

Empowerments for Student Learning

Exclusively for Adjuncts

Honoring active learning and supportive teaching environments in a changing paradigm of higher education

Expand your knowledge. Broaden your resources. Spark students' inspiration.



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“Effective teachers know how to open the door and invite their students to learn.”

Harry Wong

Students are influenced more by the depth of our conviction than by the height of our intelligence. Even though we all open our doors and invite students to learn, there are many small gestures we can offer and strategies we can model to become more effective teachers.

Think about:

- 1) Greeting your students by name as they enter
- 2) Offering a variety of highlighters, post-it notes, colored pencils, etc. for student use within the class period
- 3) Grouping and/or pairing students in unique ways so everyone becomes comfortable and acquainted
- 4) Involving learners frequently to keep all engaged
- 5) Allowing students to make choices when appropriate. Ex: Research paper or oral presentation

“Students can refuse words, but they cannot refuse an invitational attitude.” *Harry Wong*



With Best Regards,

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