

I think my teacher is special because she teaches in a fun way. Every Friday, she does 'playday' in math, where we play games all day. Also, she goes the extra mile to make sure we have fun in school. She lets us share ideas in class like setting arrangements, learning skills, and other things. My teacher puts in the effort to make her class feel safe, happy, and able to learn. She is different from the other teachers because she always stays on the positive side of things and makes jokes out of a lot of things. My school does a fun program called Linton Idol, where all the students have a chance to do a minor version of American Idol. My teacher took time out of her schedule to dress up like an American Idol judge and judged my performance. She told me how well I did and it made me feel really good inside. I think that a very special and important person in my life is my teacher, Mrs. Barnes.

McKaela 5th grade - Mrs. Barnes class.

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