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You will, indeed!

Being entirely new to the SUSD district was a very intimidating experience as I didn’t know anyone here or how everything worked. When I set foot in Room 22, it wasn’t just suddenly sunshines and rainbows; in fact, I was a quiet, non-participating student. Regrettably, I didn’t know how fun Ms. Reichmuth could be and how she loved to hear everyone’s thoughts. To start off with, there are many key details to having success in Ms. Reichmuth’s room. What’s more, as you end 6th grade, you’ll realize how much you have learned and progressed! Not to mention, many exciting projects, books, presentations, and films to enjoy! One of Ms. Reichmuth’s most said quotes was, “you work hard, you play hard” and we do. It is for these reasons, how there are many keys to success, how accomplished you will feel, and how there are so many exciting things to do that represents success in Ms. Reichmuth’s CORE classroom.

Ms. Reichmuth is an amazing teacher and as I mentioned, loves hearing everyone’s perspective on everything. First off, one thing that leads to success is voicing your opinions and ideas as Ms. Reichmuth enjoys brainstorming. To add on, Ms. Reichmuth encourages kindness, diligent workers, and people who use their time wisely. Last but not least, one tip is to avoid the use of “um, well, or so’s” because it is considered “unprofessional.” From personal experience, it was quite hard for me, but Ms. Reichmuth will always be patient when catching these errors. While there may be many keys to success, being such a knowledgeable rising 7th grader is a real treat.

As you reach the end of 6th grade, you will realize how Room 22 has shaped you into such an accomplished person. Remember that your time here is limited, and as Ms. Reichmuth says, ‘use your time wisely!’ To begin with, I used to be a terrible presenter, but near the end of 6th grade, my presentation skills have improved by tenfold! Moreover, I became more self-confident and prepared for the next year. Furthermore, Ms. Reichmuth has created such great memories for me and my CORE class. Many great memories have been made, yet each and every memory is unforgettable.

My first year in middle school has been a blast with Ms. Reichmuth; we’ve done so much as a class! Firstly, one PBL (Project Based Learning) project we did was on Endangered Animals and climate change (the We Are the World-An Inconvenient Truth project); which was a personal favorite. Also, we learned a lot about Women’s Her-story Month which was an amazing experience because I loved to learn about so many inspiring women (Ms. Reichmuth is one herself). Finally, History Alive was really fascinating and one tip is to put as much effort into it as you can! There are many projects waiting to be done-so enjoy each and every one.

If you follow all the keys to success and relish each project, you will achieve success in Ms. Reichmuth’s room. Like I mentioned, there are many keys to success. On the other hand, leaving 6th grade so fully prepared is especially rewarding! Likewise, there are many enjoyable projects to do this year. Fortunately, I realized just how out of this world Ms. Reichmuth is. To be honest, I envy all future students of Ms. Reichmuth because you truly have the most extraordinary teacher ever! All in all, just like Dr. Suess said, “And will you succeed? Yes! You will, indeed! (98 and ¾ percent guaranteed) Kid, you’ll move mountains,” and you will, because... what a teacher you have!

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