

Instructional Strategies

Secondary Student Voice

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- 1. Incorporate Students' Hopes, Dreams, and Interests into Lessons

 Student Interests Student Interest Surveys Student Interest Surveys
- 2. Access Prior Knowledge
 3 Ways to Check Background Knowledge Prior Knowledge in Learning Concept Maps
- 3. Listen to Students

 How to Conduct Focus Groups

 Sample Focus Group
- 4. Improve Student Responses Through Silence Provide Wait and Think Time
- 5. Encourage Students to Summarize Lessons
 Summarizing Strategies

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- 1. Develop Discussion Skills
 Classroom Discussion Strategies Foster Meaningful Class Discussions
- 2. Coach Students in Self-Assessment Self-Assessment Inspires Learning
- 3. Utilize Formative Assessment

 <u>iKnow My Class</u> <u>Examples of Formative Assessment</u>
- 4. Support Students' Passions
 Welcome to Genius Hour Engage Student Passions
- 5. Foster Collaborative Learning Facilitating Cooperative Learning Fishbowl Four Corners

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- 1. Develop Student and Adult Partnerships
 Partnerships
 Peer Learning
- 2. Provide Students Choice in Assignments

 More Choice in the Classroom 15 Ways to Integrate Student Choice
- 3. Make it Relevant Personalize Learning
- 4. Utilize Student Feedback

 Seek Your Own Feedback from Students Student Feedback Improves Teaching
- 5. Empower and Amplify Voice
 Student Voice: Pump it Up Empowering Students 5 Ideas to Amplify Voice

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