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Student-Centered & Specific

Measurable

Attainable, Aligned, & Authentic

Relevant

Timely & Transferable

Equitable

Include learners as co-constructors of knowledge. Create objectives that are clear, detailed, and succinct.

Specify the targeted cognitive process(es) and knowledge dimension(s) learners are expected to meet.

Ensure the objective is achievable (within students' ZPD) and reflects meaningful "real-world" applications for learning and assessment.

Reflect learner interests, background knowledge, and future personal and/or professional needs.

Establish and communicate the time frame for achievement of objectives and strive for deeper learning.

Include approaches for learning used to support all students – including those needing additional support.

Creating SMARTER Learning Objectives

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