

Using a Framework to Create Better Choices

Could you survive in POVERTY?

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Or...

Could you survive in WEALTH?

Chapter 3

Hidden Rules Among Class

 Hidden rules are the uspoken cues and habits of a group.

Tools

Poverty: illustrates a lack of tools

 When tools are not available, things are not repaired or maintained. TheCaseSolutions.com

Middle Class: tools are one of the main identifiers of the middle class

 One of the biggest differences in class is how the world is defined for them

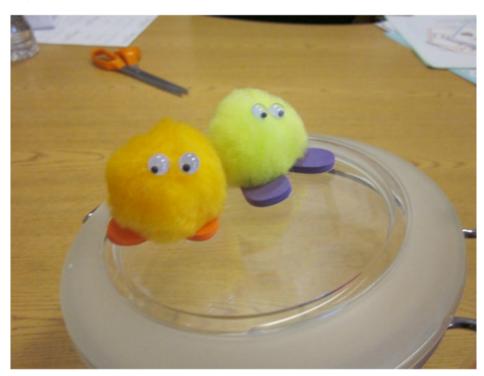


What does this mean?

- People's assumptions relate to their understanding of hidden rules.
- Students need to be taught hidden rules of middle class as another set of rules that can be used.
- Parent's and student's attitudes are part of their culture and belief systems.
- An understanding of culture and values of poverty will lessen the anger and frustration that teachers may feel.



Quiet Critters



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Their Magical!

What is a Quiet Critter?

The Quiet Critters will only come out of their "sound proof" container if it's completely quiet.

They have no mouths so they don't talk and like quiet.

They want to sit on your desk and see what you're doing and how you get smarter.

They don't really like to be held or played with.

They don't like their eyes touched for fear of an eye infection.

*To be honest the story grows as necessary.
They can even escape from their jar one day and go missing because the class has been so noisy.

