LEARNING THE RULES - #2

Directions: Below are examples of student behavior. Put an + (plus) in the space next to the description if the student is making a good choice. Put a - (minus) if the student is making a poor choice. If the student is making a poor choice, describe what he/she should do differently. Use complete sentences.

1. _____ Melanie is upset with her friend and swears at her.

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2. _____ Sarah hops into her seat as the bell rings and starts talking to the guy sitting next to her.

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3. _____ Steven didn’t finish his homework assignment and comes into the classroom in the morning before class to finish it.

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4. _____ Shelaine finishes the reading questions early and starts passing notes to her friend across the room.

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5. _____ Al is stuck in a group with a guy he doesn’t like. When the guy starts calling Al names, Al jumps up and starts pummeling the guy.

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6. _____ The teacher begins giving directions on how to do the night’s homework. Margaret listens attentively and double checks her agenda.

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7. _____ Andrew and Max are working on an assignment together. Andrew does the first two problems and then copies the rest of the answers from Max.

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8. Since David didn’t finish eating his bag of chips during the break, he wraps up the package and puts them back in his backpack before coming into the room.

9. The teacher starts to give the class directions for an assignment. Michael has a question, and blurts it out before the teacher can finish what she is saying.

10. Eileen gives Lucy a piece of gum during the break. Lucy thanks her and puts it into her mouth.

11. Victor had baseball practice and didn’t get his vocabulary assignment finished, so he turns it in for partial credit.

12. Tiffany doesn’t understand how to do the assignment so she raises her hand and continues working while she waits for the teacher to assist her.

13. Maria needs a pencil. She knows Cliff has one so she takes it out of his backpack.

14. Mark is absent for two days. He knows the teacher doesn’t take late work so he doesn’t make-up the missed assignments.

15. Mary gets finished with her class work and takes out her cell phone to text her friend when the teacher isn’t looking.