

Strategy Tool: Defining and Teaching Classroom Rules

Use the following forms to 1) define your classroom rules and 2) develop a lesson for how you will teach specific rules in your classroom.

Classroom Rules for Success
List three to five positively stated, specific, observable, and concise rules that will allow students to be successful in your classroom all year long.

Develop a plan to teach students in your classroom the rules. It will be helpful to review the lesson plan throughout the year.

Define Rule
Teach
Model
Positive example:
Negative example:
Practice
Praise/Reinforce