

Strategies for frequent opportunities for interaction during a lecture, presentation, or demonstration:

- [15 formats for structuring a class discussion](#) Article: How to make class discussions more engaging, more organized, more equitable, and more academically challenging.
- [In Praise of Think-Pair-Share](#): Article: What is Think-Pair-Share? What's so great about it? And How to get the most from it.
- [5 Ways to Make Class Discussions More Exciting](#) Article from Edutopia relevant to all grade levels and subject areas.
- [Strategies from The Teacher Toolkit website](#) Strategies: How to use, when to use, variations, and templates for Elementary, Secondary, and Spanish language.
- [Basics of Whole Brain Teaching](#) Video (7:36) demonstrating Whole Brain Teaching strategies with high school students.
- [Rethinking Whole Class Discussion](#) Article from Edutopia that includes research, the mechanics of in-class discussion, a checklist to consider for planning, and links for a variety of formats for discussion.
- [Roll the Dice for Participation](#) Video (2:16) from Teaching Channel applicable to all grades and all subjects.
- [SLANT: Get Ready to Learn](#) Video (:40) from Teaching Channel applicable to all grades and all subjects.
- [The Stand Up Game](#) Video: (1:40) from Teaching Channel applicable to all grades and all subjects.
- Try out these strategies that encourage student collaboration: [Jigsaw](#) [What You Know, 3x3=1](#) , [Stray and Stay](#) , [Gallery Walk](#)