

The Seven Laws of Teaching

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1. The teacher must know that which he would teach.
2. The learner must attend with interest to the material to be learned.
3. The language used in teaching must be common to both the teacher and the learner.
4. The truth to be taught must be learned through truth already known.
5. Excite and direct the self-activities of the pupil, and as a rule tell him nothing that he can learn himself.
6. The pupil must reproduce in his own mind the truth to be learned.
7. The completion, test and confirmation of the work of teach must be made by review and application.