

## Wise Feedback Framing

Below are examples of wise feedback phrases and phrases that undermine learning mindsets.

Wise Feedback Phrases	Phrases that Undermine Learning Mindsets
"This material will definitely be more challenging than what we just covered, but I am confident in your abilities to master it. I'm here to help you develop the knowledge you need to be successful in this class."	"This material is going to be challenging. Just stick with it."
"Now that you're getting feedback on your first exam, remember that this is just a measure of what you can do right now. It's not a measure of what you can ever do or whether you're supposed to be here."	"Keep trying and you'll get it."
"If you feel uncomfortable with this material, that's OK. Many students do because they're not familiar with it yet, but they tend to become more comfortable with it over time."	"Not everybody is good at this. Just get through it."
"I've set a high bar for everyone to reach in this course, and it will take a lot of work to get there, to really master the key concepts. But I also know that, with hard work and persistence, you'll be able to reach that bar."	"Well, you may not be good at this subject, but you have real strengths in _____."

Remember, Wise Feedback includes articulating that:

- You have high standards for students
- You have confidence in students being able to meet those standards
- You will provide support to students to help them be successful