

School Discipline Quiz

Create a picture in your mind of your school discipline system- how this system responds when students fail to follow the reasonable rules and procedures you have worked with them to develop, learn and practice. While it will be very subjective, score your system on the following criteria with 5 being outstanding and 0 being low.

- 1 2 3 4 5 **Clear** (If you interviewed ten students they would all be able to describe the system very much the way you describe it.)
- 1 2 3 4 5 **Sequential** (Rather than an immediately harsh or disruptive response, you use a series of responses that gradually increases in severity.)
- 1 2 3 4 5 **Dignifying** (The responses enhances or maintains students' sense of dignity or self-esteem.)
- 1 2 3 4 5 **Educational** (The responses in your system provide cues that help the students focus on positive behaviors or learn alternative behaviors.)
- 1 2 3 4 5 **Environmental Analysis** (When a problem occurs you ask the question, "What factors might be eliciting this behavior and what might I change to decrease the likelihood that this behavior will occur?")

TOTAL SCORE: _____

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