

In developing your checklist, address the following elements in effectively managing a classroom:

A Positive Classroom Climate

How should a teacher establish and maintain effective relationships with students (knowing something about individual students, showing interest and affection for each student, including student interest in content, engaging in physical behaviors that convey interest, and using humor when appropriate)?

High Expectations

How should a teacher communicate high expectations of *all* students in the areas of: academic achievement, behavior, the affective domain, pride in work, and student goal-setting?

Rules, Norms and Procedures

How should a teacher establish and enforce rules, norms and procedures (to include behavior, transitions, equipment use, bathroom use, etc.)?

Managing Behaviors

What positive and negative strategies should be used (think token systems and Class Dojo, etc.)?

De-escalation Strategies

How should a teacher handle, prevent and/or intervene in disruptive behavior?