**30 Teacher S.m.a.r.t. Goal ideas**

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| **I will:** | **Action (choose one from the list below):** | **By/how often:** |
| Example: | I will make sure 100% of students are on task even after they finish their exams early between now and end of the school year by having additional extra credit assignments for them to complete. |

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| 1. I will include at least 1 partner activity once every 2 days all year long. I will monitor once each week to make sure I meet this goal.
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| 1. I will include at least 1 group activity every week of instruction and monitor that I am doing this on a weekly basis.
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| 1. I will have all work graded and returned to students within 1 week of collecting them. I will monitor myself once each month to make sure I am meeting this goal.
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| 1. I will include at least 1 way to check understanding and correct any errors or mistakes each day except test days.
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| 1. I will include at least one project-based learning activity once every 2 weeks between now and end of the year. I will monitor my progress monthly.
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| 1. I will call or email every parent of any student who is earning a C- or below at the end of each quarter or trimester.
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| 1. I will greet students at the door as they walk into my class by saying “Hello” to them at least 4 days per week. I will monitor my progress weekly.
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| 1. At least once each week, I will go out during lunch to see what my students are doing and connect with them outside of class for 10 minutes. I will monitor my progress weekly.
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| 1. I will incorporate a fun and engaging game-style of learning into my lessons at least once every 2 days of the week. I will monitor my progress weekly.
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| 1. I will have students use 1 form of technology to help them learn at least once each week for the entire school year.
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| 1. I will have students work on and complete a project at least once each month. They will have to present their project to the class. I will monitor this goal monthly.
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| 1. I will give students exam reviews for 2 days before exams, and 3 days before finals.
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| 1. I will make sure to declutter and organize my room completely once every 2 weeks on Fridays. I will monitor my progress with this goal monthly.
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| 1. I will do 1 activity with my students each month to help with their social-emotional development. I will research ways I can do these activities and monitor my progress monthly.
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| 1. I will time every lesson carefully to make sure I have an introduction, a short time for direct/indirect instruction, checking understanding, and guided practice all year long.
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| 1. I plan on having 0 absences to work this entire year, except if there are emergencies or sicknesses.
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| 1. I will have students make at least 1 SMART goal with specific action plans that I can help them monitor on a quarterly basis throughout the school year.
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| 1. I will incorporate 1 activity at least once each month that incorporates learning by leaving the classroom (reading outside, measuring outside, etc.).
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| 1. I will tie at least 1 thing from real life for every new lesson I teach to show students how what they learn is connected to real life. I will monitor my progress weekly.
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| 1. I will use a timer to make sure I start and finish my lesson plan components on time, such as the introduction, the direct instruction, the checking understanding, etc.
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| 1. I will start each class, except test days, with a warm-up activity. I will monitor my progress on a weekly basis.
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| 1. If I do not get 80% of my students to pass an exam, I will reteach the lesson for 2 days then have them retake it. I will monitor this goal once each month to check my progress.
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| 1. I will stay after school, or during lunch, or before school twice each week to be available for my students should they need extra help.
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| 1. I will visit another teacher’s classroom once every 3 months to learn from him or her and find some best practices. I will monitor my progress once each semester.
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| 1. I will have every single one of my students’ names learned and memorized by the end of the 2nd week of school.
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| 1. I will walk around and check student progress each time I assign guided practice work to monitor their learning and catch their mistakes.
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| 1. I will update my classroom boards and make sure they are up to date at least once every 2 days (preferably each day).
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| 1. I will put up student work on the walls in my room and update them once at the beginning of each month.
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| 1. I will attend 1 conference this year to learn about best practices for teaching and learning.
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| 1. I will read 1 book each semester, and 1 in the summer, to improve my instruction and keep abreast with best practices. I will monitor this goal at the end of the school year.
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