

# TEACHING AT DOWLING CATHOLIC

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FIRST NAME

MIDDLE

DIRECTIONS: Please answer each of the questions give below as best you can. If more space is needed, please attach additional pages.

1. What do you want to accomplish as a teacher?

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2. How will (do) you go about finding out about student's attitudes and feeling about your class?

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3. An experienced teacher offers you the following advice: "When you are teaching be sure to command the respect of your students immediately and all will go well." How do you feel about this?

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4. How do you go about deciding what it is that should be taught in your class?

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5. A parent comes to you and complains that what you are teaching his child is irrelevant to the child's needs. How would you respond?

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6. What do you think will (does) provide you the greatest pleasure in teaching?

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7. When you have some free time, what do you enjoy doing the most?

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8. How do you go about finding what students are good at?

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9. Would you rather try a lot of way-out teaching strategies or would you rather try to perfect the approaches that work best for you? Explain your position.

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10. Do you like to teach with an overall plan in mind for the year, or would you rather teach some interesting things and let the process determine the results. Explain your position.

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11. A student is doing poorly in your class. You talk to her, and she tells you that she considers you to be the poorest teacher she has ever met. What would you do?

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12. If there were absolutely no restrictions placed upon you, what would you most want to do in life?

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