

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Hour: \_\_\_\_\_

### Getting to Know You Survey

*Directions: Answer on a separate sheet of paper in complete sentences, restating the question.*

1. Why, aside from obeying the law, are you in school?
2. What, if anything, would you rather be doing?
3. Do you like being called by a nickname? If so, what do you like to be called? (Remember, your nickname must be school appropriate.) If you have a story about how you got your nickname, please share.
4. Tell me about a teacher you really liked and what he/she did that you appreciated.
5. Tell me about a teacher that wasn't effective and why.
6. Have you ever lived in a different city? State? Country? Where? When?
7. Do your parents/guardians speak English? If not, what language do you speak with them at home?
8. Who lives at home with you? (grandparents, siblings, etc.) If you have siblings, are you responsible for taking care of them after school?
9. Do you have a job? If so, approximately how many hours a week do you work and do you work nights after school, weekends, or both?
10. Do you participate in any extracurricular activities? If so, what do you participate in (sports, clubs, etc.)? Are these activities through school or outside of school?
11. Of all the movies you've seen or books you've read, which are you most eager to see or read again? Why?
12. Do you get any magazines at your house? The newspaper? If so (to either), which ones and do you read them?
13. On a scale of 1-5 (1 being "I'm a terrible reader" and 5 being "reading comes easily to me") how would you rate yourself? Why do you rate yourself as such?
14. How do you spend your time on the Internet?
15. Did you tell the truth in answering questions 1 and 2? If not, why not?
16. Would it disturb you if I threw away your answers without reading them? Why or why not?
17. Do you like being praised/rewarded in front of the class? If not, when do you like to receive praise/rewards?
18. What did you do over the summer to prepare for this school year?
19. What is something you like to brag about? Why is this so important to you?
20. What do I need to know about you to help you be successful this year?