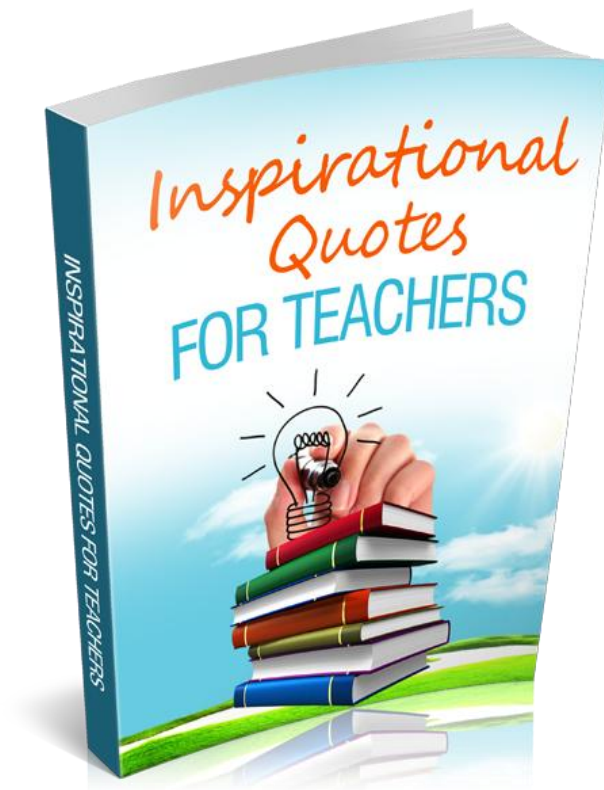


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All the best in your teaching success,

Marjan Glavac

'Talk to each other, support each other, take care of each other.'
Stu Cunningham

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Abraham Lincoln

About happiness: Most people are about as happy as they make up their minds to be.

Alan Loy McGinnis

Focus on your potential instead of your limitations.

Albert Einstein

I do not know with what weapons World War III will be fought, but World War IV will be fought with sticks and stones.

There are two ways to live your life; one as if nothing is a miracle, and the other as if everything is a miracle.

Anyone who has never made a mistake has never tried anything new.

If you can't explain it simply, you don't understand it well enough.

The definition of insanity is doing the same thing over and over again and expecting a different result.

Amos Bronson Alcott

The true teacher defends his pupils against his own personal influence.

Anatole France

The whole art of teaching is only the art of awakening the natural curiosity of young minds for the purpose of satisfying it afterwards.

Anne Frank

How wonderful it is that nobody need wait a single moment before starting to improve the world.

Anonymous

You cannot plow a field by turning it over in your mind.

7 Secrets of Success I Found In My Room

1. Roof said: Aim high
2. Fan said: Be cool
3. Clock said: Every minute is precious
4. Mirror said: Reflect before you act
5. Window said: See the world
6. Calendar said: Be up-to-date
7. Door said: Push hard to achieve your goals

He who dares to teach must never cease to learn.

Teachers open the door, but you enter by yourself.

To teach well, we need not say all that we know, only what is useful for the pupil to hear.

Author Unknown

The best teacher is one who suggests rather than dogmatizes, and inspires his listener with the wish to teach himself.

A gifted teacher is as rare as a gifted doctor, and makes far less money.

Barack Obama

At the moment that we persuade a child, any child, to cross that threshold, that magic threshold into a library, we change their lives forever, for the better.

Baruch Spinoza

The highest activity a human being can attain is learning for understanding, because to understand is to be free.

Ben Stein

I came to realize that life lived to help others is the only one that matters and that it is my duty, in return for the lavish life God has devolved upon me, to help others He has placed in my path. This is my highest and best use as a human.

Faith is not believing that God can. It is knowing that God will.

Bob Proctor

Happiness comes when your work and words are of benefit to yourself and others.

Cardinal Newman

Nothing would be at all if we waited until it could be so well that no one could find fault with it.

Carl Jung

An understanding heart is everything in a teacher, and cannot be esteemed highly enough. One looks back with appreciation to the brilliant teachers, but with gratitude to those who touched our human feeling. The curriculum is so much necessary raw material, but warmth is the vital element for the growing plant and for the soul of the child.

Carl Sandburg

Nothing happens unless first a dream.

Carl W. Buechner

They may forget what you said, but they will never forget how you made them feel.

Carlton Young

Our society is so caught up in winning, we forget that most of the great men and women in history have, at one time or another, failed at something. Often repeatedly, and discouragingly. But each failure is nothing more than a brick in the wall that forms the foundation of our success. We can't forget that.

Charles A. Cerami

Most great men and women are not perfectly rounded in their personalities, but are instead people whose one driving enthusiasm is so great it makes their faults seem insignificant.

Charles Lamb

No one ever regarded the first day of January with indifference.

Charles Sawyer

Of all the forces that make for a better world, none is so indispensable, so powerful, as hope. Without hope, people are only half alive. With hope, they dream and think and work.

Chief Seattle

The earth does not belong to us; we belong to the earth.

Chinese proverb

Teachers open the door, but you must enter yourself.

Colin Powell

There are no secrets to success. It is the result of preparation, hard work, and learning from failure.

Confucius

Life is really simple, but we insist on making it complicated.

Acquire new knowledge whilst thinking over the old, and you may become a teacher of others.

Dale Carnegie

All of us tend to put off living. We are all dreaming of some magical rose garden over the horizon - instead of enjoying the roses that are blooming outside our windows today.

Dan Snow

When teaching, light a fire, don't fill a bucket.

David Butler

Don't burn down the barn to get rid of the mice.

David Hurst-Thomas

It's not what you find; it's what you find out.

David Mc Kay

Find a purpose in life so big that it will challenge every capacity to be at your best.

Denis Waitely

The results you achieve will be in direct proportion to the effort you apply.

Diogenes

The foundation of every nation is the education of its youth.

Don Juan

We Either Make Ourselves Miserable or We Make Ourselves Strong! The Amount of Work is the Same.

Dr. James Comer

No significant learning occurs without a significant relationship.

Dr. John G. Hibben

Education is the ability to meet life's expectations.

Dr. Martin Luther King

Everyone has the power for greatness-not for fame but greatness, because greatness is determined by service.

Dr. Seuss

The more you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go.

Dwight D. Eisenhower

Every gun that is made, every warship launched, every rocket fired, signifies in a final sense a theft from those who hunger and are not fed.

E.B. White

I wake up every morning determined both to change the world and have one h*** of a good time. Sometimes this makes planning the day a little difficult.

Edward Everett

Education is a better safeguard of liberty than a standing army.

Edward George Bulwer- Lytton

Talent does what it can; genius does what it must.

Euclid

Most ideas about teaching are not new, but not everyone knows the old ideas.

Eugene Ionesco

It is not the answer that enlightens, but the question.

Found in a Chinese fortune cookie

Life is not a problem to be solved but rather a mystery to be lived.

Galileo

All truths are easy to understand once they are discovered; the point is to discover them.

You cannot teach a person anything; you can only help her/him find it within her/himself.

Garrison Keillor

Nothing you do for a child is ever wasted.

Gary Ryan Blair

Success demands focus. It is the hallmark of all truly great people. Your ability to get and remain focused or lack thereof is perhaps the key determinant of your success.

Gene Rodgers

If you're not living on the edge, you're taking up too much space.

George Eliot

What do we live for, if it is not to make life less difficult for each other?

Gus Tuberville

For learning to take place with any kind of efficiency students must be motivated. To be motivated, they must become interested. And they become interested when they are actively working on projects which they can relate to their values and goals in life

Hannah Senesh

One needs something to believe in, something for which one can have whole-hearted enthusiasm. One needs to feel that one's life has meaning, that one is needed in this world.

Harold Thurman Whitman

Don't ask yourself what the world needs. Ask yourself what makes you come alive, and then go do it. Because what the world needs is people who have come alive.

Harv Ecker

How we do anything is how we do everything

Helen Keller

Many people have a wrong idea of what constitutes true happiness. It is not attained through self-gratification, but through fidelity to a worthy purpose.

No pessimist ever discovered the secret of the stars, or sailed an uncharted land, or opened a new doorway for the human spirit.

Although the world is full of suffering, it is also full of the overcoming of it.

When we do the best we can, we never know what miracle is wrought in our life, or in the life of another.

Henri-Frederic Amiel

To know how to suggest is the art of teaching.

Henry David Thoreau

There are a thousand hacking at the branches of evil to one who is striking at the root.

Henry Hartman

Success always comes when preparation meets opportunity.

Henry Miller

The only thing we never get enough of is love; and the only thing we never give enough of is love.

Henry Wadsworth Longfellow

It takes less time to do things right than to explain why you did it wrong.

Horace Mann

Be ashamed to die before you have won some victory for humanity.

A teacher who is attempting to teach without inspiring the pupil with a desire to learn is hammering on a cold iron.

James J. Metcalf

Teacher's Prayer: I want to teach my students how To live this life on Earth.
To face it's struggles and it's strife And to improve their worth. Not just the
lesson in a book Or how the rivers flow, But how to choose the proper path
Wherever they may go. To understand eternal truth And know the right
from wrong, And gather all the beauty of A flower and a song. For if I help
the world to grow In wisdom and in grace, Then I shall feel that I have won
And I have filled my place. . And so I ask your guidance, God, That I may do
my part. For character and confidence And happiness of heart.

James Joyce Dubliners

Mistakes are the portals of discovery.

James St. James

Don't sleep through your dreams.

Japanese Proverb

Teachers don't retire, they just mark time. Old teachers don't die, they just grade away...

Fall seven times, stand up eight.

Jessamyn West

We find what we search for — or, if we don't find it, we become it.

Jimmy Johnson

Treat a person as he is, and he will remain as he is. Treat him as he could be, and he will become what he should be.

John Cotton Dana

Who dares to teach must never cease to learn.

John Wooden

Too often we get distracted by what is outside our control. You can't do anything about yesterday. The door to the past has been shut and the key thrown away. You can do nothing about tomorrow. It is yet to come. However, tomorrow is in large part determined by what you do today. You have control over that.

Joseph Joubert

To teach is to learn twice.

Kahlil Gibran

I have learned silence from the talkative, toleration from the intolerant, and kindness from the unkind; yet, strange, I am ungrateful to these teachers.

L. W. Lynett

The most effective way to cope with change is to create it.

Lou Holtz

You can alter any aspect of your life once you accept that you are the product of your decisions.

Mae West

It's not what I do, but the way I do it. It's not what I say, but the way I say it.

Malcolm S. Forbes

Education's purpose is to replace an empty mind with an open one.

Marcel Proust

20th century parent to child: Eat your food; think of all the starving people in India and China. 21st century parent to child: Do your homework--or someone in India or China may get your job. The real voyage of discovery consists not in seeking new landscapes but in having new eyes.

Margaret Mead

Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it's the only thing that ever has

Marion Wright Edelman

If you don't like the way the world is, you change it. You have an obligation to change it. You just do it one step at a time.

Mark Twain

Whatever you say - say it with conviction.

The man who does not read good books is at no advantage over the man that can't read them.

Mark van Doren

The art of teaching is the art of assisting discovery.

Martin Luther King, Jr.

The art of acceptance is the art of making someone who has just you a small favor wish that s/he might have you a greater one.

Monty Python

You see, I don't believe libraries should be drab places where people sit in silence, and that's been the main reason for our policy of employing wild animals as librarians.

Mother Teresa

Every work of love, with a full heart, always brings people closer to God.

Neil Armstrong

It suddenly struck me that that tiny pea, pretty and blue, was the Earth. I put up my thumb and shut one eye, and my thumb blotted out the planet Earth. . . .I felt very, very small.

Nelson Boswell

The first and most important step toward success is the expectation that we can succeed.

Nena O'Neil

If we do not rise to the challenge of our unique capacity to shape our lives, to seek the kinds of growth that we find individually fulfilling, then we can have no security: we will live in a world of sham, in which our selves are determined by the will of others, in which we will be constantly buffeted and increasingly isolated by the changes round us.

Oprah Winfrey

If you don't know what your passion is, realize that one reason for your existence on earth is to find it.

For every one of us that succeeds, it's because there's somebody there to show you the way out.

Randy Pausch

It's easy to look smart when you're parroting smart people.

At times, we're all living in an I Love Lucy episode.

Automobiles are there to get you from point A to point B. They are utilitarian devices, not expressions of social status.

Sometimes, the most impenetrable brick walls are made of flesh.

Robert M. Hutchins

The object of education is to prepare the young to educate themselves throughout their lives.

Roger W. Babson

It takes a person who is wide awake to make his dream come true.

When we are flat on our backs, there is no way to look but up.

Ronda

Remember your commitment and your FOCUS! Remember that you can only shoot at ONE target at a time as you clear distractions.

Samuel Adams

..it does not require a majority to prevail, but rather an irate, tireless minority keen to set brush fires in people's minds..

Samuel Johnson

Knowledge is of two kinds. We know a subject ourselves, or we know where we can find information upon it.

Seneca

I delight in learning so that I can teach

Socrates

I cannot teach anybody anything, I can only make them think.

Soren Kierkegaard

People demand freedom of speech to make up for the freedom of thought which they avoid.

Stephen Covey

Whatever is at the center of our life will be the source of our security, guidance, wisdom, and power.

Steve Jobs

Be a yardstick of quality. Some people aren't used to an environment where excellence is expected.

Sylvia Robinson

Some think it's holding on that makes one strong; sometimes it's letting go.

Thomas Carruthers

A teacher is one who makes himself progressively unnecessary.

Thomas Edison

To invent, you need a good imagination and a pile of junk.

Thomas Fuller

All things are difficult before they are easy.

Thomas Jefferson

Knowledge is like a candle. When you light your candle from mine, my light is not diminished. It is enhanced and a larger room is enlightened as a consequence.

Tibetan proverb

If the problem can be solved, there is no use worrying about it. If it can't be solved, worrying will do no good.

Tom Landry

Setting a goal is not the main thing. It's deciding how you will go about achieving it, and staying with that plan.

Tony Burroughs

Your purpose is to be revealed to you so that you can spread your wings and cover this earth with that which is your creation.

Tyron Edwards

To waken interest and kindle enthusiasm is the sure way to teach easily and successfully.

Vernon Law

Experience is the worst teacher; it gives the test before presenting the lesson.

Victor Frankl

What man actually needs is not a tensionless state but rather the striving and struggling for some goal worthy of him. What he needs is not the discharge of tension at any cost, but the call of a potential meaning waiting to be fulfilled by him.

Vince Lombardi

The quality of a person's life is in direct proportion to his commitment to excellence, regardless of the chosen field of endeavor.

W. C. Fields

Attitude is more important than the past, than education, than money, than circumstances, than what people do or say. It is more important than appearance, giftedness, or skill.

William Arthur Ward

The mediocre teacher tells. The good teacher explains. The superior teacher demonstrates. The great teacher inspires.

William Safire

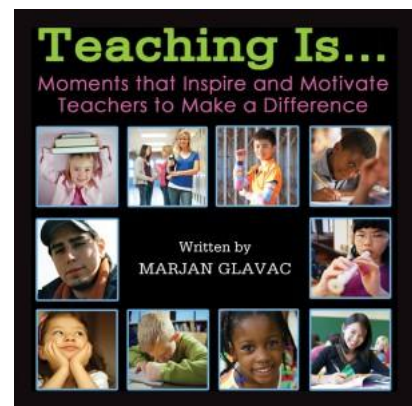
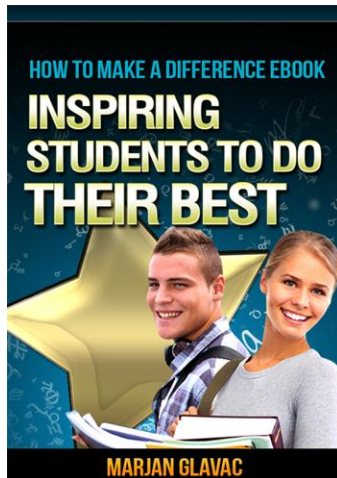
The right to do something doesn't mean that doing it is right.

Winston Churchill

To every man there comes in his lifetime that special moment when he is figuratively tapped on the shoulder and offered a chance to do a very special thing, unique to him and fitted to his talents. What a tragedy if that moment finds him unprepared or unqualified for the work which would be his finest hour.

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