



**KENNESAW STATE
UNIVERSITY**

CENTER FOR EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING AND LEARNING

**2019 Graduate Student Teaching Orientation
KSU Center**

Wednesday, August 14, 2019

8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

8:00am – 8:30am	Welcome/Introductions: CETL Director Michele DiPietro; Graduate College Dean Mike Dishman
8:30am – 9:15am	Session I: The Roles of Graduate Student Teachers at KSU <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ What are the responsibilities related to graduate teaching?▪ What are the policies at KSU related to teaching?▪ What teaching and learning resources are available?
9:15am – 10:30pm	Session II: Understanding How Students Learn <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ How do students learn? How does memory work?▪ How do students organize information?▪ What is the role of metacognition in the undergraduate classroom?▪ How will I apply this knowledge to my classroom teaching?
10:30am – 10:45am	Break
10:45am–12:00pm	Session III: Active Learning Strategies <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ How can I make my lectures more interactive?▪ What strategies facilitate productive discussions?▪ What is effective laboratory instruction?
12:00pm – 1:00pm	Lunch
1:00pm – 1:30pm	Teaching and Learning Stories
1:30pm – 2:45pm	Session IV: Creating and Sustaining a Constructive Class Climate <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ How do I create an inclusive classroom climate?▪ How does class climate affect student learning?▪ What are proactive approaches to classroom management?
2:45pm – 3:00pm	Break
3:00pm – 4:15pm	Session V: Measuring Student Understanding/Efficient Grading <ul style="list-style-type: none">• What are formative and summative feedback?• How can I design assignments with clear grading criteria?▪ How can I use a rubric, checklist, or other scoring systems?▪ What does effective and efficient grading look like?
4:15pm – 4:30pm	Reflection, Survey & Evaluations