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Good morning I.S.201! It's Sophia from class 831 speaking to you once again on today's Words of Wisdom Wednesday.

"Information is not knowledge. The only source of knowledge is experience. You need experience to gain wisdom," from the wise words of Albert Einstein.

This quote may just seem like a confusing bunch of words, but there's a deeper meaning once you break it down. You may think a test score or your average in a class can determine how smart you are. Well, it can't. Your friends may get good grades in one class but you don't, but that doesn't mean you're any less intelligent. A score cannot determine how smart someone is, because not everyone is at the same level.

Intelligence comes from *you* and your mind, not a test score. So, the next time you feel down about a grade just remember that even Albert Einstein himself even failed a class or two! And, yes, your intelligence comes from school and what you learn, but it also comes from valuable life experiences. Those are what make you truly intelligent.

Thanks for listening have a Wise Wednesday (3)

SEAL Team pledge:

We are the Dyker S.E.A.L. Team

Positivity is our dream

We teach it every day

To help others live the optimistic way

We learn to control our emotions and feelings

So, we always have effective social dealings

No stone left unturned; no person left behind

Every member of our team has the power to be kind

We spread kindness to our friends, families, and those who need a smile

When facing hardships and adversity, the S.E.A.L. Team goes the extra mile

