



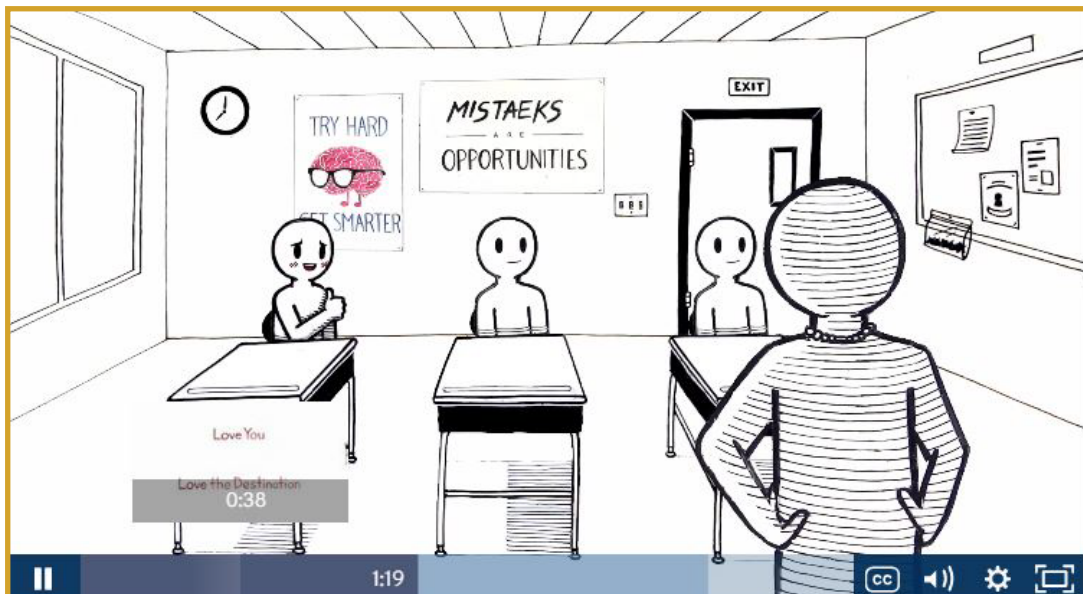
Joy

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My son came home from school recently and declared, “I love my teacher; she is so full of Joy.”

I have been rereading Doug Lemov’s, *Teach Like a Champion*, and in the book he describes the *J-Factor* technique. He shares that, “Joy exists for students in all forms it exists for adults: loud or quiet: individual, small group, or large group oriented. The common theme is for teachers to find a way to let their own genuine version of joy shine through. For some, quiet passion is the most common form; for some its humor; for others high-energy antics.”

In this Match Mini, [The Motivated Classroom](#), the *J-Factor* is addressed as a way to motivate students, support them in seeing the joy in the journey, and pushing through even when the work is hard.



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All the best,

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