

## The Bargain we make with Teachers

### If you will...

- Show you know and care about the material
- Treat us as smart and capable of challenging work
- Allow us increasing independence but agree with us on clear expectations
- Model how to act when you or we make mistakes
- Show respect for our differences and individual styles
- Keep private anything personal we tell you

### Then we will...

- Believe the material can be important for us to learn
- Feel respected and rise to the challenge of demanding work
- Learn to act responsibly on our own, though we will sometimes make mistakes in the process
- Learn to take intellectual risks; learn to make amends when we behave badly
- Let you limit some of our freedom in the interest of the group
- Trust you with information that could help you teach us better

Fires in the Bathroom

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