

Review Checklist: Student Centered Course Policies

1. Does the policy include all key ingredients?	Yes	No
a. All students can comply with the policy without an undue burden being placed on any student group		
b. Policy description communicates respect for students as engaged and capable members of the learning community		
c. Policy takes into account the diversity and complexity of students' lived experiences		
2. Do you have a plan for addressing policy issues in your course?	Yes	No
a. I have a plan for how and when I will enforce these policies in my course.		
b. I have a plan to check-in with myself, reflect, and, if necessary, adjust my approach based on my experiences with these policies throughout the term.		
c. Are there campus resources available that I can refer to if students need more support in order to succeed in the course than my student-centered policies can provide?		
3. Does this policy avoid common pitfalls?	Yes	No
a. Policy is framed as acknowledging and supporting students' rather than about helping particular groups		
b. Policy does not hold students to a higher standard for conduct than the instructor		
c. Policy does not imply or presume that students will act inappropriately		