WHAT IS YOUR

THE WHAT, WHERE, WHEN, AND HOW

TIP #1: WHAT TO EXPECT

Let students know up front WHAT they can expect to receive from you!

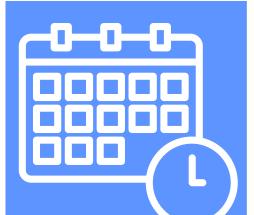
This might include content, weekly to-do lists, feedback, or weekly announcements.

TIP #2: WHERE TO GO

Make sure students know WHERE to expect this information!

Will it be on course homepage in an announcement, at the top of each week's content on Avenue to Learn, or in an email?





TIP #3: WHEN TO CHECK

Create and share a plan for WHEN these communications can be expected.

For example, you may want to set up Monday morning announcements that highlight the work for the week

TIP #4: HOW TO REACH

Let your students know HOW they can reach you if they need help.

Will you hold regular office hours? Should they post on a discussion board or email you directly? Whatever your preference is, make sure your students know!



WHY HAVE A PLAN?

Students have to *think* about how to learn. They have to plan their time, assess whether their approach is working, and adjust appropriately. Communicating about what learners can expect in a course allows them to plan effectively, which helps minimize confusion and reduce the amount of questions you receive.

