

Class Issues, Procedures, Policies

Issues:

1. what is the function of homework (schoolwork)?
2. do due dates make the work and learning better or worse?
3. should control be internal and external (strict vs. lenient teacher)
4. assignments aren't the goal, learning is the goal
5. learning can be self paced and self directed (challenge yourself)
6. is everyone being challenged? (see #5 above)
7. is the allowed class atmosphere too casual (lying down, jokes, open seats, etc) or does that stuff increase comfort and engagement?

Procedures

1. Individuals and groups have the option to take on activities and learning of their own choosing and at their own pace.
2. Self-paced assignments
3. class atmosphere levels could be set by teacher and class at the beginning of each

Discussion Summary Statements