

Final Essay

Growing up English wasn't my favorite subject simply because I didn't understand how to comprehend a lot of the material. This was hard for me because I went to a school that didn't really care for teaching. I had a horrible English teacher that couldn't care less about teaching. So when I moved to a better school all the kids were in better standing with English than I was. I met a teacher named Ms. Rose. It was the best thing to happen to me. She taught me after and before class so I could catch up to the other students. Me already not enjoying English made me brush it off the shoulder but she never gave up on me which led me to believing in myself and my reading abilities. This was a mind altering experience for me as I only was comfortable with her when it came to writing and reading. I want to say that you remind me of her and I'm more than grateful to have your teachers. It's been a long semester for me with a lot of noncontrolling things and I'm blessed to have someone who was very supportive and understanding. Many of my other teachers were mean and strict about everything making it very difficult for me to learn and grow as a person and student. I learned many new things that can improve me as a writer and a person in the real world. For example, I didn't realize that I use pathos, Logos, and Ethos on a daily basis. Working at bestbuy showed me that you need those skills to succeed in life and you brought that to my attention. Now I look forward to spreading my knowledge that you have passed down to me to others. If just one out of the 50 people I tell or show it to learn and pass it down also I will be more than satisfied with myself as a person. Keep being an amazing teacher and guidance towards everyone you teach. Coming from someone who had a teacher who showed little interest in teaching I want you to know that you are truly amazing and informative.

The class material was challenging to me but I knew I could always email you or stay after class and ask questions. I would say if I could add some things in your class it would be more interaction among groups as I learned more from hearing others thoughts. My favorite was the Dog Vs Cat as it gave me a better understanding of things and the concept behind it. I wish you all the best in your teaching career and really hope to see you teach English composition 2 so I can be a part of your team again and continue to grow as a person. I remember you told me about teaching computer gaming. I've been thinking about minoring in computer gaming as far as developing the coding for the games.

Stay hungry and stay Humble -Travis