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Teaching - A Survival Guide for Students and New Teachers (Part 4) Body language basics

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Summary:

Body language is the means by which you will dominate a class of 30+, or any larger group of s

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Article Body:

Body language is your chief weapon in your campaign for a calm and disciplined learning enviro

Smile. It is an indication of confidence. Some classes are unused to anyone smiling at them be

If you stand up you are immediately above even the tallest of seated adolescents, this means t

Make eye-contact with every child when you look around the class. Be careful that you are not

Always stand in the open, rather than behind a desk. This ^exposing yourself~ is a sign of con

Move slowly about the room. Rapid walking around the room unsettles the class and makes them n

If you are using your hands to describe left and right, remember your left is the children's r

Consequently you should gesture with the right hand when saying ^Left~, and vice versa. One wa

If you watch someone who does not use this technique it is very distracting and prevents the c

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