

# Teaching Tips



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# Rules of Thumb



- Maintain sense of humor
- Be patient
- Be polite, but firm

# Interacting with Students



- Convey your enthusiasm
- Teach, don't police
- Treat students with respect

# The Don'ts of Designing a Class



- Don't try to cover everything
- Don't grade everything
- Don't recreate the wheel

# The Do's of Designing a Class



- Do get and keep their attention
- Do match objectives with activities with assessment
- Do break assignments into chunks and give feedback along the way

# Rules and Resources



- Know Purdue's rules and regulations  
[www.purdue.edu/univregs](http://www.purdue.edu/univregs)
- Take advantage of CIE: workshops, website, and staff  
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