

# Conscious Classroom Management

## Online Course Overview

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Conscious Teaching's Rick Smith and Grace Dearborn have developed a classroom management **e-learning course for K-12 teachers** based on their best-selling book, *Conscious Classroom Management, 2nd Edition*. This course will help new and veteran teachers become familiar with the invisible concepts and strategies that effective classroom managers use. These strategies will help teachers and their students achieve more in an environment consciously constructed to feel safe and foster learning.

The “**Conscious Classroom Management**” online course can be taken anytime by anyone with internet access. The course is self-paced and the lessons are quick, engaging and relevant for all teachers regardless of grade level, experience, or student population.

### Course Structure

The course consists of 9 lessons and will take approximately 36 hours to complete.

#### **Part A: FOUNDATIONS**

Lesson 1 Inner Authority  
Lesson 2 Assuming the Best

#### **Part B: PREVENTION**

Lesson 3 Teaching Procedures  
Lesson 4 Consistency

#### **Part C: RELATIONSHIPS**

Lesson 5 Holding Ground  
Lesson 6 Positive Connections

#### **PART D: INTERVENTION**

Lesson 7 Consequences  
Lesson 8 When Consequences Don't Work

#### **PART E: BIG PICTURE**

Lesson 9 Teacher Stress & the Big Picture

Each of the nine lessons includes the following:

- Pre-lesson questions and objectives
- Brief video lesson by Rick Smith and/or Grace Dearborn
- Brief reading excerpt from “Conscious Classroom Management, 2nd edition”
- Post-lesson quiz, questions, activities, and reflections

### Midterm & Final Assessments

The Midterm Project will require participants to create or revamp a classroom procedure to address a challenge the participant faces (or has faced) in the classroom. The Final Project will be a reflection on how the implementation of the new procedure worked out with students.