



Greetings special friends!

Each week, more and more schools are off to an exciting start. It is a motivating time for both students and teachers to bring fresh ideas to the classroom. Here



are a couple of web sites to get some great **new ideas** for the classroom: <u>http://www.kathimitchell.com/firstday.html</u> <u>http://www.ilovethatteachingidea.com/ideas/subj_first_day.htm</u> <u>http://www.teachnet.com/</u> <u>http://www.teachingheart.net/</u>

Here are some thoughts for today and every day:

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"Opportunity dances with those who are already on the dance floor." DeDe Massey with www.impressiveideas.com

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"When starting out, don't worry about not having enough money. Limited funds are a blessing, not a curse. Nothing encourages creative thinking in quite the same way." H. Jackson Brown. Jr., writer

"Rudeness is the weak man's imitation of strength." Eric Hoffer (1902-1983) philosopher

"You have to know you can win. You have to think you can win. You have to feel you can win."

Sugar Ray Leondard, professional boxer

"Use soft words and hard arguments." English proverb

With school starting and meeting so many new students and friends, a great way to get organized and keep up with all the birthdays in your circle of friends, family, class or group, is through www.BirthdayAlarm.com. It is a



free service that will remind you several days in advance of someone's birthday and allow you to send a free E-card. It is much easier than writing the birthdays on a calendar.



Got any old cell phones in a drawer or in the closet? Ship them (and any accessories) to Cell Phones for Soldiers and generate money for phone calling cards for soldiers to call home. Just visit www.CellPhonesforSoldiers.com and they will convert the equipment to the phone cards. This would be a great project for your school or office.

The Golden Rule is always the best rule of life. There is a great version below to post for your class, your team, or your office. Have a wonderful week, and, as always, please keep in touch.

Sincerely,

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(found on the bulletin board in a drill team office)
If you open it, close it.
If you turn it on, turn it off.
If you unlock it, lock it.
If you break it, repair it.
If you can't fix it, call someone who can.
If you borrow it, return it.
If you use it, take care of it.
If you make a mess, clean it up.
If it's in the way move it.
If you move it, put it back.
If you do not know how to operate it, leave it alone.
if it does not concern you,
MIND YOUR OWN BUSINESS!