Choose one word that you think best represents classroom management, write it on the post-it note on your table, then post it at the front of the room.

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“There’s a difference between trying to control students and establishing control of your classroom. Rules are about compliance. Procedures are about coherence.”

-David Ginsburg
What does it take for successful classroom management?

Musical Chairs Activity

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“The key to classroom management is not about having the right rules. It’s about having the right relationships.”

-Danny Steele

Relationships

- Get to know them; who they are, what they like, what motivates them, etc.
- Know their background; background affects behavior
- Ask them “why” instead of talking down to them
- Always explain why they’re in trouble or did something wrong
- Pay attention and ask them about things at a later date
- Notice the small things
- APOLOGIZE
- Make more good calls than bad

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Find a Friend

BINGO

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Norms, clear direction, and structures to guide active learning go a long way toward positive culture in the classroom.”

- Anne Vilen

**Find a Teacher and Mingle**

1) Discuss important norms
2) Choose one
3) Write it on your paper big
4) When the timer runs out put your paper in the air

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What’s included in structure?

- Routine
- Switching gears
- Over plan
- Consistency

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“Trust is built with consistency.”
- Lincoln Chafee

Expectations
- Behavior
- Consequences
- Academic success and growth
- Consistency!

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Expectations

Snowball Fight

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“A great classroom environment comes from the heart, not from the wallet. It’s built on love, laughter, and a feeling that everyone belongs.”

-Anonymous

Classroom Environment
- Safe
- Fair
- Loving
- Engaging

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Classroom Environment
Act It Out Activity

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“The secret to shifting a fixed mindset toward a more growth-oriented one is one simple word: 
YET.

-A♥onymous

Growth Mindset

- Growth Academically
- Growth Behaviorally
- Positivity
- Patience

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Growth Mindset
Tour of Knowledge

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Partner
Word
Scramble

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It’s simple...

- Relationships
- Positive Classroom Management
- Academic Growth

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Thanks!

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