Day 1 - The Basics

First 10 minutes

Introduction activity: everyone will tell their name, age or grade, and something they did this summer!

Rest of class (50 minutes)

I will teach the students about all the history of the game, two sides and their goals, and most importantly the six chess pieces that will help them win!

Homework

Each student will complete the first 6 lessons on chesskid.com(which start from - meet the rook and go till meet the knight).



Click learn > lessons

The lessons are a great way to improve, your chesskid.com account should say that you have reached night 1 by the end of the homework for today.

Day 2 - The Rules and Checkmate

First 10 minutes

Introduction activity: Any questions, and discussion of the homework.

Rest of class (50 minutes)

We will look at the 3 main rules: check, checkmate, and stalemate!

Homework

Each student will complete the lessons: check-to-stalemate.



Click learn > lessons

The lessons are a great way to improve, your chesskid.com account should say that you have reached bishop 1 by the end of the homework.

Day 3 - Unique Moves

First 10 minutes

Introduction activity: Any questions, and talking about any hard parts of yesterday's homework.

Rest of class

We will begin by a few custom positions that I have made. Each student will privately tell me the best move through the chat for each position based on yesterday's homework. After each student has responded, I will explain the correct answer to the whole class. Next, I will talk about king and queen checkmates.

Homework

Each student will complete the lessons: castle-to-back rank mates.



Click learn > lessons

Each student must do all of the lessons till they reach special pawns. Do not finish the lesson, just stop once you reach it. This includes a video and a quiz per lesson Then they must go to



And do the top two workouts: the rook roller, and the queen and king.

Day 4 - Starting Chess Games

First 10 minutes

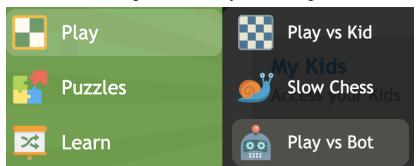
Introduction activity: Any questions, and talking about any hard parts of yesterday's homework.

Rest of class

I will teach the students about hanging pieces and learning to count (in chess of course!). The students will play their first chess games online. I will be monitoring the games and giving advice to both sides on all games.

Homework

Each student will play 2 online games with a robot Extra Assignment: Play 2 more games!!



Click Play > Play vs Bot

Start with level 1 and if you win play level 2.



If you are doing the extra assignment: try to see the highest bot you can beat!

Day 5 - Tournament Within Our Class!

First 10 minutes t

Introduction activity: We will talk about how well everyone played against the bots.

Rest of class

Because today is the last day, we all will have a day of fun. Every student will play a few games with other students. I will be watching each game and giving feedback. If time permits, I will go through a lesson or two.

Homework

I know that this is the last day: (. But I will provide resources to assist everyone on your chess journey in the future. This will include physical chess clubs to play at and gain experience, online resources, and contacts with chess coaches. I hope to see you online on chesskid from time to time!