

Creating a Positive Classroom

1. Bullying is **not allowed** in our classroom.
2. We **don't tease, call names, or put people down.**
3. We **don't hit, shove, kick, or punch.**
4. If we see someone being bullied, we **speak up** and **stop it** (if we can) or **go for help right away.**
5. When we do things as a group, we make sure that **everyone is included** and **no one is left out.**
6. We make **new students** feel **welcome.**
7. We **listen to** each other's **opinions.**
8. We treat each other with **kindness and respect.**
9. We **respect** each other's **property.**
(School property, too.)
10. We look for the **good in others** and **value differences.**

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