HOW TO DISCIPLINE YOUR LEARNERS WITHOUT PUNISHING THEM

Make the learner think about their bad behavior.

- Advise and encourage the learner to behave well.
- Send the learner out of the classroom for 5 minutes.
- Make the learner apologize.
- Give the learner a verbal warning.
- Have a talk with the learner, ask them what you did wrong and why.
- Put a card describing the learner's offense on their desk.

Help the learner to understand the consequences of their bad behavior.

- Deny the learner some privileges, like playing in the school netball team.
- Make the learner stay in class while others go for break time.
- Make the learner sign a behavior contract.
- Make the learner sit next to you.
- Help the whole school or classroom understand the behavior.

Help the learner take responsibility for offenses that cause damage.

- Make the learner apologize to the whole school or classroom.
- Make the learner replace or repair what they have damaged at school.
- Write the learner's bad behavior on their end of term report.
- Send the learner to the head teacher's office.
- Make the learner stay in class while others go for break time.

Help the learner rehabilitate when they commit very serious offenses.

- Make the learner repeat a grade if they are not doing well in their studies.
- Call the learner's parents to come to school.
- Send the learner to the head teacher's office.
- Suspend the learner.
- Directly observe the learner, then discuss their behavior with two weeks.