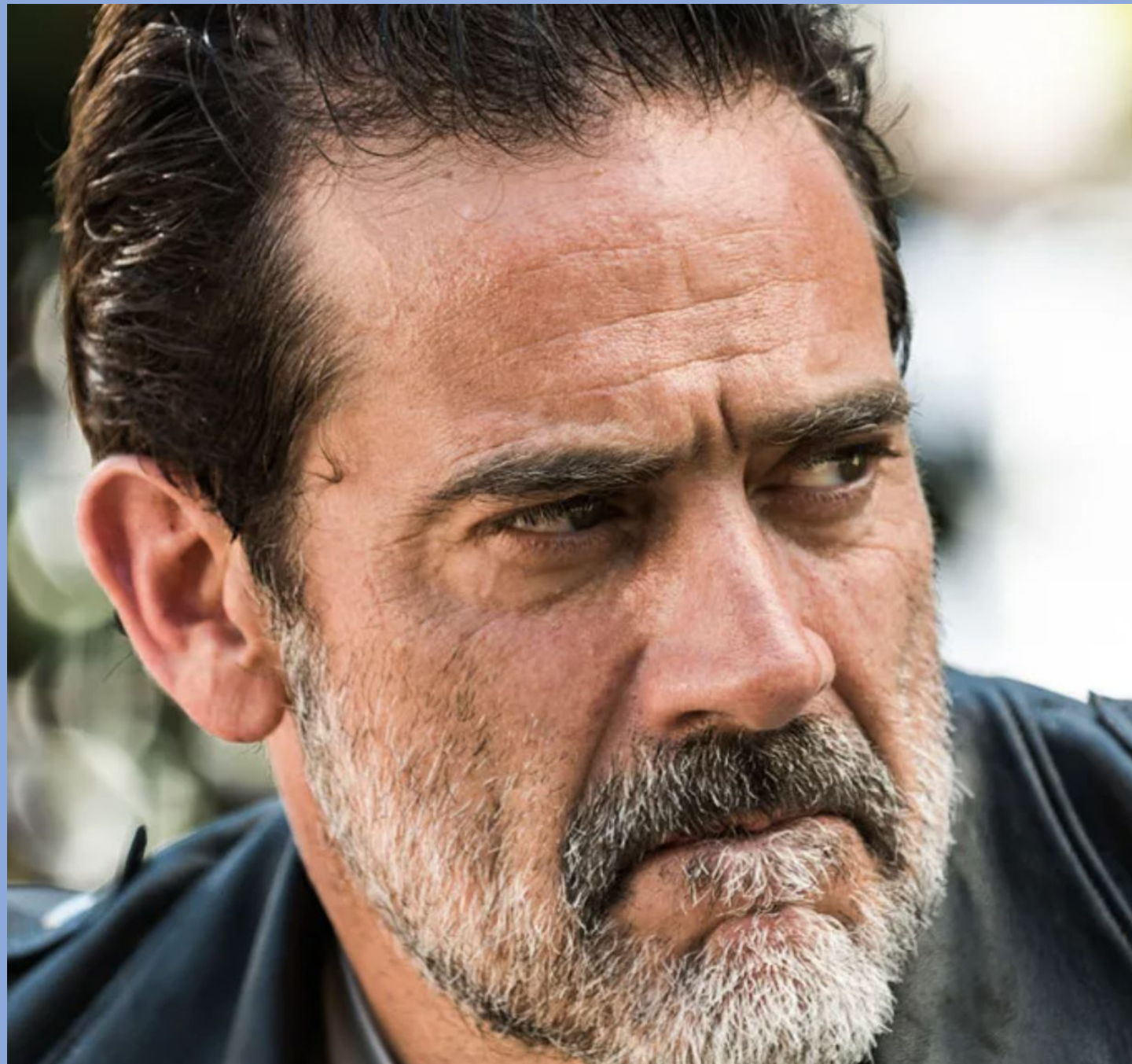


Some techniques: Hey, these things work!

- Grow a scary goatee
- The Look [Practice it!]
- Quick name call (use with The Look)
- Proximity
- The Whisper
- The Quick In-the-Hall Conference
- Hold after class
- The note (email) home







- It's always easier to start tough...

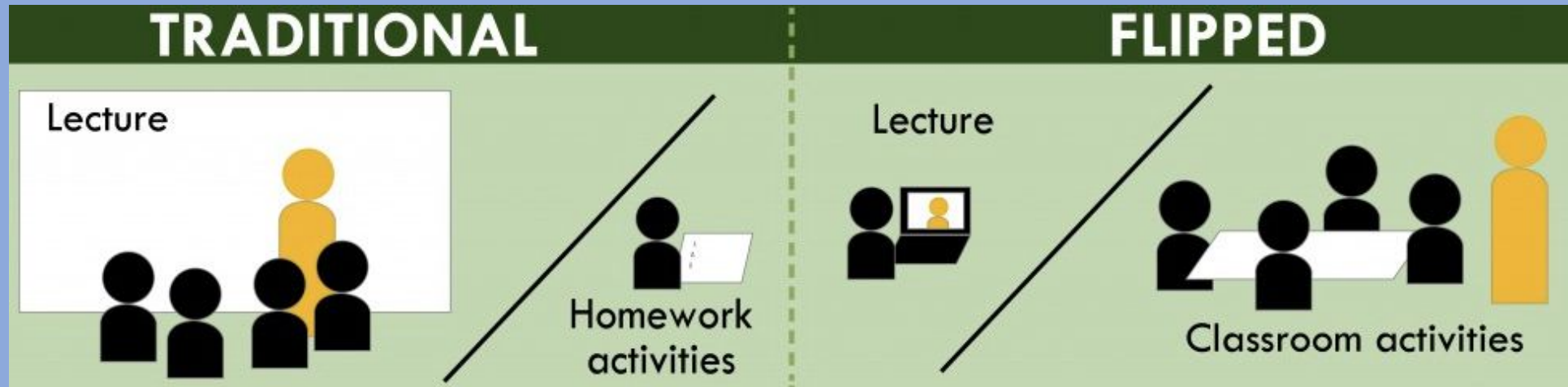


Some Words You Really Should Not Use in a Middle or Upper School Classroom

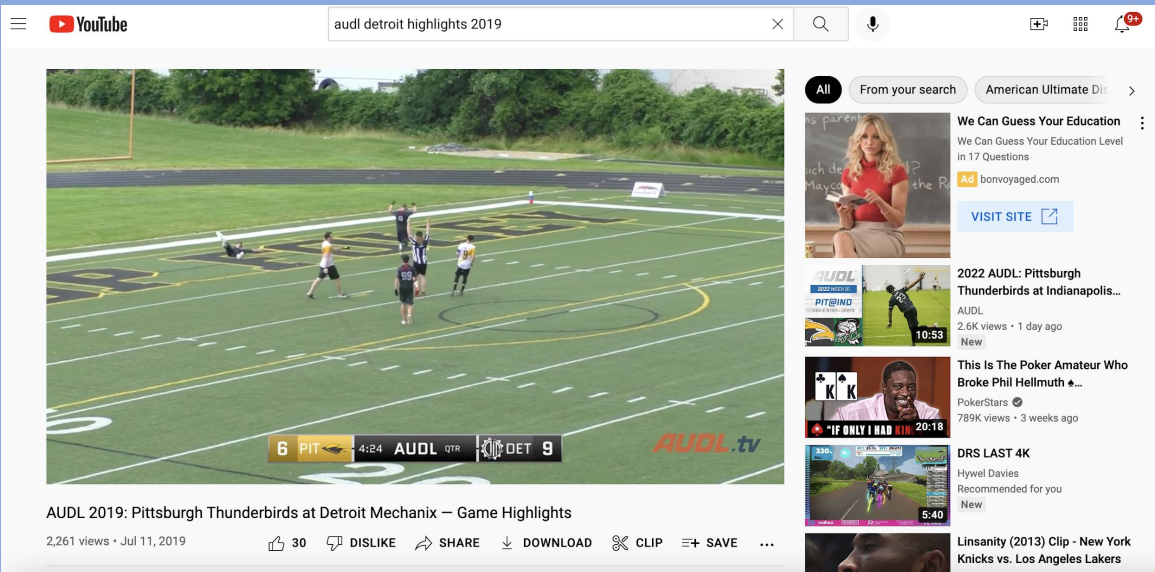
- Wood
- Balls
- Hard
- Duty
- Uranus. Joint. P- and S-waves.
- Jacket
- Tea and bag
- p. 69
- Period
- Dongle
- Any questions whose response can be “TWSS” or “Your mom.”

Flipped Classroom

(e.g. – FLS)



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I am
excited about
grading
papers!

Writing test questions

Learned the hard way:

- Explain subduction.

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- Explain subduction.
- Explain subduction and give examples of where it's happening today.

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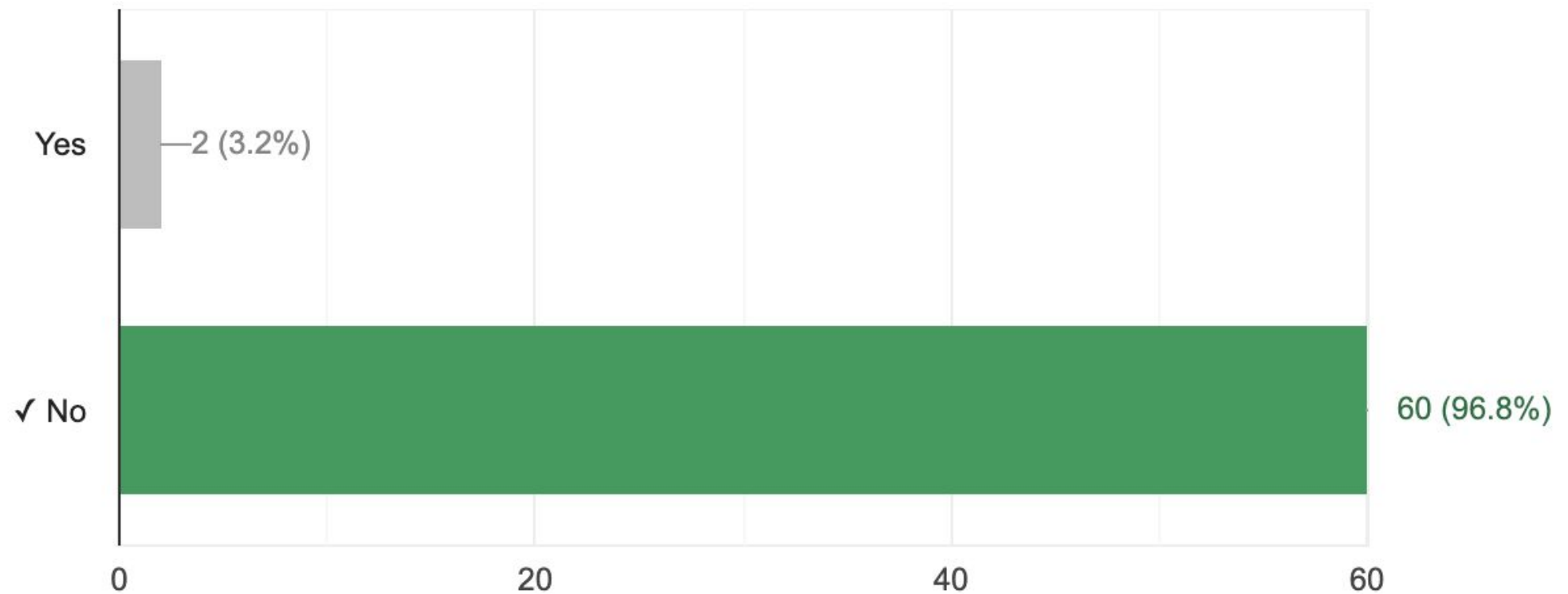
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- Explain how plates move during subduction. Give examples of where subduction is happening today.

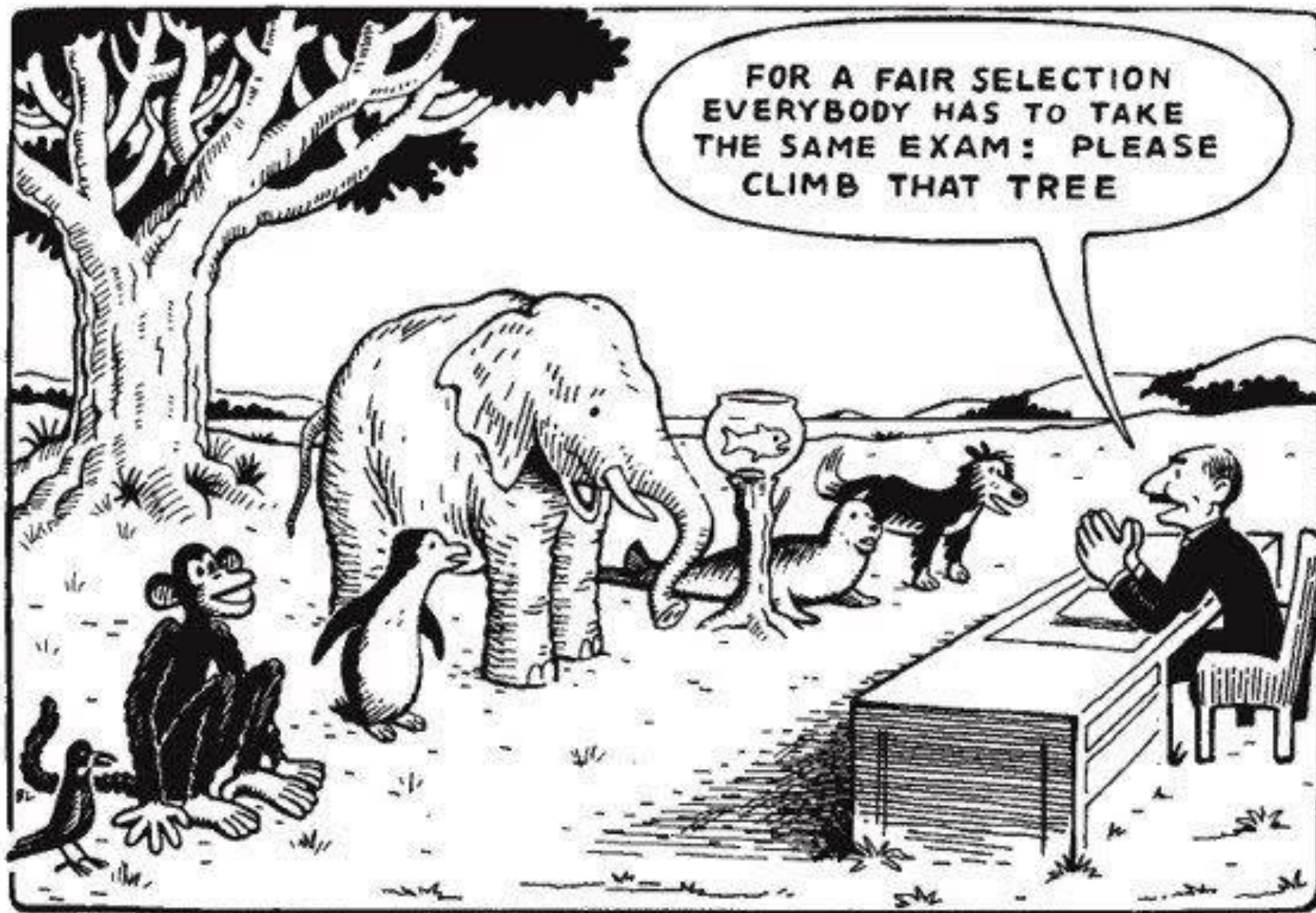
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- Explain how plates move during subduction. Give 3 examples of where subduction is happening today.

26) According to bottled water companies, all groundwater that exits a cliff or hillside is OK to drink. Is that true? Hint: the answer is "no."

60 / 62 correct responses





The End

Practical Matters: Miscellany and How to Avoid Trouble

2022

Flex, HSA, and Retirement:

Making it rain (or, at least, sprinkle)



Pro Tips:

And speaking of money....

Tutoring/House sitting



“Other Duties as Assigned”

- Coaching
- Dorm
- Teacher of the weekend
- Lunch/Hall/Carpool duties
- Advisory
- Bus driving
- Club Sponsor
- Crowd control/Money collecting at games
- Committees
- Class trips
- Teaching summer school
- Teaching outside your area of knowledge
- Others?

The Case of Olivia F.,

New Teachers Institute graduate.

Her “other duties” included:

- Subbing constantly
- Coaching
- Making copies
- Bulletin boards
- Summer camps
- Bathroom and morning duties
- Tea parties
- Field day booths
- Served lunches
- She just said, “No” to ...

More Pro Tips:

- Handouts
- Textbook\$
- Concussions
- Cell phones
- Cover other classes when asked
- Lost and Found!
- Writing emails
- Stay current
- Keep nice notes
- Thank your teachers
- Erase the board
- Facebook/Twitter/IG/SnapChat/YouTube/
TikTok (and MySpace)





Travel for Free!









More Tips:

- Sleep / Exercise
- Extra credit / Candy
- Xerox etiquette (3-holed and colored paper)
- Faculty bathroom
- In Winter, wash hands frequently
- Faculty meetings (esp. dress code)
- Siblings/Look-alikes
- RUF
- Maintenance folks
- Case of the Mondays...
- **And the most important thing...**

****IMPORTANT****

- Khaki + Water = Cessation of All Learning For the Day
If Not the Year

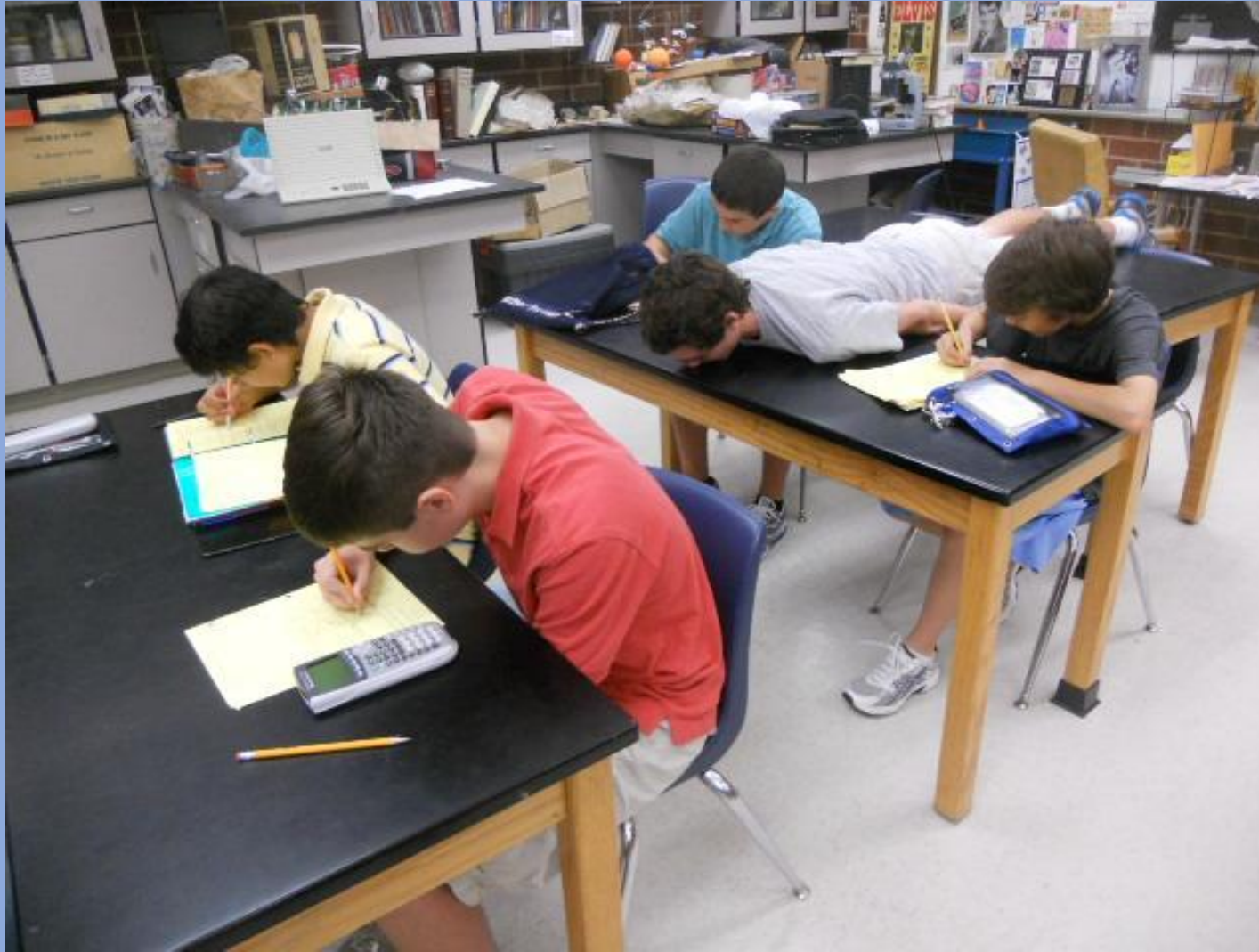
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If Not the Year
- And check your zipper

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If Not the Year
- And check your zipper
- And for toilet paper

The End



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