

STRATEGIES TO SUPPORT STUDENTS 2020-2021

Student success is important now more than ever.

Faculty at the University of Arizona care deeply about students. Here are some things every instructor can do to encourage student success.

1. Incorporate this [resource link](#) on your syllabus, on your D2L website, and mention it in class.
2. Were you a first-generation college student? If so, tell your students about it. Also, let them know about [First Cats](#).
3. Provide your student some additional feedback by submitting a student Progress report through [Trellis Progress](#).
4. Learn about [Growth Mindset](#). If you already know about growth mindset, tell your students a short story about a time you failed in school and how you recovered.
5. Set clear due dates on your syllabus and stick to the syllabus as much as possible.
6. Use [Office of Instruction & Assessment resources](#).
7. Students have a question you cannot answer? [Use SOS](#)
8. Use [Micro-affirmations](#).
9. Tell your students "I like hearing from you and want to hear from you/see you in office hours."
10. Encourage students to get the name and contact info of at least one other person in the class so they can connect with them if they have a question.
11. Ask your students for feedback on how the class is going.
12. Learn and use students' names.



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