



New Faculty Teaching & Learning Tips



Fall 2013 Day One Tip

Dates & Events



During the **First Day of Class**,

[Verify course add/drop dates](#)

[Prepare Syllabi](#)

[Verify your class roster](#)

Determine student skill levels with a diagnostic

Create a **Positive Start!**

[Break the ice with icebreakers](#)

[Alleviate Student Anxiety](#)

Build Community

[First Week Learning Principles](#)

More in [McKeachie's Teaching Tips: Strategies, Research, and Theory for College and University Teachers.](#)

Student Corner



How well do you know your students?

Why not review the [HCC Student Handbook?](#)

Chickering and Gamson (1987) illustrate the "[Seven Principle for Good Practice in Undergraduate Education.](#)" Can you...

1. Build community with students?
2. Develop cooperation?
3. Encourage active learning?
4. Offer prompt feedback?
5. Emphasize time on task?
6. Communicate high expectations?

	7. Respect diverse ways of learning?
Teaching Corner	Ask Your Mentor
<p style="text-align: center;">Are you in command of your classroom?</p> <p>Review Smart Classroom Tutorials.</p> <p>Bookmark the New Faculty LibGuide</p> <p>Bookmark your Campus Home Page</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>	<p>Jana Bielecki, Ybor City jbielecki@hccfl.edu</p> <p>Dr. Barbara Goldstein, Dale Mabry bgoldstein@hccfl.edu</p> <p>Johana Melendez, Plant City Jmelendez6@hccfl.edu</p> <p>Dr. Michael Odu, Brandon modu@hccfl.edu</p> <p>Janet Willman, SouthShore jwillman2@hccfl.edu</p> <div style="text-align: right;">  </div>
<p>“Every moment is a learning moment.” <i>First Week Learning Principle</i></p>	