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## Things to Remember About Feedback

**1**

Feedback is not advice, praise, or evaluation. Feedback is information about how we are doing in our efforts to reach a goal.

*Grant Wiggins, p. 10*



**2**

If students know the classroom is a safe place to make mistakes, they are more likely to use feedback for learning.

*Dylan William, p. 30*

**3**

The feedback students give teachers can be more powerful than the feedback teachers give students.

*Cris Tovani, p. 48*

**4**

When we give a grade as part of our feedback, students routinely read only as far as the grade.

*Peter Johnston, p. 64*

**7**

Students need to know their learning target—the specific skill they're supposed to learn—or else “feedback” is just someone telling them what to do.

*Susan Brookhart, p. 24*

**5**

Effective feedback occurs during the learning, while there is still time to act on it.

*Jan Chappuis, p. 36*

**6**

Most of the feedback that students receive about their classroom work is from other students—and much of that feedback is wrong.

*John Hattie, p. 18*

