

# VIEWEKISIX

April 12<sup>th</sup>, 2016 Group: HIB

A partial disaster. That's the only way I can describe it. And this time I think it wasn't the children. It was me. Before starting the class, I talk to them about their **last** class behaviour. And we were all in agreement that I will give them time to play and talk if they earned by not breaking the class rules. But I really don't know what was happening to me today. I wasn't feeling good. Nor physical and emotional. And I think the kids noticed. But despite all of that I tried to give my best, and I took advantage of the few moments of their attention, but definitely it was better than last class. That's why I say it was a partial disaster. But at the end, the kids worked with me. The teacher was not there today either I know that's not good, but I also want them to work with me without the need of the teacher to be there all the time, because I could notice they get tense when he is there and they only start to cooperate when he is there because they know he is going to treat them badly if they don't. So I must still try to look for ways to earn their proper classroom behaviour by the proper approaches.

Finally, when we were doing the family tree, most of them were excited, but only a few ones brought the materials, so the rest of the class I divided into groups to make the activity that was planned for all of them, but we didn't make because of the time. I was there supporting them and I even stayed with them at break time. They felt that, and I really liked it. I think we are bonding a lot more. So, It wasn't really a bad day.



# WEEK SEVEN

April 20th, 2016 Group: A/A

Today's class wasn't so bad. I could see some improvements, specially with the teacher's attitude towards the class and me. She stayed inside the classroom most of the time, which is new, compared to other previous classes. She also helped me with the classroom management in such way that at the end of the class while we were doing the family tree activity with the students, some of them (I think they were 5 or 6 students) that were disturbing the activity and didn't let the other students to work well, so the teacher asked those students to go outside the classroom and took them to the principal's office. Once they were gone the ~~peace~~ peace remained inside the classroom to the end of the class. So, even when that was a little drastic, it turned to be necessary and helpful to the class. Then when she came back, she told me that those students had got suspended for one day. Finally, when it was time to go but some students were not finished yet, and considering that some of them didn't bring the materials to do the poster, she offered to collect all students' posters on Monday so she could give it to me next Wednesday. I am really glad that things are changing for the best. That encourages me to give my best and to have a positive attitude towards the teaching practicum.