



50 Facts about Girls in a Classroom

They will...

1. want to please the adult.
2. be more dangerous in a group than when they are alone.
3. think better abstractly than their male counterparts.
4. struggle with concrete thinking.
5. excel at spelling.
6. struggle with being the center of attention.
7. respond better verbally over physically.
8. will cry more over losing a best friend than losing a boyfriend type of relationship.
9. pass notes.
10. whisper to each other and be able to get away with it.
11. raise their hand instead of blurting.
12. ask for help if they need it.
13. make their doodling look more like symbols (hearts) and names.
14. not need to get up and move every 15 mins but it is good for them.
15. be involved in more after school activities.
16. be seen as gifted more often.
17. have higher grades.
18. have fewer discipline referrals.
19. tell a story multiple times in multiples ways without getting bored.
20. use logic and emotion to establish and maintain power.
21. respond to a male or female adult equally as well.
22. not have to be interested in the subject in order to be engaged.
23. believe that fashion and looks are a priority.
24. feel more sensitive about food.
25. want to be helpful.
26. go out with the boy that made fun of her (unless it is her brother).
27. have their friends change more than they would like.
28. bond by talking and spending time with other girls.
29. more likely to give up when something becomes difficult.
30. expect to get rescued more.
31. be able to read facial cues easier.
32. sometimes read into facial cues too much.
33. have a hamster wheel that rolls around in their minds replaying and reliving situations.
34. be able to multi task.
35. be able to switch from one subject to another with ease.
36. not rely on visuals as much as boys.
37. tend to have better hearing.
38. process information quicker.
39. make decisions based on emotions.
40. struggle with shutting off emotions once they have begun.
41. be more likely to go to college.
42. typically be the first to rush to help a classmate who is hurt physically.
43. have stronger empathy centers.
44. fear being cast out of their group.
45. be more likely to be undiagnosed with depression, learning disabilities, etc.
46. feel more pressure about their bodies and body image than their boy counterparts.
47. be asked to participate in a sexting conversation between 12 and 14.
48. not know how to answer the above conversation.
49. be more likely to feel stressed about school.
50. tend to keep friendships and relationships even if they are unhealthy.