Why Teachers Go Crazy

SUBSTITUTE TEACHER: Are you chewing gum?

BILLY: No, I'm Billy Anderson.

TEACHER: How old were you on your last birthday?

CINDY: Seven.

TEACHER: How old will you be on your next birthday?

CINDY: Nine.

TEACHER: That's impossible. CINDY: No, it isn't. I'm eight today.

TEACHER: George, go to the map and find North America.

GEORGE: Here it is!

TEACHER: Correct. Now, class, who discovered America?

CLASS: George

TEACHER: Sue, name one important thing we have today that

we didn't have ten years ago.

SUE: Me!

TEACHER: Didn't you promise to behave?

ROGER: Yes, Sir.

TEACHER: And didn't I promise to punish you if you didn't?

ROGER: Yes, Sir, but since I broke my promise,

I don't expect you to keep yours.

TEACHER: Tommy, why do you always get so dirty? TOMMY: Well, I'm a lot closer to the ground than you are.

HARRY: Teacher, would you punish me for something I didn't do?

TEACHER: Of course not.

HARRY: Good, because I didn't do my homework.

TEACHER: Why are you late? WEBSTER: Because of the sign.

TEACHER: What sign?

WEBSTER: The one that says, "Slow. School Ahead."

TEACHER: I hope I didn't see you looking at Pam's paper.

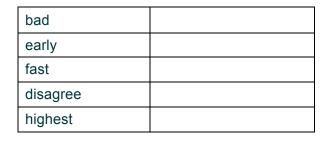
TERRY: I hope you didn't either.

BEN: I don't think I deserve a zero on this test.

TEACHER: I agree, but it's the lowest mark I can give you.

Give the opposites. You can find them in the text.

young	old
possible	
lose	
never	
clean	





agree: say yes

behave: conduct yourself

close: near deserve: merit dirty: not clean discover: find out expect: wait for mark: score mind: care for pet: tame animal

promise: give your word, assure

punish: discipline since: because

teacher's pet: preferred by the

teacher

ten years ago: in the past

