

New Employee Training

UNIV Courses and Programs: First-Year Faculty

Facilitator's Guide

Lesson Description:

- This training is part one of a two-part training. The training will take four hours. The training is intended to guide faculty who are teaching the UNIV 100 course for the first time. *Please note* - panelist for the current employee panel have already been selected.

Learning Objectives:

- Examine sections of the syllabus to provide knowledge of the components of teaching the course
- Discover the resources available to new faculty to ensure a successful teaching experience
- Summarize job expectations to confirm that faculty are aware of their teaching requirements
- Identify the elements of developing a lesson plan to maximize student learning
- Recognize effective teaching methods to ensure learner engagement

Materials and Equipment:

- New Employee Training PowerPoint slides
- Card Stock (for name plates)
- Four large poster paper, labeled:
 - Teaching Expectations
 - Mentoring Expectations
 - Program Expectations
 - o Requirements/Compensation/Time Commitment
- Markers and pens
- Participant Guide
- Handouts

Lesson Outline:

- Introduction (30 minutes)
 - Welcome
 - Agenda and Learning Objectives
 - o Icebreaker
- Syllabus Overview (50 minutes)
 - Activity
 - Learning Outcomes
 - Student Responsibilities and Grading
 - Class/University Policies and Procedures
 - Course Schedule
- Break (10 minutes)
- Resources for Faculty (30 minutes)
 - Learning Outcomes
 - o Curriculum Guide
 - o CoLTs
 - Assessment
- Knowledge Check (5 minutes)
- Current Employee Panel (30 minutes)
- Job Expectations (30 minutes)
 - Faculty Expectations
 - Mentoring Expectations
 - Program Expectations
 - o Requirements/Compensation/Time Commitment
 - Activity
- Break (10 minutes)
- Teaching Strategies (10 minutes)
 - o Discussion
- Lesson Planning (20 minutes)
 - Learner Engagement
 - Learning Styles
 - Physical, Emotional and Cognitive Needs
- Knowledge Check (5 minutes)
- Summary (5 minutes)
- Assessment: What Stuck? (5 minutes)

TOTAL TIME: 4 hours

Lesson Content

Slides	Notes	Slide Image
Slide 1: Welcome	Do - while participants are waiting have them start working on their name plate (refer to slide 4). Be sure to pass out the participant guide and additional handouts. Welcome participants and introduce yourself (name, position, how long you have been at the organization, other relevant information).	New Employee Training UNIV Courses and Programs: First-year Faculty
Slide 2: Agenda	Display slide Review the agenda. Tell participants there will be two breaks during the training, however, participants are welcome to take a break, stand up, etc. whenever they need to. Also encourage participants to ask questions throughout the training.	AGENDA Welcome and Introduction Learning Objectives Icebreaker Syllabus Overview Resources for Faculty Current Employee Panel Job Expectations Teaching Strategies and Lesson Planning Assessment: What Stuck?
Slide 3: Objectives	Read the objectives.	OBJECTIVES Examine sections of the syllabus to provide knowledge of the components of teaching the course Discover the resources available to new faculty to ensure a successful teaching experience Summarize job expectations to confirm that faculty are aware of their teaching requirements Identify the elements of developing a lesson plan to maximize student learning Recognize effective teaching methods to ensure learner engagement
Slide 4: Introductions	Display slide Have nameplates and markers available for participants. Read the slide. Explain to participants they have 5 minutes to work on their name plates. We will then go around the room and have each person introduce themselves and share what is on their name plate. Each person will have about	INTRODUCTIONS Create a Name Plate Directions: Fold Cardstock in half In the center of the name plate write your name Top left write an interesting fact Top right write your goals for this position Bottom left write what do you hope to learn today Bottom right where you are from

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	1 minute to introduce themselves. The	
	icebreaker activity should take approximately	
	30 minutes.	
Slide 5:	Display slide	
Syllabus	' '	SYLLABUS OVERVIEW ACTIVITY
Overview	Tell participants we want today to be	
Activity	engaging and will serve as an example as to	Assign small groups a section of the syllabus to review
Activity	how we should engage our learners in the	75
	classroom. We will begin the training with a	35 Each group will review their portion of the syllabus materials and think of one or two
	_	methods to creatively review the course syllabus
	small group activity to review the syllabus.	syllubus
	Count off by 4 so each participant is assigned	Each group will share out
	Count off by 4 so each participant is assigned	
	a number 1-4.	
	Tall mantial and that around will review the	
	Tell participants that group 1 will review the	
	Mission/SLOs portion of the syllabus. Group 2	
	will review student responsibilities/grading.	
	Group 3 will review Class/University policies	
	and procedures. And group 4 will review the	
	course schedule.	
	Tell each group they will have 15 minutes to	
	review their portion of the syllabus and will	
	need to think of one or two activities to	
	review the syllabus with their future students.	
	Tell participants each group will then share	
	out. Share out will be 20 minutes.	
	Ask each group to share their responses.	
Slide 6:	Display slide	
Syllabus		SYLLABUS OVERVIEW Learning Outcomes: Are a guide to help the learner
Overview	Read slide	know what they will accomplish as a result of taking the course
		Student Responsibilities and Grading: Clear expectations and grading
	Points to share if participants did not	clear expectations and grading policies are important to ensure
	mention during the share out:	Class/University Policies and Procedures: Assignments, class and university
	- When creating your lesson plans for	policies, and resources are standard. Modifications are not
	each week, please keep learning	expected Course Schedule:
	outcomes in mind	Flexibility in creating course schedule. Can choose from nearing
	- Assignments, class/university policies	50 topics
	and procedures are standard. Do not	
	modify this portion of the syllabus.	
	- Faculty have flexibility in building	
	your course schedule.	
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Slide 7: **Display** slide Break **Tell** participants they have 10 minutes and Break! provide a specific time that the break will be over. 10 minutes Slide 8: **Display** slide **Resources for** gunnannan y **Faculty** Refer to participant guide and handouts. RESOURCES **Review** the Learning Outcomes handout. **FACULTY** Collaborative Learning Tell the participants that each class should Techniques (CoLTs) address a student learning outcome. Have an activity to help the student learn/support the SLO. Review the Curriculum Guide handout. **Tell** participants that topics provided in the Curriculum Guide are typical subjects that are important to first-year students and ensuring their success in college. Most of these topics have been vetted with our stakeholders to ensure that we are providing the most accurate information. Review the CoLTs handout. **Explain** to participants the importance of making sure the student is engaged with their learning. The CoLTs handout is an example of activities that can be used. **Review** the Assessment handout. **Explain** to participants that every class should end with some type of assessment to ensure that the learner has grasped the concept of

the lesson.

Slide 9: **Display** slide Knowledge Check **Read** the question. What are the different components of the KNOWLEDGE CHECK **Ask** the participants to turn to their left and policies and procedures, and course schedule B. Faculty expectations, mentoring expectations, program discuss their answer. Give participants 2 expectations, requirement and time commitment C. Learning outcomes, curriculum guide, CoLTs, and minutes. **Ask** for someone to provide the answer. **Explain** that choice A is the correct answer. Option B is regarding job expectations, and option C are resources that are available for the faculty. Slide 10: **Display** slide Current **Employee Explain** to participants that we will spend the next 30 minutes connecting with current **Panel** 222 faculty. **Ask** participants to think of any questions they may have for the panelist. **Ask** each panelist to introduce themselves (name, how many years they have taught, and an interesting fact). **Here** are a few questions to ask the panelist if participants do not have questions: What advice do you have for new What has been your biggest challenge with teaching? What are best practices for creating a course schedule? Working with students? Slide 11: Job Display slide JOB EXPECTATIONS **Expectations Introduce** the Expectations Activity. Faculty Expectations Mentoring Expectations Participants will work in small groups to comprehend what knowledge they already Requirements/ have about this teaching experience. Program Expectations Compensation/Time Commitment **Count** off by four so each participant is Each group will have three minutes to discuss all that they assigned a number 1-4. minutes know for each topic We will review for 15 minutes as a large group **Tell** participants there are four poster papers located around the room. Each group will rotate through the four different posters and

write all that they know about that particular topic. **Explain** to participants that each group will start at one poster and will move clockwise to the next poster, each group will add their additional thoughts to the poster paper. Each group will be at their poster for three minutes. After each group has gone to all four posters, ask each group to share what is written on the poster they are standing next to. **Refer** to the Faculty Expectations handout. Slide 12: **Display** slide **Break Tell** participants they have 10 minutes and Break! provide a specific time that the break will be over. 10 minutes Slide 13: **Display** slide TEACHING LESSON **Teaching STRATEGIES** PLANNING Strategies and Ask participants – What are qualities of a How do I want my learner to speaker you have enjoyed? Allow for ~5 understand the material? Lesson What are qualities of a speaker you have enjoyed? **Planning** minutes of discussion. What activities will I use to foster learning? What are qualities of a speaker Things to Consider: Ask participants – What are qualities of Different learning styles (visual, auditory, and kinesthetic) speaker you have not enjoyed? Allow for ~5 Physical, emotional, and cognitive minutes of discussion. **Explain** to participants the importance of incorporating the positive qualities into their teaching and staying away from the negative qualities mentioned. **Ask** participants – how do I want my learner to understand the material? Allow for one or two responses. Ask participants – What activities will I use to foster learning? Allow for 2-3 responses.

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	Explain Visual – prefer using pictures, images, reading and writing, and spatial understanding		
	Auditory – prefer using words, listening		
	Kinesthetic – prefer touching and moving		
	Physical: Is there a student in a wheelchair or using crutches? Do your students love being active?		
	Emotional: Is this a sensitive topic? How will you manage these responses?		
	Are there any students with anxiety or social anxiety? How can they participate in your planned activity?		
	Cognitive: Are there any students with learning differences such as needing a long time to write? What about students who want to be challenged and need to be critically engaged?		
Slide 14:	Display slide		
Knowledge	Display slide		
		KNOWLEDGE CHECK	To engage the learner it is best to incorporate activities, discussions, and peer-to-peer interactions to help foster the best learning environment. True or False?
Knowledge	Display slide Read the question. Ask the participants to turn to their right and discuss their answer. Give participants 2		incorporate activities, discussions, and peer-to-peer interactions to help foster the best learning environment.
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Knowledge	Display slide Read the question. Ask the participants to turn to their right and discuss their answer. Give participants 2 minutes. Ask for someone to provide the answer. Reinforce the importance of not always lecturing, but instead looking for ways to		incorporate activities, discussions, and peer-to-peer interactions to help foster the best learning environment.

Slide 16: What Stuck?

Display slide

End the course with the What Stuck? assessment and explain that this is the type of assessment faculty can implement with their learners.

Thank the participants for attending!

