

# The Classroom Management Blueprint: A Step-by-Step Flow

Effective classroom management is built on a foundation of relationships and clear structure. This flow transforms the "5-Part Blueprint" into a concrete, one-page plan that moves from proactive connection to consistent behavioral response.

## Phase 1: Setting the Foundation

### Define Relationship Moves



Plan daily "connection moves" like greeting students by name to build a safe environment.

### Map Entry & Transition Routines



Design a predictable routine for the first 2 minutes and clear movements between activities.

### Explicitly Teach Expectations



Identify specific behaviors to model and practice rather than using vague rules like "be respectful."

## Phase 2: The Response & Consistency System

### Script Redirection Language

Please take your seat.

Let's discuss this later.



Prepare neutral, non-emotional phrases to redirect students privately and avoid escalation.

### Formalize the Follow-Up System



Create a consistent process for handling repeated issues and patterns after class.

### KEY FINDING: Prioritize Predictability over Perfection

Maintain a neutral tone and address issues early to create a sense of safety.