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Learning Environment Plan


CLASSROOM ARRANGEMENT



Welcome
Back To
School



Dear Educator Friends,



Whether you are new to teaching or a seasoned veteran, the start of a new school year always comes with a bit of jitters. One of the best ways to deal with new year nerves is to be well-prepared. This Learning Environment Plan is the foundation of my classroom. It is a living document that gets tweaked throughout the year. I hope this guide works as wonderfully for you as it has for me.

Yours in teaching & learning,
Tasha



How to Use this Resource

Digitally

You can import this as a PDF and start using it like you would any other PDF inside GoodNotes. There are currently no interactive bookmarks set up in it but you can add stickers to it, write in it, draw on it, etc. It also works in Notability, Paper 53, Procreate, Microsoft OneNote and other similar programs that allow you to import PDFs.

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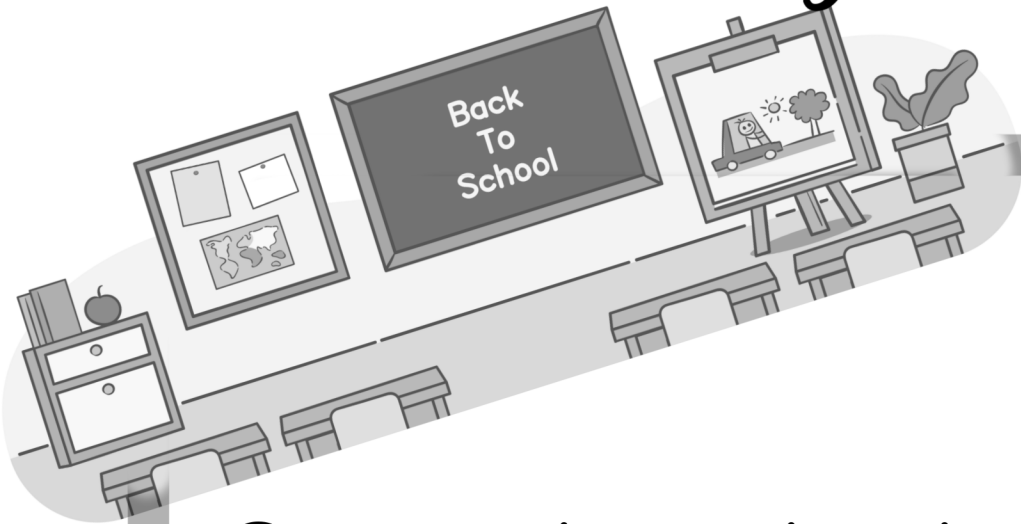
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Central to the Learning Environment core practice, and connected to Policies and Procedures, is the arrangement of your classroom.

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Things to Consider

<p>POSITIONING OF STUDENTS' DESKS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - facilitates & supports student-student interaction, & includes all students - all students can see you, pertinent posted materials, & the board - make it easy for you to circulate among all students - makes it easy for students to move where & when they need to
<p>LOCATION OF HANDOUTS OR MATERIALS</p>	<p>These will be the materials students need upon entering class</p>
<p>PLACEMENT OF COMMUNAL SUPPLIES</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - reference materials & self-care items (tissue, hand sanitizer, etc.) - placed to easily allow students access - placed in a convenient and disturbance-free area
<p>YOUR TEACHER DESK</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - located/arranged so that you have convenient access to what you need throughout the class period (including technology, administrative forms, handouts, clipboards, supplies, etc.) - located/arranged so that there is a dedicated & easy-to-reach spot for all handouts/materials needed for a given lesson
<p>IMAGES, MESSAGES, & MATERIALS ON THE WALLS</p>	<p>In these images, messages, and materials students should see themselves, their community, and their story reflected and celebrated</p>



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<p>Where will you locate your teacher "headquarters" so that your arrangement meets the necessary criteria?</p>	
<p>How will you ensure your students see themselves and their community in the images posted in your classroom over the course of the school year?</p>	

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