A,B,C’s

I now have memorized my ABC’s, now for my DEF’s.

BASEBALL BALLS & STRIKES – AN ACADEMIC APPROACH

Umpire #1 (absolute truth) Balls and Strikes "I call them as they are"
Umpire #2 (Descartes - I think hence I am} “I think it a strike, hence it is a strike.”
Umpire #3(Eye of the Beholder) “I call them as I see them"
Umpire #4 (The Name Is the Thing) "They are not balls and strikes until I call them."

“BUYING” BEHAVIOR OF STUDENTS

A research study just finished today reveals that the best time for students to buy a college education or anything was last year.

CAN’T STAND IT – SELF GENERATED

Three faculty members were eating their daily brown bag lunches. The faculty from Minnesota had a lutefisk lunch. The instructor from Iowa had corn for lunch, and the teacher from Wisconsin had a cheese sandwich for lunch. "I hate cheese," said the teacher from Wisconsin, "If I have another cheese sandwich for lunch it will kill me." “Minnesota nice" was reflected in the empathy response from the Minnesotan, “I know your considerate wife, and I am sure if you talk to your wife she would pack something other than a cheese sandwich,” “I pack my own lunch,” noted the Wisconsin teacher.

CARES - nobody cares

If you think nobody cares try missing a couple of payments.

CHANCE:

- Chance is ignorance. (Ignorant currently of laws at work in this situation.)
- Einstein said something like, God doesn’t pay with dice.
- Chance is not chance if you prepare for the situation.

CHANGE

Nothing changes except change itself, that is, change is inevitable- except from vending machines.

CHICKEN CROSSED THE ROAD:

One of the eternal questions is, “Why did the chicken cross the road?”

Answers:

1) An American First-er: To steal a job from a decent, hard-working American worker.

2) Believer in Projecting Techniques: The road, you will see, unconsciously represents your sexual urges. The chicken crossed the "sexual urges" in order to trample them, to pervert them, and keep them down, never permitting them to see the light of day.

3) Fly By Night Computer Company: I have just released the new chicken 2006 computer, which will both cross roads AND balance your checkbook, though when it divides three by two it gets 1.499999999.
4) Person With A Very Short Term Memory: I don't recall.

5) Evolutionist: Chickens, over great periods of time, have been Naturally selected in such a way that they are now genetically disposed to cross roads.

6) Relativist: Whether the chicken crossed the road or the road moved beneath the chicken depends upon your frame of reference.

7) Transcendentalist: The chicken did not cross the road it transcended it.

8) Adventurism: To boldly go where no chicken has gone before.

9) Hippocratic: Because of an excess of phlegm in its pancreas.

10) Bad Comedian: Because it heard there was a man over there laying bricks and it wanted to see for itself!

11) Freedom Fighter: I envision a world where all chickens will be free to cross roads without having their motives called into question.

12) Moses: And God came down from the Heavens, and He said unto the chicken, "Thou shalt cross the road." And the chicken crossed the road, and there was much rejoicing.

13) Means Ends Person: The point is that the chicken crossed the road. Who cares why? The end of crossing the road, justifies whatever motives or means there was.

14) Police Department: Give me ten minutes alone with the chicken, and we will find out.

15) Anti-Establishment: Because that's the only kind of trip the establishment would let it take.

17) Richard M. Nixon: I want to make it perfectly clear. The chicken did not cross the road, I repeat, the chicken did not cross the road.

18) Saddam Hussein (en earlier time): This was an unprovoked act of rebellion and we were quite justified dropping 50 tons of nerve gas on it. It is the mother of all Chickens.

19) Buddha: If you ask this question, you deny your own chicken nature.

20) Carl Jung: The confluence of events in the cultural gestalt necessitated that individual chickens cross roads at this historical juncture, and, therefore, synchronically brought such occurrences into being.

21) John Locke: Because he was exercising his natural right to liberty.

22) Conspiracy Theorist: It was a government conspiracy.

23) Jean-Paul Sartre: In order to act in good faith and be true to itself, the chicken found it necessary to cross the road.

24) Oliver Stone: The question is not "Why did the chicken cross the road?" Rather "Who was crossing the road at the same time whom we overlooked in our haste to observe the chicken crossing?"

25) The Pope: That is only for God to know.

26) Free Willer: The chicken, being an autonomous being, chose to cross the road of his own free will.

27) Grandpa: In my day, we didn't ask why the chicken crossed the road. Someone told us that the chicken had crossed the road, and that was good enough for us.
28) M.C. Escher: That depends on which plane of reality the chicken was on at the time.

29) George Orwell: Because the government had fooled the chicken into thinking that the chicken was crossing the road of his own free will, when the chicken was really serving the government's interests.

30) Colonel Sanders: I missed one?

31) Plato: For the greater good of all chickens.

32) Maslow: To self-actualize its full potential as a whole entity unto its self, and as far as that chicken is concerned that is just the start.

33) Karl Marx: It was historically inevitable.

34) Determinist: Because of external influences, which had pervaded its sensorium from birth, had caused it to develop in such a fashion that it would tend to cross roads, even while believing these actions to be of its own free will.

35) Evolutionist: Chickens, over great periods of time, have been naturally selected in such a fashion. It was the logical next step after coming down from the trees.

CLASS WORK AND TRAFFIC

Beat the 5 o'clock traffic rush. Leave your classes at noon!

COLLEGE AND THE ABNORMAL

The difference between a mental institution and college is that, in the mental institution you have to get better to graduate, or get out.

COLLEGE FAILURE

There is an article I use in starting certain courses; it discusses how people usually account for student failure in terms of:
1. The student's lack the intellectual ability, and
2. The students are not motivated; they are too lazy. The author then attempts to do an environmental analysis, and he shows ways to reduce failure of students.

This can lead to a joke.

Teacher: Johnny, do you make such bad mistakes because you do not have the ability to learn the correct thing, or because you are apathetic?

Johnny: I do not know, and I do not care.

COLLEGE MONEY

It was graduation day and the parents were trying to take a picture of their child in a cap and gown, posed with them. "Let's try to make this look natural," one parent said. "Junior, put your arm around your parent's shoulder." The parent answered, "If you want it to look natural, that would entail having a hand on my wallet."

COLLEGE PULL

Rejected by the college of his choice, the banker's son angrily accosted his parents. "If you really cared for me, you'd have pulled some wires!" "We know," replied the parents sadly. "The TV, the stereo, and the telephone would have been good for starters."
COMING OR GOING ON FIRST DAYS OF COURSE IN A UNIVERSITY

John enters the crowded waiting room of Professor X. X is known for ambiguity in lecturing and assignments. This often produces, during office hours, a waiting room full of students with appointments: filled with stress, who were completely lost souls, tied in knots, not knowing what end is up, etc.

When John first stepped inside the waiting room, his impression of the situation was that Professor X was behind in his appointment schedule, and that he was in for a long wait for the appointment the faculty had set for him. Then the critical thinking course he had taken started to come to the fore. He realized that a number of alternate explanations of the crowded waiting room were possible and he might not be in for a long wait, for example, the waiting room is:

1. shared by many faculty, and he will be next for Professor X,
2. also a bus stop and as soon as the next bus leaves, the waiting room will be empty,
3. the best coffee in the building is in this waiting room?
4. and highly probably they might be finished with X, and just finishing the article started before the visit.

He did not know how to resolve this conflict, suddenly, almost impulsively he blurted out at one of the students sitting in the waiting room, "Are you coming or going?"

The Student looked back at John and answered. "If I knew that I would not be here."

CONCLUSION

A conclusion is where you get tired of thinking about a problem.

CONFUSION

Students: How do I get to classroom 101?
Teacher: It is located 5 right turns down the hall way, then a piece to the left, back again left, no right 4 doors, back again left, no right. Hmm, come to think of it, you can't get there from here.

CREATIVITY

I should make you all feel incredibly creative by comparison.

CRITICISM

For every action, there is an equal and opposite criticism.

DISBELIEF

When a person has a strong belief, it is hard, at times, to change that belief, as the following case illustrates:

Student: I have developed this strange delusion that I am dead. And I just can't get rid of this idea.
Teacher: This is a simple cure. Do dead people bleed?
Student: No
Teacher: (cutting Nancy) Look blood! Now what do you have to say?
Student: Dead people do bleed.

DEFICIT

Professor, I missed the exam you gave last week and I would like to make it up.
Dr. Fraud: Fine. Just write what you like least about the course you are taking from me at the present time, yes, and to what personality defect in yourself you attribute this dislike to.

DE JA VU

Right now I'm having amnesia and de ja vu at the same time.
-(Repeat) now the de ja vu session of the class. Now the de ja vu section of the class.

DE JA VU (IN DICTIONARY)
You have looked this up before.

DE JA VU (NEW FORM OF FORGETFULNESS)
"I think I forgot that definitions before."

DEPENDS
(Always a correct answer) Any question a good answer is, “It depends....”

DESIGN
Boeing announced a new plan to manufacture bigger planes that would hold 900 passengers. This is a change to the current architectural utilization plan. Currently they planned to accomplish the same goal by manufacturing smaller and smaller seats.

DISCIPLINE CONFUSION (USE ANY DISCIPLINE)
X is the only field in which two people can get a Nobel Prize for saying exactly the opposite thing.

DISCIPLINE (WHICH IS # 1?):
W, X and Y were arguing about what was God's real profession. W said, "Well, first and foremost, God is a W because he created the principles of W by which humans are to live." "Ridiculous!" said X, "Before that, God created man and woman to enjoy X so clearly he was an X." "Wrong," said Y. "Before that, he created the heavens and the earth. Before the earth, there was only complete confusion and chaos!" "Well," said the Y, "From which discipline do you think the chaos came from?"

DISSERTATION:
8 things not to say at your dissertation committee meeting:
1. That bad part was my dissertation chairperson's idea.
2. Can I still select a new dissertation committee?
3. I have $50 for each of you.
4. I know your spouse didn't come home last night, I had a great time with him/her at the hotel.
5. Oh, was I supposed to have some work done for today?
6. B.F. who?
7. I would prefer you didn't find anything wrong with my dissertation.
8. Sir, did you release gas?

DOGMATIC
They believe the perfect person is one who does not use evolved animal instincts, that is he/she is less DOG...matic and CAT...egoristic.

DREAM
I feel like the instructor who dreamed he/she was in front of a class lecturing and woke up and found out he/she was.

I have a suit for everyday of the year; this is it.
DRIVE - (CLOTHING DRIVE)

As I was saying, in most cultures adults wear clothes at some times, perhaps there is a drive for this, a clothing drive.

DRUGS

Words are interesting, e.g. "Experimenting" with drugs. Can you imagine "No, officer I am not using drugs, I'm only experimenting with drugs. My lab coat is in the back seat". "No officer I can't roll down the window. The air will ruin the experimental controls. There are many extraneous variables outside the car."

EDUCATION: I am guss another brilyunt mind diztroayed by the publik edukashun sistum.

EDUCATIONAL ETHICS

Secretary: I suppose I should see if any dictation was left last night by the good professor therapist. (Turns on tape recorder)
Voice of student on recorder: Kiss me doctor.
Professor: No, I couldn't do that. It would not be ethical.
Student: Oh doctor, hug me.
Professor: No, nope, no it is against my professional standard.
Student: Oh doctor just one kiss.
Professor: No, I am sorry; matter-of-fact, I should not even have been here on the bed with you for the last 8 hours.

ENTROPY

The concept of entropy is not what it used to be.

EVIDENCE:

That kind of evidence is like having your feet firmly planted in midair.

EXAMS

A student asked his teacher if a person should be punished for something he hadn't done. "No," said the teacher. "Of course not," "Good." said the boy. "I haven't done my homework."

FAMOUS FACULTY:

I had coffee with the President of the United States and the Pope earlier today, and I heard someone asking, "Who are those people?" When I looked, they were pointing at us. One fellow said, "Don't you know, he is a famous psychology teacher."

The other guy said, "Yes, of course I know him! But who are others two?"

FACULTY CANDIDATES

After interviewing a job candidate, A candidate was described as monosyllabic. The Chair said, "Where is Monosyllabic?"
One played along and said that it was just north/south of Ebonia. He replied "Oh, you mean over by Italy?"

FACULTY WORK

"I've taught here for eight years," an overworked faculty said to the Chair, "and I've been doing the work of three faculty. I want a raise." "I can't give you a raise," the Chair answered. "But if you'll tell me who the other two faculty are I'll fire them."

FACULTY MEETINGS
I hope when I die, I die at one of my faculty department meetings. The transformation will be so minimal I won't even notice it.

FAILURE

Success always occurs in private, and failure in full view.

FANATICS

Death to all fanatics!

FED UP WITH PEOPLE

There is a cannibal taking the human relations course. He says he is fed up with people. I heard him order a pizza with everybody on it, and then he was expelled from school for buttering up his teacher.

FEET

Remember, feet prevent legs from dragging on the ground.

FOLLOWERS

I must go find my followers

FOOLISH

A fool and his money are soon party-ed.

FOUL UP

One thing about imperfection: it brings such joy to others.

FUN THINGS FOR PROFESSORS TO DO ON THE FIRST DAY OF CLASS

1. Wear a hood with one eyehole. Periodically make strange noises.
2. Confirming names on the roll, announce class as "Advanced Astrodynamics 690"
3. then mention that yesterday was the last day to drop.
4. After turning on the overhead projector, clutch your chest and scream "MY HEART."
5. Wear a pointed Kaiser helmet and a monocle and carry a riding crop.
6. Gradually speak softer and softer then scream "YOU! WHAT DID I JUST SAY?"
7. Deliver your lecture through a hand puppet.
8. If someone asks a question ask them, "Would YOU like to lecture, Smarty-pants?"
9. Pick out random students, ask them questions, and time them with a stopwatch.
10. Record student heart rates in your grade book.
11. Ask students to call you "Tinker bell" or "Clark Kent."
12. Stop in mid-lecture, frown, and then ask the class whether your butt looks fat.
13. Show a video on medieval torture to your class. Giggle throughout it.
14. State, "You'll need this", and write the suicide prevention hotline number on the board.
15. Start the lecture by dancing and lip-synching to James Brown's "Sex Machine."
16. Ask occasional questions but mutter and move on before anyone can answer.
17. Ask the class to read Jenkins to Johnson of the phone book by the next lecture.
18. Have a students sprinkle flower petals ahead of you as you pace back & forth.
19. Address students as "worm".
20. Announce the entire grades will one oral question asked at any moment.
21. Turn off the lights, play a tape of crickets chirping, and light a blowtorch.
22. Demand each student's name, rank, and serial number.
23. Begin class by opening a bottle of vodka, and end the class when the bottle is done.
24. Have a band in the room. When anyone asks a question, have the band start playing.
25. Often freeze in mid sentence, stare off into space, and resume your sentence.
26. Announce that last year's students have almost finished their class projects.
28. Bring a CPR dummy to class and announce that it will be the teaching assistant.
29. Have a grad student pluck at a bass while you lecture.
30. Give an opening monologue. Take 2 minute "commercial breaks" every 10 minutes.
31. Pass out dental floss to students and devote the lecture to oral hygiene.
32. Sneeze on students in the front row and wipe your nose on your tie.
33. Warn students that they should bring a sack lunch to exams.
34. Refer frequently to students who died while taking your class.

GENE POOL

The problem with the gene pool is that there is no lifeguard.

GOD

My teacher said there are 2 things to remember: first "There is a God, and second, you are not it!"

GOOD

If it is good, they will stop making it.

GRADE CHANGE FORM IN A COLLEGE COURSE

TO PROFESSOR: _______________ FROM STUDENT: _________________________

I think my grade in your course should be changed from an F to A+ for the following reasons:

_____ 1. All the students who copied my paper got a higher grade than I did.

_____ 2. The person whose paper I copied got a higher grade than I did.

_____ 3. This grade will lower my Grade Point Average and I will not get into:

___ Nuclear Physics Program
___ A Fraternity/Sorority
___ Mickey Mouse Club
___ High School

_____ 4. I need an A in this course to balance the F in _____.

_____ 5. I'll lose my scholarship. I need to maintain a D average.

_____ 6. I'm on a varsity sports team and my tutor couldn't find his copy of your exam.

_____ 7. I didn't come to class, and the person whose notes I took did not cover the material asked for on the exam.

_____ 8. I studied the basic principles and the exam wanted every little fact.

_____ 9. I learned all the definitions but your exams asked for more.

_____ 10. You are prejudiced against:( Please Circle More The One)

_____ Males
11. If I flunk out of school my father will disinherit me, or at least cut off my allowance.

12. I was unable to do well in this course because of the following: (circle correct answer(s))
   - Broken baby finger
   - Acute alcoholism
   - VD
   - Lack of brains
   - Lack of guts

13. You told us to be creative.

14. I was creative, and you said I was just shooting the bull.

15. I don't have a reason; I just want a higher grade.

16. The lectures were:
   - Too detailed and filled with information to pick out important points
   - Not explained in sufficient detail
   - Too boring
   - All jokes and not enough material
   - All of the above

17. This course was:
   - Too early, and I was not awake.
   - At lunch time, and I was hungry
   - Too late, and I was tired

18. My (dog, cat, gerbil) (ate, wet on, threw up on) my book, notes, paper) for this course.

19. I spent the most money I have ever spent to buy a term paper in this class.

20. It is not my fault the person next to me didn’t know the answers.

GREETINGS WITH PSYCHOLOGICAL IMPLICATIONS

A. How are you?
B. I would like to tell you, but if I told you, I have to kill you cause you would know the secret.

   - You are looking fine, how am I?

   - A. Hello, how are you?
     B. Hmmm, I wonder what he meant by that.

   - A. Have a good day,
     B. No thank you, I had other plans.
     C. Relative to what!
GULLIBLE

I never knew anybody who went broke underestimating the bad taste and/or gullibility of other humans.

HALF WAY

Teacher: I'm willing to meet you halfway. I'll admit I'm wrong if you'll admit I'm right.

HAND AND STEP FORWARD

On the other hand – take a step forward, (put in other hand & take a step forward)

HAVING FUN

Are you students having fun? I will change that.

HEADLINES (Comical Newspaper Headlines)

- Something Went Wrong in Jet Crash, College Professor Expert Says
- Police Begin Campaign to Run Down Jaywalking Students
- Shot Off Student's Leg Helps Tiger Wood to 66
- Enraged Cow Injures Ag Student with Ax
- Student Pilotled Plane Too Close to Ground, Crash Probe Told
- Students Refuse to Work after Death
- Stolen Student Painting Found by Tree
- Never Withhold Herpes Infection from Loved One
- Drunken Student Drivers Paid $1000
- If Faculty Strike isn't Settled Quickly, It May Last a While
- Cold Wave on Our Campus Linked to Temperatures
- Red Tape Holds Up New Bridge on Campus
- Storm Rips Through Cemetery by Campus; Hundreds Dead
- Student Struck by Lightning Faces Battery Charge
- Students Make Nutritious Snacks
- Faculty Throws His Heart into Helping Feed Needy
- Campus Students Can Drop Off Trees
- Local School Dropouts Cut in Half
- Student Minus Ear Waives Hearing
- Deaf College Opens Doors to Hearing
- Old Main Pillars are Replaced by Alumni
- Medical School Sued by 7-Foot Doctors
- Some Pieces of College Professor Sold at Auction
- Sex Education Delayed, Faculty Need Required Training
- Include your Students When Baking Cookies

HESITATION

He who hesitates is probably right.

HISTORY DOES IT REPEAT ITS SELF

History does not repeat itself; historians merely repeat each other.

HISTORY FUN

That Isaac guy invented gravity. Gravity is noticeable in the fall when the apples are falling off the trees.
Bach had a great many musical compositions and had a large number of children. Bach died from 1750 to the present. Bach was the most famous composer in the world, and so was Handel. Handel was half German, half Italian, and half English. He was very large.

Beethoven wrote music even though he was deaf. He was so deaf he wrote loud music. Beethoven expired in 1827 and later died.

The sun never set on the British Empire because the British Empire is in the East, and the sun sets in the West.

The nineteenth century was a time of many great thoughts, inventions, and other such events. People stopped reproducing by hand and started reproducing by machine. The invention of the steamboat caused a network of rivers to spring up. Cyrus McCormick invented the McCormick reaper, which did the work of a hundred men. Louis Pasteur discovered a cure for rabbits. Charles Darwin was a naturalist who wrote the Organ of the Species. Madman Curie discovered radio. And Karl Marx became one of the Marx brothers.

HOME

At 9 I ran away from the circus to join a home.

HOMUNCULI:

Leaving all of the supposed homunculi and animism out of ones explanations of human behavior is practicing good basic animal rights.

HONESTY

A teacher lost her wallet in the bustle of Christmas shopping. It was found by an honest little boy who returned it. Looking in her wallet, the teacher commented, "That's funny. When I lost my wallet there was a $10 bill in it. Now there are ten $1 bills." The boy quickly replied, "That's all right, the last time I found a wallet, the person didn't have any change for a reward."

HONESTY - GEORGE WASHINGTON

It happened many years ago in a small rural community. The day after Halloween, a man calls his teenage son in for a chat.

"Son someone pushed our outhouse over last night. Did you and your friends do it as a Halloween prank?"

"Dad, we didn't do it."

"Son, let me remind you of the story of George Washington. His father asked him if he chopped down the cherry tree, and George had the integrity to tell the truth. Did his father spank him? No, his father was impressed by his son's honesty. Now son, tell me the truth: did you and your friends push over our outhouse last night?"

"Well Dad, when you put it that way, I guess I should tell you that yes, we are the guys who did it."

Whereupon the man turns his son over his knee and administers the traditional punishment of that bygone era. Naturally, the son protests: "Hey pop, what was all that you were telling me about George Washington and his father?"

His father replied, "Well son, George Washington's father wasn't actually in the cherry tree when George chopped it down!"

IDENTIFICATION DATA APPLICATION FORM - NOVEL WAYS TO FILL IN THE BLANKS

Name: Yes, I have one – or Only the name my parents gave me - or “I forgot how to spell it.” - or:

Johnson, I never have changed my name.
Last name,  First name

Sex: “Occasionally” - or “only the safe kind” - or “yes please” – or “only if I don’t need to get involved personally”

Date: Friday and Saturday nights only – or Once in a blue moon.

Church Preference: Red Brick - or I am the &^%*# special agent of god, I am the Chosen One.

Occupation: Yes, I am occupied most of the time

Work History: I work well only under very very close supervision.

What grade: F is my average grade. - Or I only eat grade A eggs.

Previous Positions: "yes" – or "How personal" - or "usually lost" - or "I prefer sitting."

Race: No, I am too slow. - or Human

Height: What are you measuring?

Weight: Are you saying I'm fat.

What Job Are You Applying For: none of your business

Physical Shape: Like a hourglass - or square

Current Salary: Yesterday I bought some very long fresh kind at the grocery store, love it with salt.

Physical Health: Yes, I believe I once had one.

Mental Health: I am very much in favor of it, I often tell people support mental health or I will kill you.

CLOSEST INTERSECTION TO YOUR HOUSE: the corner of “WALK” and “DON’T WALK

HOME STREET: I am not sure, but where they have those street signs!

Under 18 need not apply - "If I go get 17 friends can I apply."

Are you under 18: 18 what?

What experience most qualifies you for this position: I was a parapsychologist on the planet Venus.

Hobbies: Robbing banks

Amount of Outstanding Debts: 5 cents to mom, 10 cents to dad

Current P.O. status: You’re right; I am really P.O.ed at these questions

Do you have problems with alcohol? No, not me, I limit myself to a pint of Jack Daniels every hour.

State the relationship of you to your mother: Her child.

Phone: Yes, but I do trip over the cord on my cordless phone, and I do not like to use it continually.
In case of a fire emergency, how do we get to your house: In a big red truck - duhh!

In case of a health emergency, whom should we call: a doctor

Do you drive? I have been told by many I drive them crazy, but no other driving experience.

Birth Place: My mother, I was told, but I don't remember.

Parents: yes – or My parents both died 10 years before I was born.

Next of kin: My parents never had any children that lived.

Location: Location of what?

Time at current address: 8:45 AM right now

Length of residence: approximately 20 by 20

Can you state what your sex life is: Like WOW man!

Last name of mother: She last wrestled for the WWE under the name of “The Undertaker

Last name of father: He last danced at De Ja Vu under the name Margie the Wam Wam Girl

Salary you would want if you were accepted for the job you are applying for: I work cheap; I would work for 1/2 cent per millisecond.

Reason for leaving last job: maturity leave - or "They insisted that all employees get to work by 10:30 AM every morning. I couldn't work under those conditions.” – or “The company made me a scapegoat, just like my 20 previous employers.”

Marital status: single, unmarried, unengaged, uninvolved, and no commitments. - or “often.”

Children: What about them?

Personal interests: Donating blood, fourteen gallons at a time.

Work Experience: Please don't misconstrue my fourteen jobs as 'job-hopping'. I have never quit a job.” –or “My endless list of incredibly relevant job experiences is exceeded only by my modesty. I have an excellent track record, although I am not a horse.” - or “I was working for my mom until she decided to make me work.” - or “Let's meet, so you can 'ooh' and 'ahh' over my experience.” - or “I haf lurnt much and well b a gret kopy editorial.”

Honors: Checker juniors champ in local playground 2of 5 years.

Comment on your relationship to your former employer: I am loyal to my employer at all costs.

Please feel free to respond to my application for your job, call collect to my work phone

References: None, as I've left a path of complete destruction behind me.

Position in Class: back seat - or Finished 195th in my class of 194.

SOCIAL SECURIT: ” I would rank my social security number as a 2. I am really socially insecure. I am scared of my own shadow.”

PARENTS: None.

PHONE: Yes, before 9 p.m.

SIGN HERE: “Sagittarius”

IN CASE OF A FIRE DESCRIBE HOW SHOULD THE FIRE DEPARTMENT SHOULD GET TO YOUR HOUSE? Dugh, use that big red truck, I guess

Goals: Be a goal post, or my goal is to be a meteorologist, but I have no training in meteorology, I suppose I should try stock brokerage or nuclear physics.
Sign Here: Sagittarius or "I didn't see a sign here."

When the person finished the questionnaire, they went to hand it in, the sign with an arrow pointing to the left side of the desk said, “leave.” So the person went home with the questionnaire.

IMPAIRED

I'm not lazy. I'm motivationally impaired.

IMPATIENCE:

A. Knock, knock,
B. Who is there?
A. One impatient cow.
A. Moo
B. One impatient cow who?

IMPORTANT RULE FOR ALL TO LIVE BY

Version #1: A college professor announced daily all term that on the last day of the course the students would be given a one single metaphoric rule absolutely needed for happiness in all lives. Finally on the last day of the course it happened. "Life is a river," after a pause one student asked, "What do you mean a river?" The professor replied, "Well, maybe it is not a river."

Version #2: A professor announced many times that at the end of the term the students would be told the only important rule of life needed to live by. On the last day of class the professor started to lecture, with no mention of the critical rule that was emphasized all term. Near the end of the class hour a student asked, "Is the only critical rule for life going to be given?" The professor replied, "Oh, I forgot my notes on that topic. I forgot everything about it. I can not tell you a thing about the most important rule for life without my notes."

INDUCTION - DEDUCTION:

Deduction is all about putting the pieces of the puzzle together.
Induction is all about finding the pieces.

INDIVIDUALITY

Everybody repeat after me, “We are all individuals.”

INK
How can you tell when you run out of invisible ink?

INSULTS

Teacher: I asked all of the dumbbells to stand, and you're the only one who did, Joe. Are you a dumbbell?
Joe: No, but I thought you might be a little lonely standing there all by yourself.

INTELLIGENCE

-Artificial intelligence is no match for natural stupidity.

-Joe changed his address from Texas to Vermont. The person who took the call asked where Vermont was. As he tried to explain, the person interrupted and said, "Look, I'm not stupid or anything, but what state is it in?"
-You can learn a lot after you know it all.

INVERSE RELATIONSHIP

-The hardness of butter is proportional to the softness of bread.
-The colder the x-ray plate, the more of your chest is required to be pushed against it.

JOBS (ANY DISCIPLINE)

Learning X is extremely useful as a form of employment for X.

JOB SEEKING INSIDE TRACK (USE ANY 3 DISCIPLINES)

X, y and z apply for the same job. The interviewer calls in x and asks, "What does 1+1 equal?" X replies "2." The interviewer asks "2, exactly?" X says "Yes, 2, exactly." Then the interviewer calls in y and asks the same question "What does two plus two equal?" Y says "On average 2 - give or take ten percent, but on the average 2." Then the interviewer calls in z and poses the same question "What does 1 + 1 equal?" Z gets up, locks the door, closes the shade, sits down next to the interviewer and says, "What do you want it to equal?"

JUST ADD NAME

A Psychology Professor was drowning his sorrows one night in a tavern because his chair had just fired him for no reason at all. It happened just after the chair had sent around some prints of the Declaration of Independence to be used for wall plaques. "What’s wrong with that?" the Professor was asked. "I dunno," was the reply, "all I did was read it, add my name to the bottom, and pass it on!"

LAMENTS OF AN EDUCATOR

So many overheads
So little time

LAZINESS

Hard work pays off in the future. Laziness pays off now

LEARNED IN LIFE - EVERYTHING WORTHWHILE I NEEDED TO LEARN IN LIFE I LEARNED FROM MY COW:

Wake up in the morning in a happy mow-d
Don't cry over spilled milk
Seize opportunity and milk it for all it's worth
Never take any bull from anybody
Don't forget to cow-unt your blessing everyday.
Life is easier when you take the bull by the horns.

LEARNED IN LIFE - EVERYTHING WORTHWHILE I NEEDED TO LEARN IN LIFE I LEARNED FROM MY PIG:

Live high off the hog.
Wallow in the mud not self-pity.
The sty's the limit.
Don't hog the conversation, or anything for that matter.
Oink, drink, and be merry.

LEARNED IN LIFE - EVERYTHING WORTHWHILE I NEEDED TO LEARN IN LIFE ABOUT LIFE I LEARNED FROM THE POPE

If you want a little attention, wear a funny hat.
Biblically speaking, you're not really that old.
It's okay to be seen in public wearing only your robe.
It's always fun to dress up.
A little Latin goes a long way.
It's good to know a few people in high places.
Unfortunately there are no prayers to stop the aging process.
Even saints have wrinkles.

LEARNED IN LIFE - EVERYTHING WORTHWHILE I NEEDED TO LEARN IN LIFE I LEARNED FROM SANTA:

Love and live magic.
Everybody loves you when you're jolly.
Everybody loves surprises.
The more you give, the more you get.
You can never have too many toys.
There is a little child in each of us.
If you're going to pout, you better watch out.
A few extra pounds keeps you warm in the winter.
Wear red and get noticed.
It's a wonderful life.
Merry Christmas!!!

LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

I am writing this letter to commend the services of my former student X. I most enthusiastically recommend this person with no qualifications whatsoever (this person has no qualifications whatsoever). I’m sorry we let X get away (we should have prosecuted), for X is not your average, everyday worker and/or student (every other day, maybe). You won’t find many people like X (most people can’t stand X at all). Whenever X was asked to do anything, it only took a second to get it done (a second person, that is). You can ask X to do anything, and X won’t mind (X won’t do it, but X won’t mind you asking). X has always asking if there was anything X could do (we were always wondering that, as well). Given the opportunity, I am certain that X will quickly forge a name with your company (don’t leave any blank checks lying around). You will be very fortunate to get this person to work or study for you (unfortunately, we couldn’t get X to work or study for us). All in all, I cannot recommend X too highly (in fact, I can’t recommend X at all).

Sincerely,

LOST
Faculty: "Why don't you wear the new beautiful expensive sweater you found?"
Johnny: "I'm afraid I might meet the student I found it from."

MARRIAGE

Love may be blind, but marriage is a real eye-opener.

MARRIAGE DATING

Psychiatrist: Do you ever go out with the opposite sex?
Faculty: No.
Psychiatrist: Why not?
Faculty: Because my spouse wouldn't allow it.

MARRIAGE MIXED (MIXED IS RELATIVE):

Two homosexuals were standing on the street. When my wife and I walked by these two, my wife and I were arguing. I heard one of the homosexuals say to the other, "Look at those mixed marriages, they never work."

MEMORY

Student: Doc, lately I have noted I am having trouble with my memory.
Teacher: You mean you forget a lot?
Student: Forget what?
Teacher: Just forget the right things and you will turn forgetfulness into virtue.

- A couple was talking after a session of their memory course, when one asked the other:
  A. "How was the memory class?"
  B. "Outstanding. They taught us all the latest psychological techniques like visualization, association, etc. It was great."
  A. "That's great! What was the name of the clinic?"
  B. His face went blank. He thought and thought, but couldn't remember. Then a smile came to his face and he asked, "What do you call that flower with the long stem and thorns?"
  A. "You mean a rose?"
  B "Yes, that's it!" He turned to his wife, "Rose, what was the name of that memory clinic?"

- An old blacksmith realized he was soon going to quit working so hard. He picked out a strong young man to become his apprentice. The old fellow was crabby and exacting. "Don't ask me a lot of questions," he told the boy. "Just do whatever I tell you to do." One day the old blacksmith took an iron out of the forge and laid it on the anvil. "Get the hammer over there," he said. "When I nod my head, hit it real good and hard." Now the town is looking for a new blacksmith.

- How many of you wish you had a better memory? How many forgot the question?

- Everyone has a photographic memory. Some just don't have any film or at least poor quality film.

- A clear conscience is usually the sign of a bad memory.

MISTAKES

"A doctor can bury his mistakes, an architect can cover his up, a farmer can plow his under, but a teacher's mistakes grow up and may become your chancellor, your dean, your chair, etc."

MODESTY

- Always try to be modest and humble. And I am damn proud of it!
-I used to be conceited, and then I went to a psychologist, now I am just a nice person.

MONDAY

-Monday is an awful way to spend 1/7 of your life.
-Monday is an awful way to spend 1/5th of your academic career.

"MURPHY'S LAW OF POLICY MAKING"

Policy makers have the least influence on policy where they know the most, and agree the most. They have the most influence on policy where they know the least, and disagree most vehemently.

MYTH

Santa Claus, the tooth fairy, a practical X (any discipline), and a drunk are walking down the street together when they simultaneously spot a hundred dollar bill. Who gets it? The drunk, of course, the other three are mythological creatures.

NAME

Alice: I have a problem Doctor. I am extremely conscious of my name of Alice Himindinger.
Faculty: Yes, I can see where that name could present a problem. What would you like to change it to?
Alice: Nancy
(Problems are in the eye of the beholder.)

NON DIRECTIVE/DIRECTIVE ROGERIAN TEACHER

Depressed Student: I just feel lousy and rotten.
Rogerian Faculty: Ah, you say you don't feel good?
Depressed Student: Ya, I am really depressed.
Rogerian Faculty: You say you feel pretty bad?
Depressed Student: Yes, I may kill myself.
Rogerian Faculty: Oh, you say you may dispose of yourself?
Depressed Student: Yes, I am, right now, by jumping out this window. (Student jumps)
Rogerian Faculty: And there he goes!

OBSERVATION

-You can observe a lot by looking and watching

-Now just how close were you to the car when it collided with you?

OPINION (USE ANY PERSON OR ANY DISCIPLINE)

If you put two people in a room, you get two opinions, unless one of them is a x (use any person or discipline), in which case you get three opinions.

OPTIMIST

-Optimist-- A person who thinks this is the best of all possible worlds, and yells in all the windows as the person falls from the 30th floor, "All is going well thus far."

OVER TOO SOON PERCEPTION

My two week semester break that started one hour ago and is over in a minute or two.

P & Q’s
In English pubs, ale is ordered by pints and quarts. So in old England, when customers got unruly, the bartender would yell at them mind their own pints and quarts and settle down. It's where we get the phrase "mind your P's & Q's"

PARADIGM SHIFT:

-A para digms (pair of dimes) and 50 cents shifting hands will not get you a cup of coffee at most cheap restaurants, and a paradigm shift isn't worth more in social science.

-A pair of dimes shifting hands even at a bad restaurant won't even get you a cup of coffee, and a paradigm shift, as explanations, in education won't yet you even that much.

PARANOID STUDENT

Just because a student is paranoid, does not mean the world is NOT against the student.

PARKING CAR A PSYCHOLOGICAL FACULTY APPROACH:

A clever faculty drove a very expensive car to a bank in Time Square New York City and requested an immediate loan of $10,000. The bank executive requested collateral. The person offered the expensive car (valued at far more then $10,000) as collateral. The car was immediately taken to the bank collateral lot by the bank, in exchange for $10,000. When the person returned a month later and asked to settle up his loan and get his car back, "$20.08 in interest", the bank loan agent said. The person paid and started to leave.

"Wait", the bank loan agent requested, "We did a financial investigation and our bank found out you are a Multi-millionaire. Why did you borrow money."

"Where else could I park my car in Time Square for a month and pay only $20.08"

PATHOLOGY (vice):

Psychologist: Where did you learn all your vices, at your mother's knee?
Mr/s Totalality Vice : No, I learned love and kindness at my mother's knee, and all my vices at other joints.

PEACE

- As a faculty member I'd kill for a coveted Nobel Peace Prize.
- Sign: “Support Peace or I Will Kill You.”

PEOPLE AND MATH SKILLS

There are three (3) kinds of people; those who can count, and those who can't.

PESSIMISTS AND BORROWING MONEY

Borrow money from pessimists; they don't expect it back.

PHYSIOLOGY – BE SAFE

Two students were riding on a motorcycle. The one on the back kept complaining about being cold. The driver stopped and told him to put his leather jacket on backwards to break the wind. He changed his coat and they started out again. The motorcycle hit a rough spot in the road and the student on the back fell off. When the driver noticed his friend had disappeared, he went back to find him. A big crowd had gathered around the man at the side of the road. The driver pushed his way through the crowd, "is he hurt?" he asked, "I don't know," a man scratched his head, "He didn't seem to be in much trouble, but we turned his head around the way it belonged and he hasn't spoken a word since!"
PLAN
One possible reason why things aren't going according to plan is that there never was a plan.

PLAGIARISM
Quoting one is plagiarism. Quoting many in an unplanned mixed up fashion is research.

PLASTIC MONEY SURGERY
I had my credit cards forcibly removed.

POLITICS
To succeed in politics, it is often necessary to rise above your principals

PRIVACY
A student installed a skylight in the first floor apartment; the people who live in the apartment directly above the student are furious!

PROCRASTINATION
-My friend is a procrastinator. He didn't get his birthmark until he was eight years old.
-Fun implication involve poverty and procrastination of development – can poverty result in the “late blooming” of many skills, talents, and various repertoires. Can poverty men one has to catch up to the passing environment.

PROOF
-Various consideration about the concept of “proof”:
-One person’s proff is another person’s joke.
-Proof by cumbersome notation: Best done with access to at least four alphabets and many special symbols.
-Proof by example: The author gives only 2 cases and suggests that it contains all to most of the ideas, cases, situations of the general proof.
-Proof by exhaustion: An issue or two of a journal devoted to your proof is useful.
-Proof by funding: How could three different government agencies be wrong?
-Proof by forward reference: Reference is to a forthcoming paper of the author, which is not as forthcoming as stated.
-Proof by ghost reference: Nothing even remotely resembling the cited reference appears in the cited journal.
-Proof by omission: "The reader may easily supply the details."
-Proof by contending. "I contend the other 253 cases are relevant."
-Proof by reference to inaccessible literature: The author cites a simple notion to be found in a privately circulated memoir of the Mars Psychological Association, 2083 BC and or AD.
-Proof by vehement-authority assertion: It is useful to have some kind of authority relationship to the audience.
-Proof by vigorous hand waving: Works well in a classroom and political settings.

-Proof by wishful citation: The author cites what they see as a generalization from the literature to support the claim

-Proof by vast pretender. Sing "I am a vast pretender...."

-Proof is what I have, superstition and other bad names is what others have,

PSYCHIC

-How many of you students believe in telekinesis? Raise my hands...

PSYCHOANALYSIS AT THE PTA

A psychoanalysis is talking to the PTA and/or Parent’s Day at college, and proposes that one can tell the fixations in parents' personality by the first name the parents gave their children. She decided to demonstrate this at a PTA/Parent’s Day meeting. She stated that at the time in their school Penny's parents being fixated on money. Candy's obesity can be attributed to her parents' fixation on candy; Brandy's drinking. At that point Peter, Dick, Rob, John, and Fanny's parents left.

PSYCHOLOGY CLASS EXAM

A psychology teacher had a strict time limit on test taking (i.e. take more then the time limit and you flunk). He did students a favor by calling out the amount of time before the end of an announced timed test. He had the students neatly place the completed tests on the table, and the stack got high with the 1000 students in the class. One student who very much wanted a good grade needed more time. He continued to work after the professor said, "El Fin - it is over". 20 minutes after the test was over, the student put his/her test on the table. The whole time, the professor waited patiently and politely for the student. "What are you doing?" the teacher questioned. "Handing in my exam" "You knew of the time limit." "Yes." "I have some non-news for you, your exam is late. You fail the test." The student asked the professor "Do you know who I am?" "What?" "Do you know what my name is?" "No", stated the professor. The student said, "I knew that." He lifted up one of the piles of completed tests about half way, placed his test neatly into the center of the stack, let the stack fall burying his test somewhere in the middle of the stack. The student turned, and walked out of the test room.

PUN

There was a man who entered a local newspaper's pun contest. He sent in ten different puns, in the hope that at least one of the puns would win. Unfortunately, no pun in ten did.

PUNISHMENT

-No good deed goes unpunished.
- As a punishment for writing on the walls, John had to stay after school and stand in the corner. While in the corner he was told to write on the blackboard 50 times, "I must not write on the walls." Forty-five of these expressions fit on the blackboard and they were written on the board, the remaining five were written just below the blackboard, on the wall!

PUNISHMENT CORPORAL

We formerly dealt out corporal punishment to a child. Then the safety razor took away his razor strap, baldness took away his hairbrush, the furnace took away the woodshed, and TV interfered with the verbal reprimand. It's no wonder kids are running wild today, we are running out of weapons.

PUNISHMENT FOR NOT DOING

Student: Do you think it's right to punish people for things they haven't done?
Teacher: Why, of course not!
Student: Well, I haven't done my homework.

PURPOSE:

A child was a very late talker. Finally, in the school cafeteria the 18 year old said loudly, "The soup is too hot. Teacher: Why haven't you talked before?
Child: The soup was never too hot before.

RACE

A lady in England upon reading the segregation problem here in the US is quoted saying, "I knew we shouldn't have given the colonies their independence. They were not ready for it yet."

RANDOMIZER

Anyone have a random number generator with them, that is a quarter and the ability to flip it.

RELATIVITY (IT IS ALL RELATIVE):

A cop pulls over a car full of people.

Cop: "This is a 65 MPH highway -- why are you going so slow?"

A: "Sir, I saw a lot of signs that said 22, not 65."

Cop: "Oh, that's not the speed limit, that's the name of the highway you're on!"

A: "Oh! Thanks for letting me know.

At this point the cop looks in the back seat where the others were trembling.

Cop: "Excuse me,. what's wrong with your friends back there? They're shaking something terrible."

A: "Oh, we just got off of highway 120."

REINFORCEMENT

-When you don't hear me criticize you, that is my way of reinforcing you.

SCHOOL

-A grade school principal saw some boys huddled together. "What are you doing?" he demanded. "We were telling dirty jokes," was the sheepish answer. "Oh, that's all right. I thought you were praying."

-"Dad, can you write in the dark?" "Of course, son. What do you want me to write?" "Your name on my report card."

-Teacher: "There will be only a half-day of school this morning."
Pupils: "Hooray, whoopee! Great! Tremendous!"
Teacher: "Quiet! We'll have the other half this afternoon."

-Mother: "Why are you home from school so early?"
Son: "I was the only one who could answer a question."
Mother: "Oh, really? What was the question?"
Son: "Who threw the eraser at the principal?"
SCIENCE

Humans long ago once had to struggle long and hard to get even a dim and partial knowledge of science. Today, as a byproduct practically everyone has a dim and partial knowledge of science.

SCIENCE EXPERIMENTS CONTROLS

It took me 20 years to operantly condition this moth, Oscar, to do a double flip. If I rang this bell and gave him a piece of cloth after his flip, it worked great. I took off one leg, and then rang the bell, and Oscar continued to do his flip, and I continued to reinforce. I cut off a second leg and again rang the bell, and again Oscar flipped. I proceeded until I had all his legs off, and then I rang the bell. It was at that moment I made my tremendous discovery. The moth just sat there. The moth didn't hear a thing. Moths with all legs cut off are deaf, yes stone deaf.

SEX - TOP TEN REASONS STUDying IS BETTER THAN SEX!
10. You can usually find someone to do it with.
9. If you get tired, you can stop, save your place and pick up where you left off.
8. You can finish early without feelings of guilt or shame.
7. When you open a book, you don't have to worry about who else has opened it.
6. A little coffee and you can do it all night.
5. If you don't finish a chapter you won't gain a reputation as a "book teaser."
4. You can do it, eat and watch T.V. all at the same time.
3. You don't get embarrassed if your parents interrupt you in the middle.
2. You don't have to put your beer down to do it.
1. If you aren't sure what you're doing, you can always ask your roommate for help!

What is a committee? A group of the unwilling, picked from the unfit, to do the unnecessary.

SEX:

- A. Why don't you ever tell me you have had an orgasm.
B. You are never around.

- What did one behaviorist say to the other behaviorist after making love? "It was good for you, how was it for me?"

- See the latest campaign promise is to make all children literate by the second grade and celibate by the third grade.

SHORT CUT

- A teacher was running to catch the morning bus from far out suburbia. Trotting up to a farmer, he asked, "Say, do you mind if I take a shortcut across your field? I want to catch the 6:45 AM bus." "Sure, go ahead, young feller," replied the farmer, "but if my bull sees, you will catch the 6:15 AM bus."

SHORT PERSON:

A short person is merely vertically challenged.

SIBLING:

- Is your sibling an only child? When the psychologist asked me this question, it bothered me.

SILENT LETTER:
I was traveling in California, and asked, "Where is San Jose." The Californian said in California we do not pronounce J. "Oh, I will see you in San ose in une and uly."

SIMPLE

Things should be as simple as possible, but NOT any simpler.

SLEEP

-A faculty member gave F's for the days when students fell asleep in the class. A student worked all night, and did the best he could for a while, but late in the class the student went to sleep. He awakened to find his teacher standing over him. Remembering the heavy penalty for being asleep, this thinking student kept his head bowed for another moment, then looked piously upward, and reverently stated, "A-a-a-amen!"

-You know how it is when you're reading a book and falling asleep, you're reading, reading...and all of a sudden you notice your eyes are closed from the back side of your eyes? Some people are like that all the time.

-All students who are sleeping raise your hand.

-I have not had a wink of sleep in three days, ya it's a good thing I sleep at nights.

SLOGAN;

Slogan of our school (could be any thing), "Of all the schools in the U.S.A... we're one of them.".

SMOKING SIGN POSTED IN A CLASSROOM:

If you are smoking, we will assume you are on fire and take appropriate action.

SNAIL MAIL

Bills travel twice as fast through the snail mail as checks.

STATISTICS:

-Student: I see here in the paper that they have closed the school cafe for selling 50 percent rabbit burger.

-Teacher: And what is wrong with serving 50 percent rabbit burger?

Student: It was one rabbit and one horse.

-at the 24-hour grocery - the store was locking up as a customer arrived: "Hey, the sign says you're open 24 hours." The store manager replied, "Yes, but not in a row."

-If you had half as much fun as I had, I had twice as much fun as you.

-Student: I promise I will never use statistics if I don't have to take the statistics course.

-Governmental advisor (GA) I have the final election vote from tonight's election. There is good news and bad news. Candidate (C): Give me the good news first. (GA): Your opponent got 52% of the vote. (C): Oh, no! (GA): The good news is you got 58%.

-Boy we don't have any macho-ism any more, today local paper, "news every man needs to know, states a 100% improvement of inclusive pronouns, from .007% to 1%. 


-Statistic don't lie, but liars do statistics.

-Figures don't lie, but liars figure.

-Figures don't lie, but they can be altered so the truth is hidden.

STATISTICS (USE ANY 3 DISCIPLINES STATISTICIANS)

Three x went out hunting, and came across a large deer. The first x fired, but missed, by a meter to the left. The second x fired, but also missed, by a meter to the right. The third X didn't fire, but shouted in triumph, "We got it! We got it!

STRESS REDUCTION:

A. Have a nice stress free day.
B. No thank you, I have other plans.

STRESS WAYS TO FIGHT IT:

- I stare at people I don't like through the prongs of my table fork and pretend they're in prison for various serious crimes.

- I retaliate from my IRS tax anger by filling out my tax forms with Roman numerals, e.g. $X - $III = $VII

-I tattooed "OUT TO LUNCH" on my forehead.

-I make my rent payment in pennies.

-I write full-length stories using alphabet soup which has upper and lower case letters.

STUDENT

This school business is getting so bad. The other day a student asked what time a certain class meets. My reply was, "What time would you like it to meet?"

STUDENT EVALUATION COMMENTS

“This course kept me out of trouble from 2-4:30 on Tuesdays and Thursdays.”

“Keep faculty or tenure board will be shot.”

STUDENT FAILING GRADE.

A student burst into his office. "Professor X, I don't believe I deserve this F you've given me."

Professor X replied, "I agree, but unfortunately it is the lowest grade the University will allow me to give."

STUDENT PROGRESS REPORT

The length of a progress report is inversely proportional to the amount of progress

STUDENT RESUME ITEM

I am also a two-time semi-finalist in the Publishers Clearing House Sweepstakes. (Showing mailing from Publisher's as proof.).

STUDENTS EXPRESSING THEMSELVES:
Dean was involved in a press conference. “Our policy is to give students all kinds of opportunities to express themselves. (The Dean looked out the window and saw some students putting hand prints in a freshly laid concrete sidewalk. The Dean charge out of room, press directly behind, and said to students with hand in concrete:

“Get your hands out of there.”

Press to Dean: “I thought you wanted students to express themselves?”

Dean: “Yes, but in the abstract not the concrete.”

SUBLIMINAL:

I saw a subliminal advertisement, but only for a few seconds or minutes.

SUCCEED

-If at first you don't succeed, then skydiving isn't for you.
-If at first you don't succeed, destroy all evidence that you tried.

SUNSHINE, PHILOSOPHY OF

A day without sunshine is like night.

SWEATING

Don't sweat petty things, or pet sweaty things.

TAPING LECTURES

Someone told the story about the psychology faculty who once experimented with having his lectures played from a tape recorder in his absence. When he showed up in the classroom one day to see how the thing worked, there were no students in the room -- only tape recorders at every desk!

TEACHING:

An X is a person who (teaches) helps, supervises, or assists you solve the problems of life that he/she has avoided by becoming an X.

TEACHING AND PAY

I teach for free, they pay me to grade.

TECHNOLOGY

For a list of the ways that technology has NOT improved your life, press 3 now.

TEMPERATURE

It doesn't matter what temperature the classroom is at, it's always room temperature.

THESAURUS

What's another word for thesaurus?

TIME
-Time is nature's (or God's way) (your choice) of keeping everything from happening at the same time.
- The sooner you fall behind, the more time you'll have to catch up.

TIP OF TONGUE

A. It is on the tip of my tongue
B. Well stick out your tongue, and let us look.

TIRED

Student: Doc, LSMFT
Faculty: What is this?
Student: LSMFT
Faculty: You want a smoke. I remember Lucky Strike Means Fine Tobacco.
Student: No! Let's Stop My Fanny is Tired.

TOOTH-FAIRY

The tooth fairy is to money under the pillow, as the mind is to behavior.

TWO FOR ONE

Buy one, then I will sell you one.

UNIVERSITY AND MENTAL HOSPITAL

Faculty: What is the difference between a hospital and college?
Student: You have to improve to get out of the hospital.

VERBAL BEHAVIOR

Faculty: In English the double negative is usually taken to mean an affirmative; however, in many contexts the double negative is an intensified negative. Now the double affirmative is a stronger affirmative. However, there is no known case of a double affirmative being used as a negative.
Student: Yeah, right.

VERBAL BEHAVIOR - AMBIGUITY

It seems I was drowning and a Beatnik came along and I yelled, "give me a hand" and he just went (claps). So I yelled, "Call me a doctor," and he replied, "You're a doctor."

VIDEOTAPING:

(A guest expressed surprise that the host was taping everything that was going on in the house.)
"Oh, don't let the camera bother you, we videotape everything we say and do in order to argue about it later

WAR

Fighting and war doesn't determine who's right. Just who's left.

WEATHER

Tonight's weather: Dark with continued darkness until dawn.
WEIGHT LOSS BY MAGIC

Genie Craig

WHAT THE BILLING AGENT REALLY MEANS, BE IT CAR REPAIRS, MEDICAL DOCTOR, DENTIST, LAWYER, PSYCHOLOGIST

-This should be taken care of right away."
I have planned a trip to Hawaii next month; I need the money now.

-"Let's see how it develops."
Maybe in a few days I can think how to bill it on your insurance.

-"Let me schedule you for some tests."
I have a forty percent interest in the lab also.

-"If it doesn't stop bothering you in a week, give me a call."
I don't know what to do. Maybe it will go away by itself.

-"Well, we're not feeling too good today, are we...?"
I'm stalling for time. Who are you and why are you here?

-"Let me check your medical history."
Let me see if you've paid your last bill, before I spend any more time with you.

-"We have some good news and some bad news."
The good news is, I'm going to buy that new sports car.
The bad news is, you're going to pay for it.

WHAT THE PROFESSOR REALLY MEANS - LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

I am writing this letter to commend the services of my former student, John Smith.

I most enthusiastically recommend this person with no qualifications whatsoever.
(That is, "This person HAS no qualifications whatsoever.")

I'm sorry we let him get away, (What he means: "We should have prosecuted.")

For Smith is not your average, everyday worker. ("Every OTHER day, maybe.")

You won't find many people like him. ("Most people can't stand him at all.")

Whenever he was asked to do anything, it only took a second to get it done. ("A second person, that is.")

You can ask him to do anything, and he won't mind. ("He won't DO it, but he won't mind your asking.")

Given the opportunity, I am certain that Smith will quickly forge a name for himself within your company. ("Don't leave any blank checks lying around.")

You will be very fortunate to get this person to work for you. ("Unfortunately, we couldn't get him to work for us!")

All in all, I cannot recommend Smith too highly. ("In fact, I cannot recommend Smith at all.")

WHY?
- Why do you need a driver's license to buy liquor when you can't drink and drive?
- Why isn't phonetic spelled the way it sounds?
- Have you ever imagined a world with no hypothetical situations?
- How does the guy who drives the snowplow get to work in the mornings?
- If 7-11 is open 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, why are there locks on the doors?
- If nothing ever sticks to Teflon, how do they make Teflon stick to the pan?
- If you're in a vehicle going the speed of light, what happens when you turn on the headlights?
- Why do they put Braille dots on the keypad of the drive-up ATM?
- Why do we drive on parkways and park on driveways?
- Why is it that when you transport something by car, it's called a shipment, but when you transport something by ship, it's called cargo?
- You know that little indestructible black box that is used on planes, why can't they make the whole plane out of the same substance?
- Why isn't Y spelled with a why?

WIN SOME/LOSE SOME

A - You win some and lose some.
B - Wouldn't that be great!

WINNING

It's not whether you win or lose that counts. What counts is whether I win or lose.

WORDS

- Teacher: Mr. Black, you and Mr. Jones were having a violent argument just now; what was the argument over?
  Mr. Black: Words

- Two trucks loaded with copies of Roget's Thesaurus collided, according to newspapers, "Witnesses were stunned, startled, aghast, taken aback, stupefied, amazed, astounded, unsettled."

WITH

"I am going out for a little lunch. Would you like to come with. People are quick to remind me when I ask them to "come with" that it is not proper to end a sentence with with. Did I just end a sentence with two withs? Well, I guess that second with is being used as a noun rather than a preposition, though. I know it is not proper to end a sentence with with used as a preposition, but is it proper to end a sentence with with used as a noun? With with with is it proper to end a sentence? Can you tell me with with with?

WORK SAVING DEVICES

Professor: Lately, I have noted a decline in the quality of your work. What do you attribute this to?
Student: Doctor, I work 10 hours a day at a job plus a full load of classes.
Professor: What for?
Student: So I can earn more money.
Professor: And why do you need to have more money?
Student: So I can buy more time saving devices.
Professor: And what is the need for these time saving devices?
Student: So I can go to work...now.

WORD USE

Don't use a big word where a diminutive one will suffice.
WRITING

-Sorry I had to write such a long letter, I didn't have time to write a short one.

-A Plea to My Teacher

The good teacher is a worthy lady or gent,  
The students claim “teach” is a God-sent.

“Teach” is like all knowing, right?  
But holy cats, the “teach” just can't write!

The head of “teach” is know-how filled,  
As a teachers they are very skilled.

Yet why since “teach” is so bright,  
Cannot the “teach” learn to write!

Dear gods of teaching,  
Pray, hear the student's sobbing.

Remember that student's plight,  
They have got to read the stuff you write.

Your hand written activities,  
Like Dead Sea Scrolls are mysteries.

Your memo makes your student squint,  
So when you teach, please print.

WRITING A LOT

Graphic diarrhea

WRONG

Q: Why did God create X (any discipline)?  
A: In order to make weather forecasters look good.