Pause & React

A tool for cultivating strong teacher-student relationships

Pay Attention

Look for changes in disposition, behavior, or habits.

Ask Questions

Uncover the specifics behind why this change is occurring. *(I noticed...and I'm wondering...?)*

Use Your Expertise

Determine if other adults should be involved. *(school psychologist, principal, parent, etc.)*

Show Genuine Interest

Show the student that their wellbeing is important to you.

Evaluate The Circumstances

Review all of the evidence to determine a plan of action.

Reach Out

Create a team of support for the student. *(teachers, coaches, counselors, etc.)*

Extend A Helping Hand

Provide direct support to the student.

Assume The Best

Presume positive intentions.

Create Opportunities

Connect the student to opportunities within and outside of the classroom.

Tap Into Their Greatness

Set the student up for success by building on their interests and strengths.

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