

## Flunking--An effective teaching tool

It is generally accepted that the essence of education is the teaching of facts and reasoning skills to our children, so that they learn to think. In this case, many teachers teach their student facts and reasoning skills in class though it is not clear whether the students understand. And the main problem is teachers let them pass the exam easily so many students never pay attention to learning.

To put an end to this unfavorable phenomenon, in my mind, teachers are supposed to use an effective teaching Tool – Flunking. For teacher, threat of Flunking is the trump card to make students perceive something is at stake if they don't put school first. For example, if a student always talking to his friends in class or never pay attention to their homework, teachers are supposed to warn them that they are going to be flunked. In this way students will realize that they did wrong, and try to correct it.

Someone may say that it's too cruel for students. But I believe it is better for those students who can't find a satisfy job and finally discover they are handed meaningless diplomas and have been cheated by our educational system. Looking in another way, fear of failure can motivate studying.

Flunking as a regular policy may cause short-term pain to students, but it avoids long-term pain, and it was certified worked well in college. A wise teacher should give students an opportunity to be fail, and they will appreciate you after graduation.