

TEACHERS STRATEGIES IN ONLINE CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT

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Classroom management may be a teacher's style or technique to stay their students attentive and motivated. It is important for the teacher to implement classroom management to handle misbehavior in a class and for the students to have a discipline. Whether physical classroom or online class, proper classroom management is required. Managing the classroom is one among the toughest parts of being an educator because the scholars must know what to expect a day when it involves routine activities.

In this time of Pandemic, teachers are encountered different challenges. An online class is one of the alternative way to solve the problem in Education. The online class is a big challenge for both teacher and students because some students have no access of internet so teacher needs to make a module. And for students who has access of internet, cannot attend the class because of power interruption or loss of internet connection, so not being to connect with the students every day is hard and causes disturbed or unfinished online class,. In online class, teacher needs to be more energetic and more attentive to determine if the students still listening to the class. Handling students and keeping them interested at the same time is a task for the teachers, we don't know whether our students listen to our discussion or not. More effort and patience is a must for teacher.

We all know that students have different learning style, teacher need to insert different learning strategies to cope up with students so that no one can left behind. Before the web class, give your students time to get rid of all the items that would distract them. Next is to ask your students to find a quiet place to avoid background noise or distractions, mute the microphone of the gadgets if needed and or use headphone. Tell again to your students to treat online class like a face-to-face class, sit properly in a front

of a webcam, and always wear a uniform. Eyes on the camera, wear a smile and be polite. Of course, not only students should do those things, as an educator you ought to be a task model. In a web class, teachers got to present or share their PowerPoint presentation, motivate them using your slide, create a stimulating slide use different virtual cues which will indicate specific actions. Use blackboard as a background of your slide for the scholars to feel the particular classroom, notebook icon means it is time for a quiz. If the scholars are motivated, learned, and enjoyed your lesson, you manage your class effectively. Teachers have different tactics like raising student's hands if they want to answer. Zoom features a property called breakout rooms where the teacher can assign two or more students to a separated virtual room to possess a little discussion.

Sometimes students answer one at a time, some ask questions, and a few make unproductive gossip that results in distraction or interruption. Teachers need to handle this kind of behavior, teachers can choose to mute students from speaking if they are dominating the conversation. Teachers also can use hand signals, as an example once you need everybody to concentrate, you'll stop speaking and lift both hands as a symbol for the remainder of the class to stop talking.

Poor online classroom management creates an unsuccessful learning environment. Teacher must prepare everything they need before the class, not only the materials they need but also prepare ourselves too.

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