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## FIRST DAY PLAN

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- Introductions
    - Teacher (Introduction PowerPoint)
    - Students
  - Tell students what we will be doing for the remainder of the period
  - Ice breaker
    - Multi-colored get-to-know-you sticky note activity
      - Interactive, quick and engaging activity to introduce the students
  - Classroom expectations
  - Safety Procedures
  - Classroom Tour
    - Explanation of where to find class materials and where/how to turn in assignments
  - Development of “house rules” with students
    - Students work in groups to brainstorm rules for the classroom. These rules should be based on making the classroom feel like a home--a place where they feel comfortable and safe.
    - The students will present their rules to the class.
    - As a class, we will work to combine rules presented into three “house rules.”
  - Go over syllabus and 1<sup>st</sup> 6 weeks’ calendar
    - Major assignments
    - Grading policy
    - Late-work policies
    - Class procedures
  - Questions
  - Exit Ticket: “About Me” worksheet
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