Guiding Principles for INCREASING RIGOR

1. I MAKE LEARNING ACCESSIBLE
   Through activities that remove learning barriers

2. I ENCOURAGE LEARNING FROM MISTAKES
   Because failure can be productive too

3. I INSPIRE CREATIVITY
   By challenging students to find multiple solutions to a problem

4. I HELP BUILD CONCEPTUAL UNDERSTANDING
   Through experiences where students can see how and why a particular math formula or procedure works

5. I FACILITATE TRANSFERENCE
   By providing opportunities to apply learned concepts in different situations and contexts

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