Discussion Strategies (Vogotsky)

Is about …

Instructional Strategy that involves students sharing ideas about a common core topic

So what? What is important to understand about this?

The big idea of this strategy is to help social skills and better someone’s understanding of the subject being taught.

Main idea

Planning

* Vogotsky Concept

* The model will help students interact and learn from each other
* Learning the material will be easier and has a major impact on learning what subject is being taught.

Main idea

Implementing

* Start off with an interesting topic to catch students’ attention.
* Before the lesson make sure everyone understand what is going on that day.

Main idea

Assessment

* Should flow easily but make sure you use scaffolding if needed.
* The classroom should be asking questions or interacting with each other and giving each other positive feedback

Main idea

Motivation

* Formative- by letting faculty know where the students are struggling and can be addressed.
* Summative- By giving the students a graded assignment to see how much they learned.
* Motivation could be a good grade or even a day without homework.

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