The Ninth Grade was asked what it was like having Miss Paula as a teacher. Frankie Merkle said, "I ain't scared of her. She ain't hard." You can see Miss Paula has quite a job ahead of her . . . she hates hearing the word, "ain't," and it usually costs you a quarter if you use it in her class.

Camile Bishop said, "She is a good teacher, but she IS hard!" Shaun Brandt plainly said, "She is nice." The rest of the class all agreed that they like her because even though she is hard, they know she really cares about them and wants them to learn.



New members of the Class of '97, Nicholas Ackerman tries to make Frankie Merkle look ``a little stupid!''  $\,$ 



Angela Thompson and Jennifer Sweat are proud to be freshmen and eagerly await the year of '97!



Miss Freshman, Vickie Davis, is enjoying her second year at AJA and is proud to be a member of the Class of '97.