

## **THE SYNOPSIS OF DANGEROUS MINDS MOVIE**

The film tells the story of LouAnne Johnson, a former marine who became an English teacher, LouAnne Johnson is now familiarly known as Mrs. John's. He was stranded at Carkmont High School, teaching a group of bright young people, with little or no education, who tended to accept failure as the color of his life. Mrs. John's chose to gain trust and make changes to their lives. The story begins with the acceptance of Mrs. John's as a full-time academic teacher, at Carkmont High School. Mrs. John's who has capabilities in English literature and experience as a marine and does not yet have a teaching certificate. He quit marines, because of a domestic failure and divorce with her husband. So he accepted with great pleasure when Carla Nicholas, the Deputy Principal offered him the position of a special class academic teacher, with a salary of 24,700 dollars per year.

The first day of teaching, Mrs. John's excited because promised to get special students who are smart. But the reality is different when he entered the class. It turns out that he faces the children who are difficult to control. The children of such diverse races still remain quiet, conversing and busy with their respective affairs. When she tried to get attention, she was still ignored. Even Mrs. John's had to accept abuse from Emilio Ramirez, the most influential student in the class, while trying to ask why the previous teacher stopped teaching. And the first day ends with anger and shame to be brought when Mrs. Johns decides to leave the class.

The first person Mrs. John's encountered was Griffith's co-worker. Mrs. Johns was jealous of the class Griffith was teaching. Then Griffith tried to warn about how the children would be faced in a special class, the key that teachers should be able to focus students' attention. Then at home, Mrs. John's thinking how to overcome the problems that are now facing him. All night He read a book about teaching and got feedback from his friends to attract the attention of his students. Finally Mrs. John's found a way out to solve this problem. He decided to teach karate at the beginning of his meeting, and introduced himself as a former marine. When two of his students Raul and Durrel respond to his teachings and do well, Mrs. John's gives an A for all her students, provided they have to defend until the end of the year in order to graduate from high school.

This attention and enthusiasm he later used to teach the word type, the word conjugation, the meaning of words and the meaning of the sentence. The chosen topics are close to what everyday students have to face with a strong environment of violence, such as choosing, dying, controlling life and choosing in the face of life and death. The students were interested, Callie, Raul, Durrel, was smart enough to respond to the lessons. The first success of Mrs. John's was accompanied by a stern warning from the principal for teaching karate to her students, though with the excuse to attract attention though. Mrs. John's must follow the curriculum applicable at the school.

Raul decides to owe a \$ 200 coat to a renter for dinner, and must return it within a few days. And Raul then told Mrs. John's about it and asked for a truancy license to make a replacement money to the loan shark, or he would be killed.

Mrs. John's, did not give permission to Raul, but he was willing to lend Raul the required money on condition, Raul should be able to graduate from school, in exchange for debt, and Mrs. John's stressed that Raul was the person responsible for his promise. Mrs. John's also faced a problem when finally found out that Callie, the brightest student in her class had become pregnant and decided to quit Parkmont, and went to Clearview, a school that teaches how to care for babies and be a good young mother. Although Mrs. John's finally found out that there was never really a prohibition for girls to get pregnant, as Callie suspected, but she could not change Callie's decision. Callie's decision is supported by his mother, who considers Mrs. John's as a woman who dislikes men and dislikes marriage. Students also start hooked with rewards each learning new poetry. But Mrs. John's was able to instill that learning itself was a gift to them. Being able to read and understand something, know how to think, and be able to train the thinking process is a gift. A strong mind must be trained, every new reality gives another choice, every new thought creates a new muscle of thought, and we need those muscles as weapons in our lives. Another problem arises when Durrel and Lionel, two twin brothers, get out of school because his mother considers Mrs. John's has poisoned them with poetry and dreams about an unreligious future with their lives.

The greatest shock felt by Mrs. John's is when she is unable to help Emilio overcome the problems faced. Emilio is accused by another Carkmont High School student who is also a drug dealer, snatching his girlfriend. Emilio threatened to be killed. Mrs. Johns gave her a place to stay and managed to

awaken Emilio to keep her eyes closed and kill before she was killed. Emilio is advised to report the case and ask the Principal for protection. Emilio wants to do it. Unfortunately, Emilio was expelled by the Principal simply for not knocking on the door, before entering the principal's office. On the same day the school principal's expulsion, Emilio was found three blocks from her school, in an inanimate state.

The incident made Mrs. John's decided to stop teaching at the end of the first semester. Nevertheless, his disciples awakened Mrs. Johns about his teachings about choosing a way of life and not to succumb to failure. On the last day of Mrs. John's teaching, Callie, who had decided to go to school, returned and alerted Mrs. John's, that all her surviving students desperately needed Mrs. John's. They need their presence to stay with them to realize the ideals and paths they have chosen, to take the school seriously. And finally Mrs. John's is willing to return, and reinvents her spirits to come together to realize what she has started.