



MODULE 1: **Creating Safe and** Supportive Classrooms

Positive Affirmations

Including positive affirmations in your classroom makes the physical space feel and look brighter and warmer while encouraging growth. Additionally, teachers can have students repeat the affirmation to positively re-center the classroom and gently remind students why they are there.

Here is an example of a positive affirmation that was presented in the course. This quote can be crafted into a poster and then placed in the learning environment for all students to see.

Where to purchase? Posters are available online fairly cheap from stores like Target and Michaels or online retailers like Amazon, Teachers Pay Teachers, or Lakeshore Learning.

On a budget? Teachers can make positive affirmation posters themselves or have students create them as part of a classroom activity.

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