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Q What's the greatest bit of advice a mentor has given you?

A: The best advice a mentor ever gave me was to do the projects with my students. If they see me willing to do the work and go through the struggles, they too are willing to give it all they've got.

Q What technological innovation made the most impact on your life?

A: Honestly, I don't know I'm not the biggest tech person around. I guess something that has helped me a lot in my classroom is being able to easily photograph and upload my students' artwork with my phone.

Q Who is your hero, and why?

A: This is hard. If I could only choose one person, I would have to say my Grandpa Knore. He was such a hard worker, passionate about what he did, flew airplanes until his early 80s and showed me what it meant to be to not let anything get in your way.

Q What was your favorite subject in school?

A: Well, obviously, my favorite subject was art. My last year of school, you could find me in that room most of the day.

Q What is one important skill every person should have?

A: The passion to be a forever learner. If you are not willing to always learn, you can never truly grow.

Q If you could go anywhere in the world on vacation, where would you go?

A: Well, amazingly enough, I had an opportunity to go to my dream place of Italy this summer. The art and beauty of the country is breathtaking. I wish I could go back, especially Florence.

Q How would your friends describe you?

A: I think my friends would say I'm a kindhearted hard worker. At least I think so. LOL.

Q If you had a time machine, what point in the past or future would you visit?

A: I think I would go back to the late 1800s during the times of Monet and Degas, right when we really saw artists begin to question what is art and how they could change people's views on it.

Q If you could host a talk show who would be your first guest?

A: I don't know because even jokingly talking about hosting a talk show makes me nervous. I don't think I could ever handle that many people watching me.

Q Share a personal fact no one would ever guess about you.

A: I guess I would be that I first went to college to be an American Sign Language interpreter and not a teacher, though I wouldn't change what I am doing now for anything.