

Teaching **Lower-Level Learners**

Part 2

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POLL #1

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with ESL: never taught, currently
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POLL #2

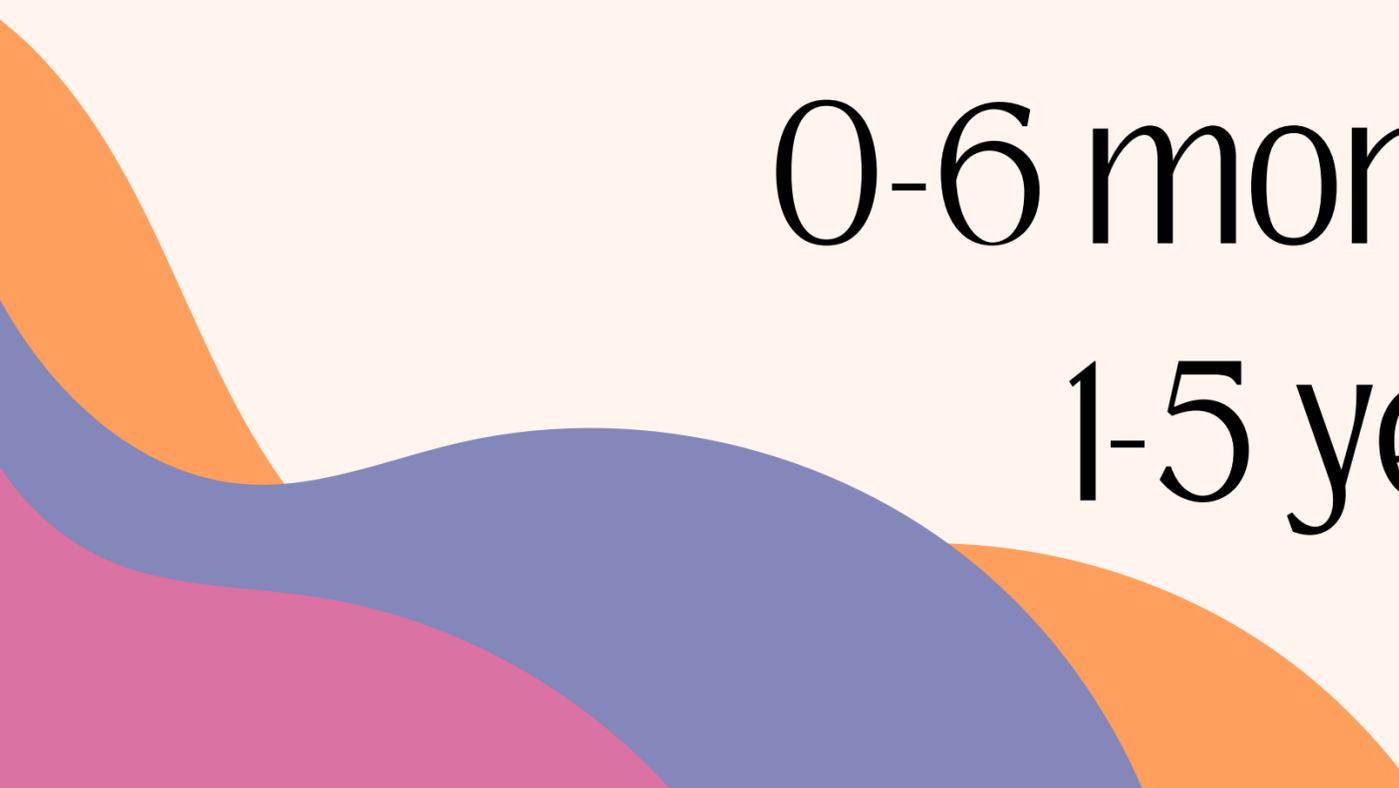
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POLL #3

How long have you been teaching
lower-level learners?

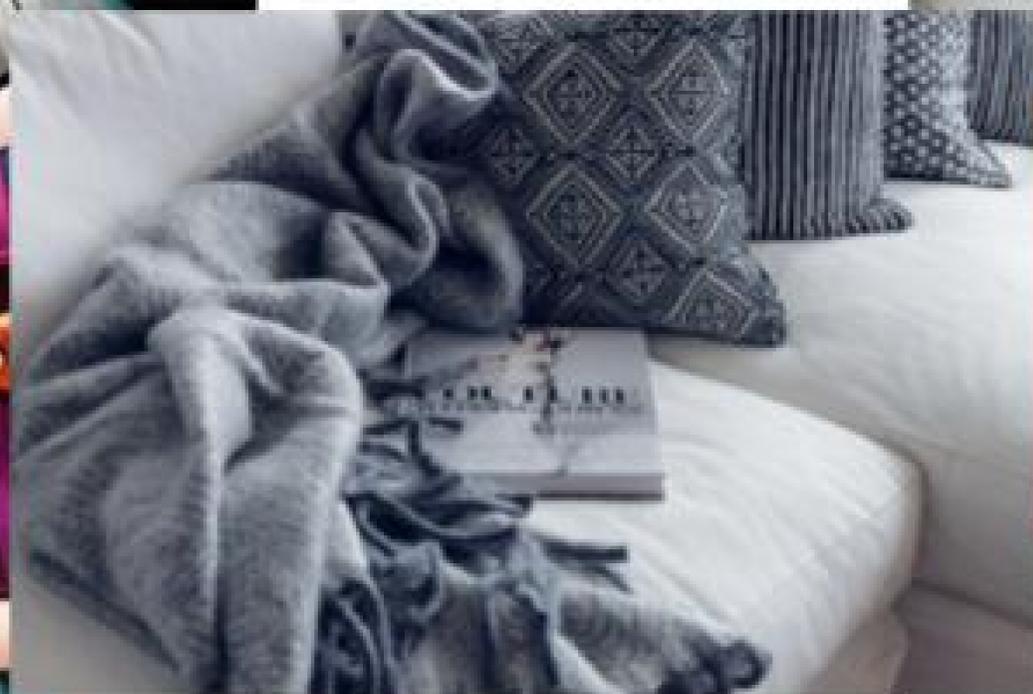
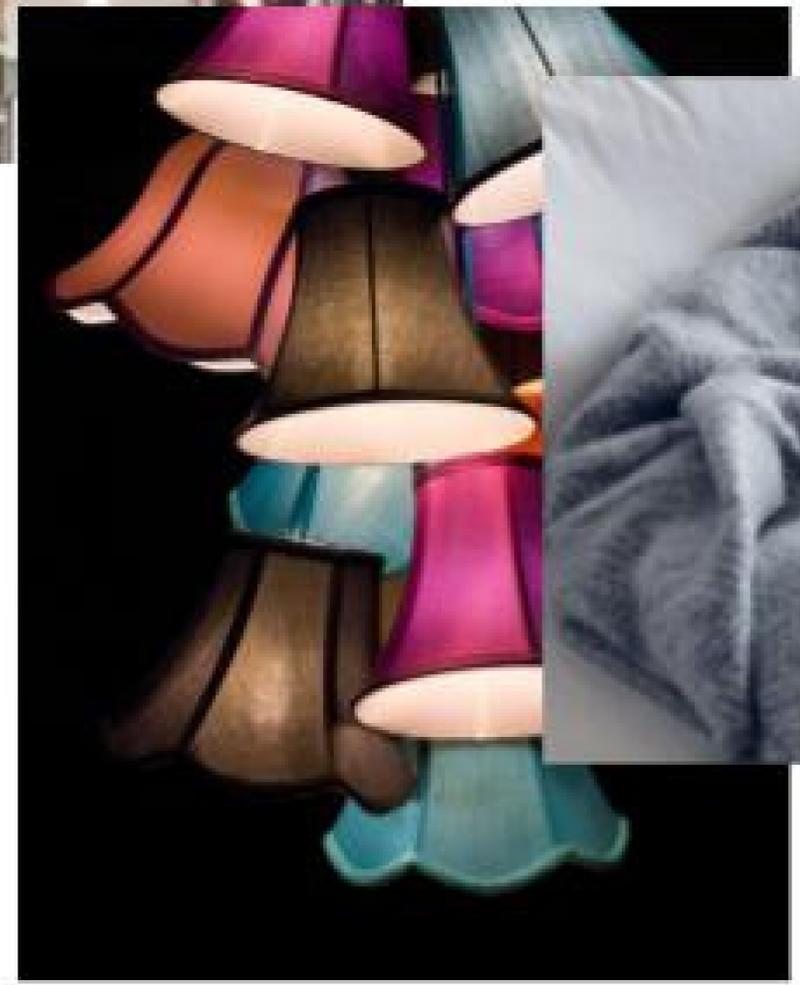
0-6 months, 6-12 months,
1-5 years, 5 years +

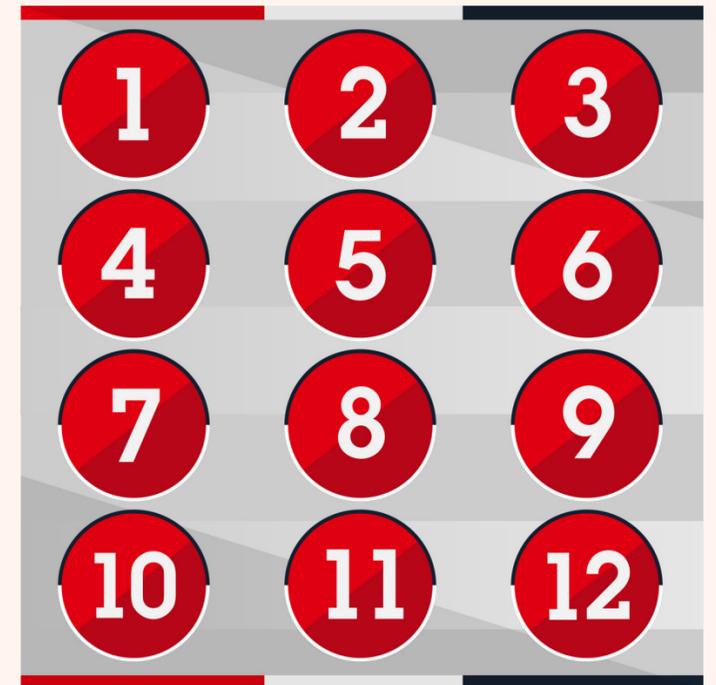


Classroom Setup









Other Ideas...



Other Ideas (cont.)

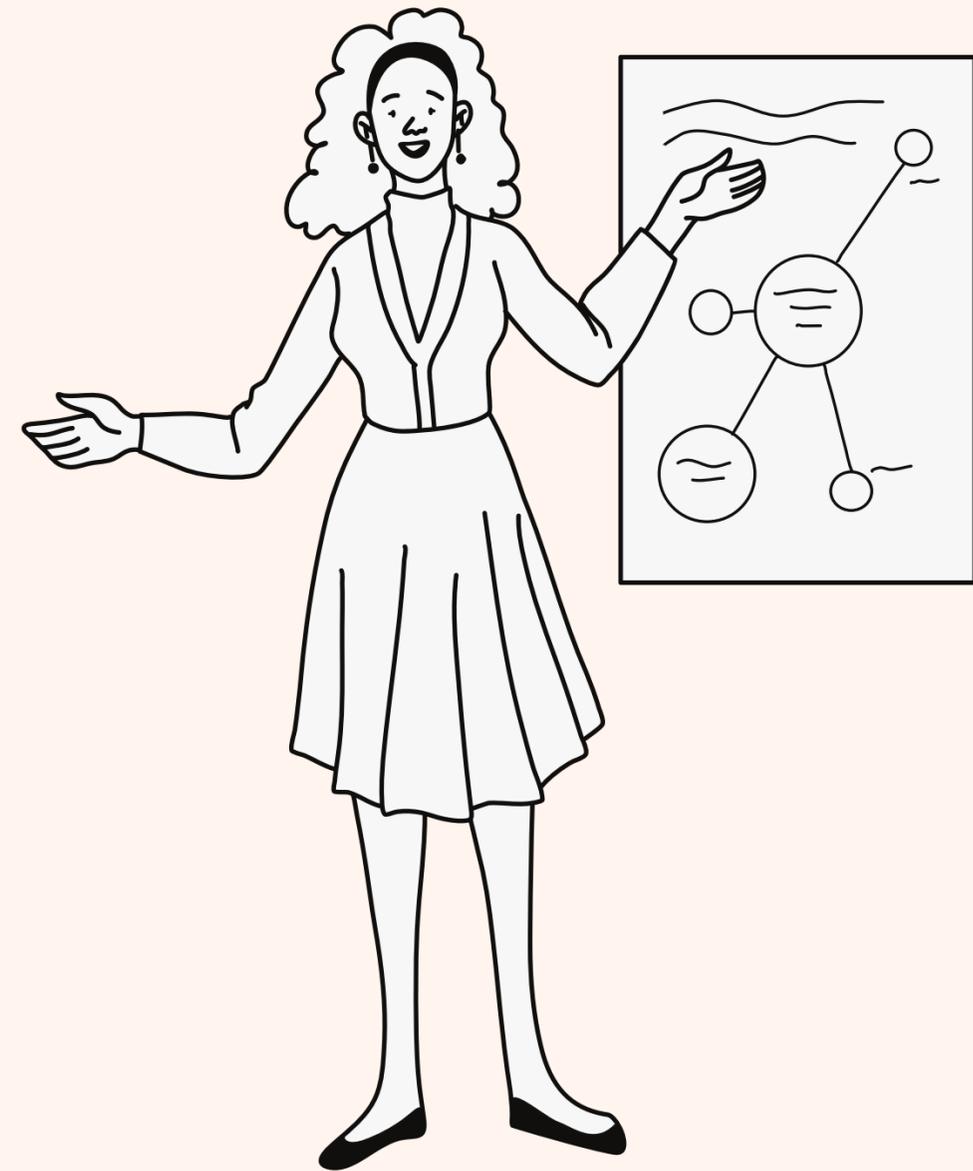
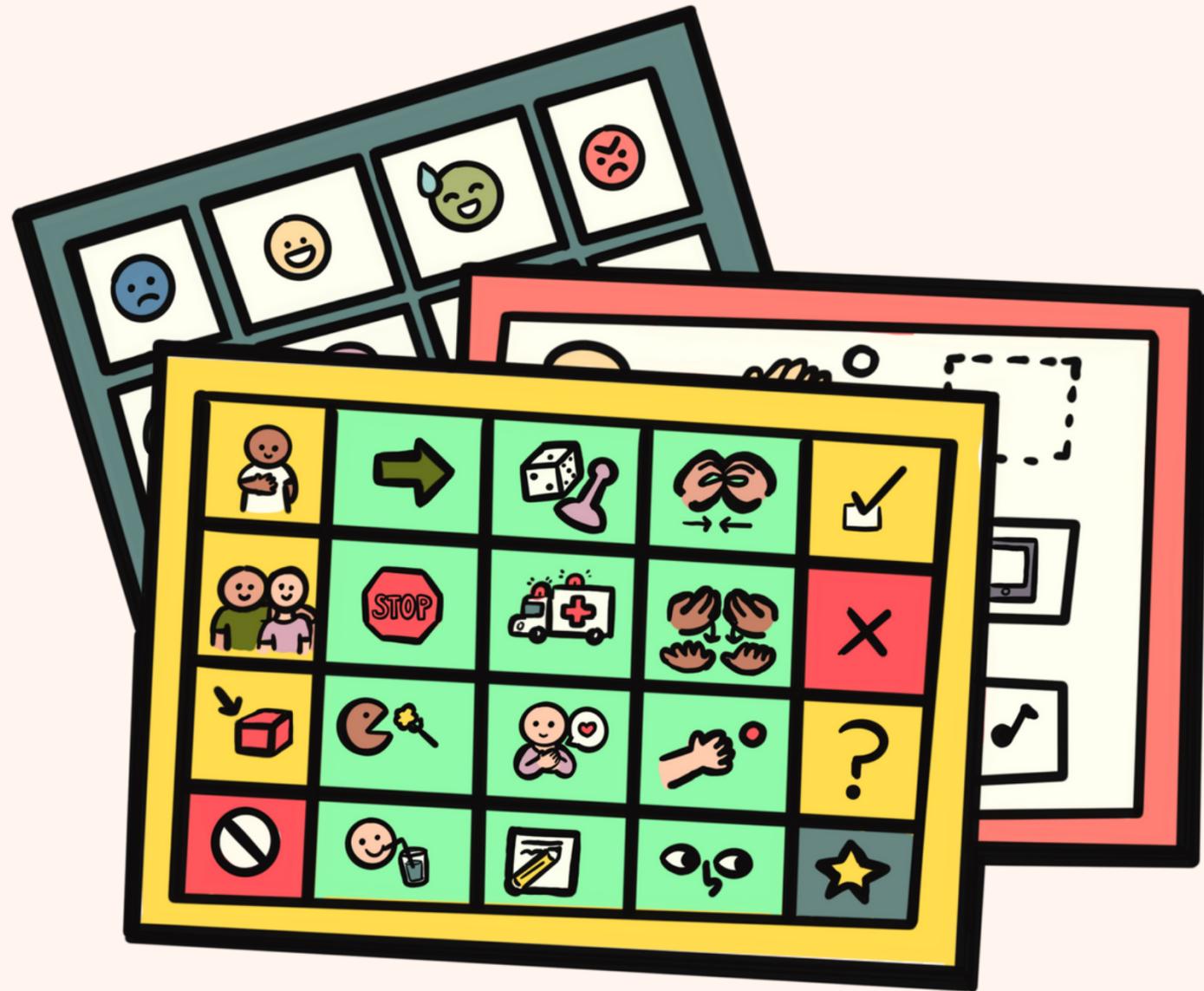


Be adaptable



Classroom Organization

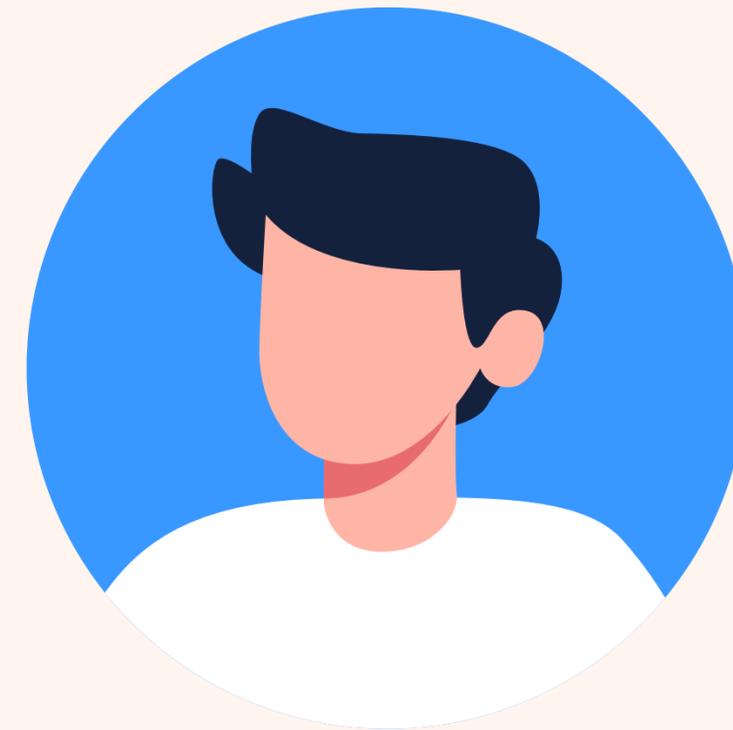
Use visual aids



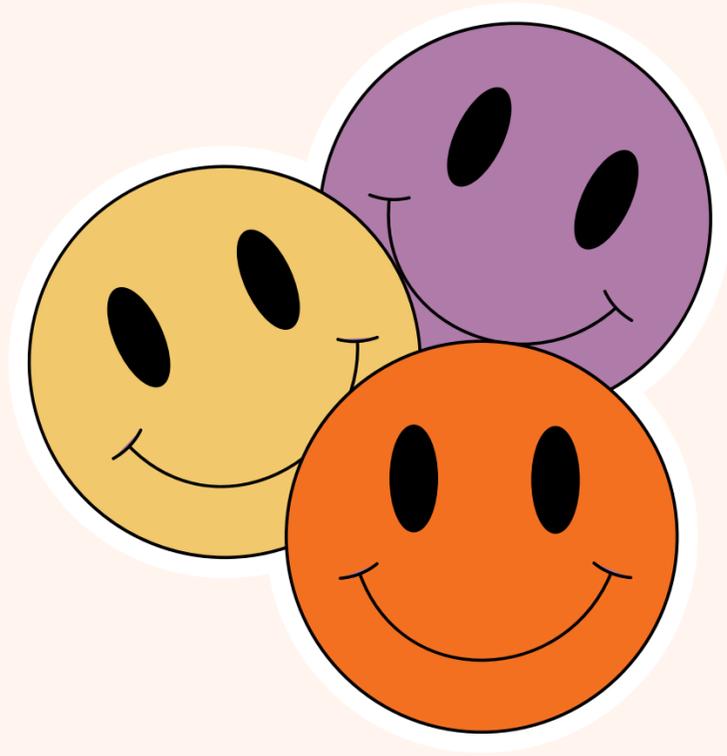
Incorporate technology



Learner Profile

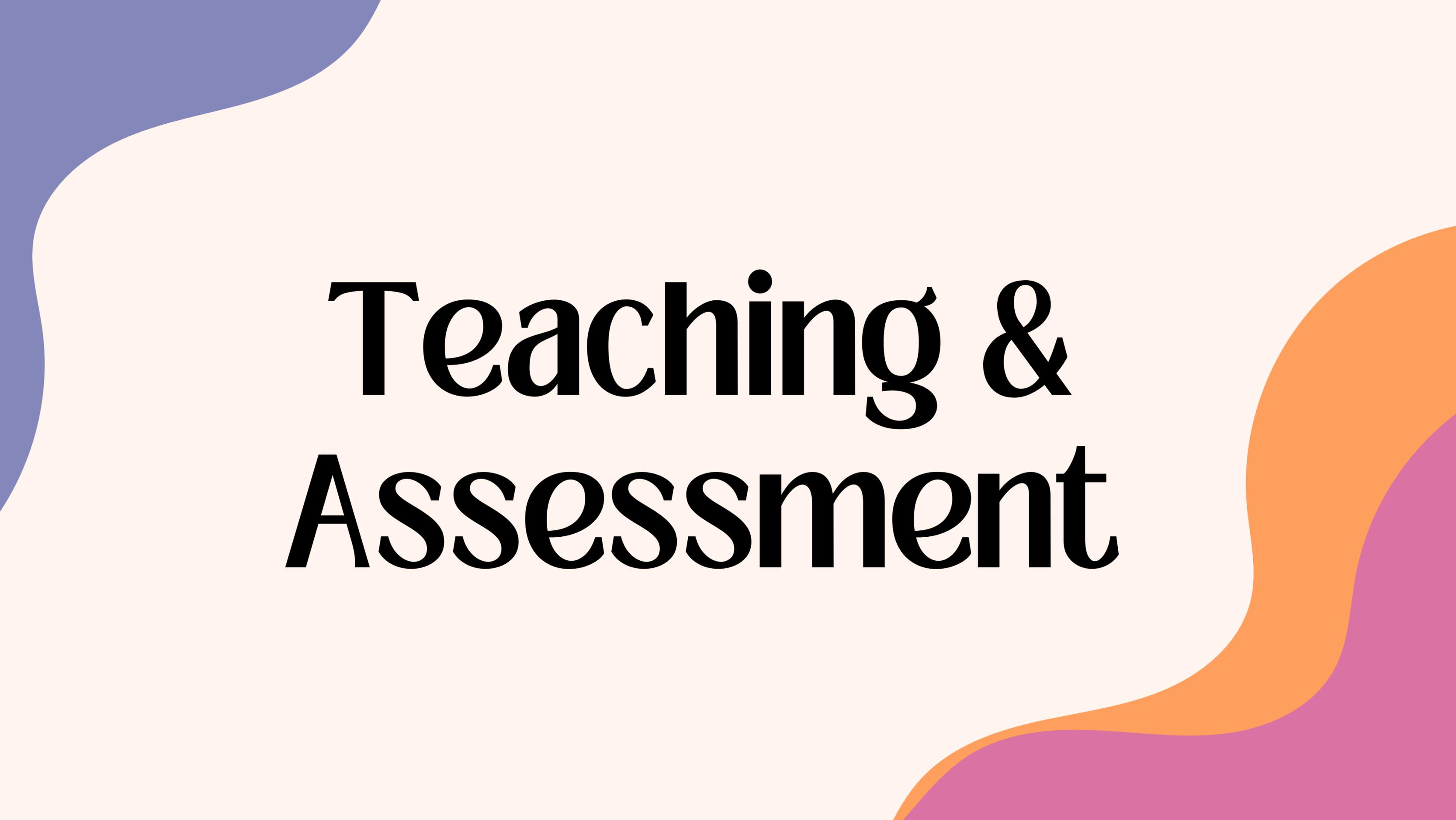


Positive reinforcement



Parking Lot





Teaching & Assessment

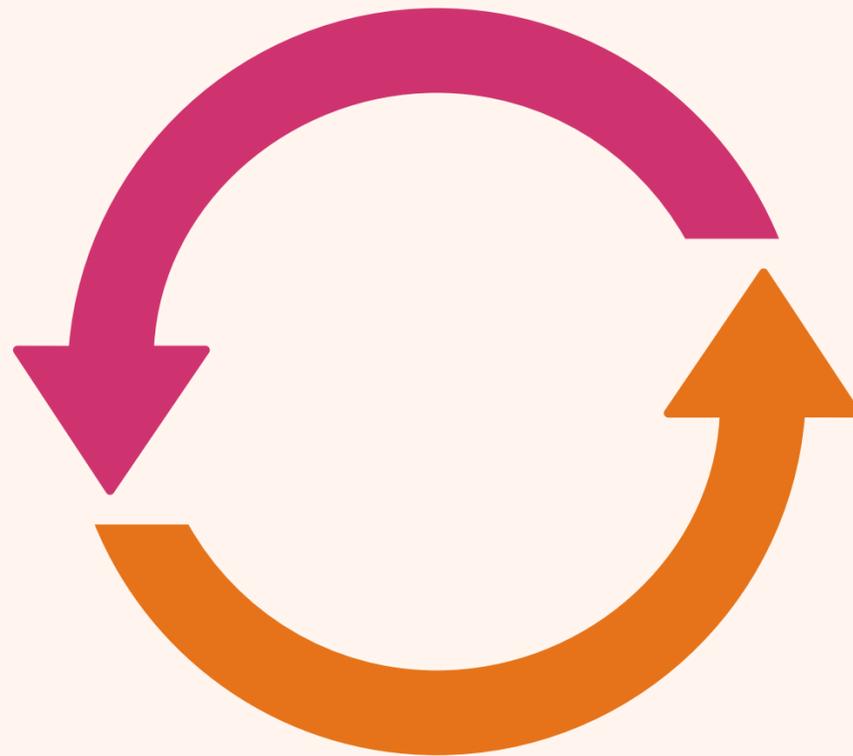


Teaching...

Cognitive Learning Processes

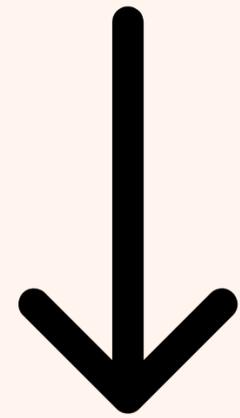


Repetition



Teacher-centred





Reduce teacher talk



Authentic & Natural Language



Speak at a regular volume level



Speak slower, not slowly



**Simplify language - phrases
not sentences**

**Get
book?**

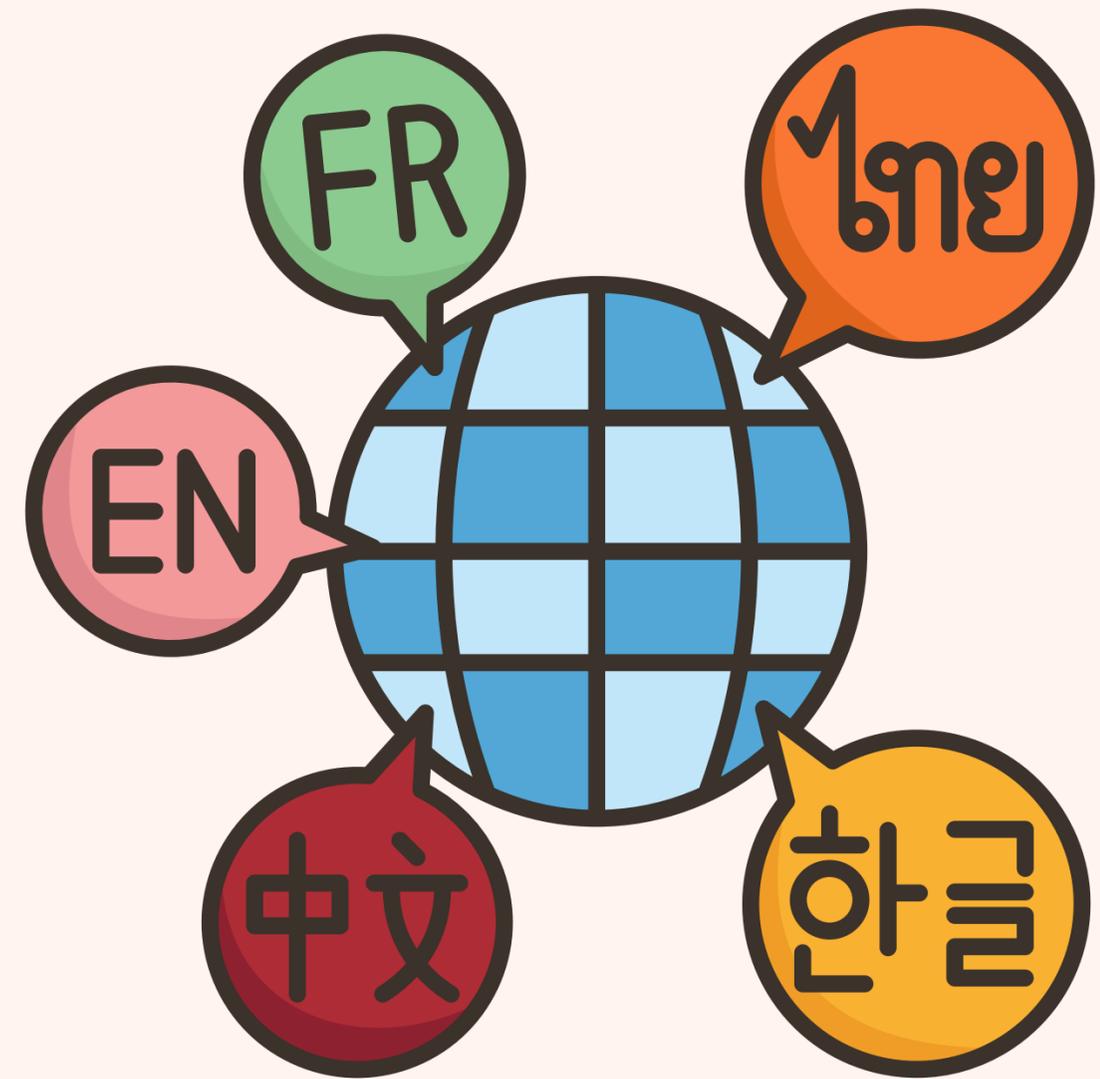
**Speak
English?**

Maximize student talk

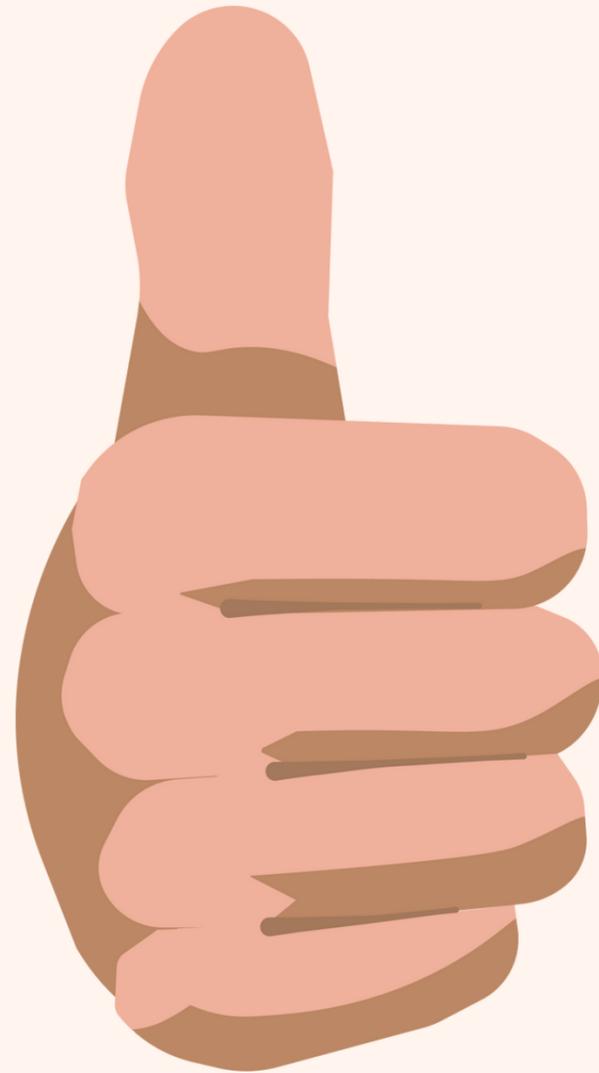
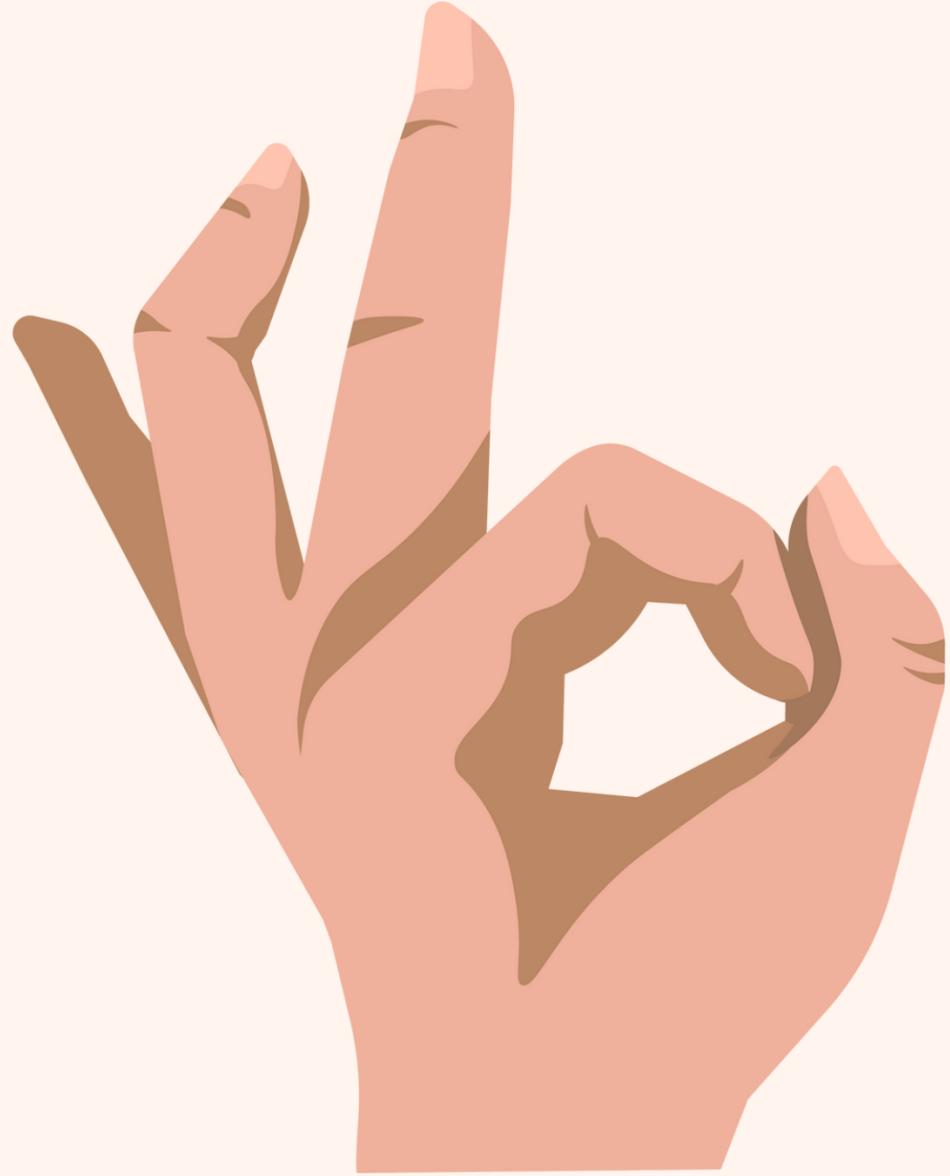


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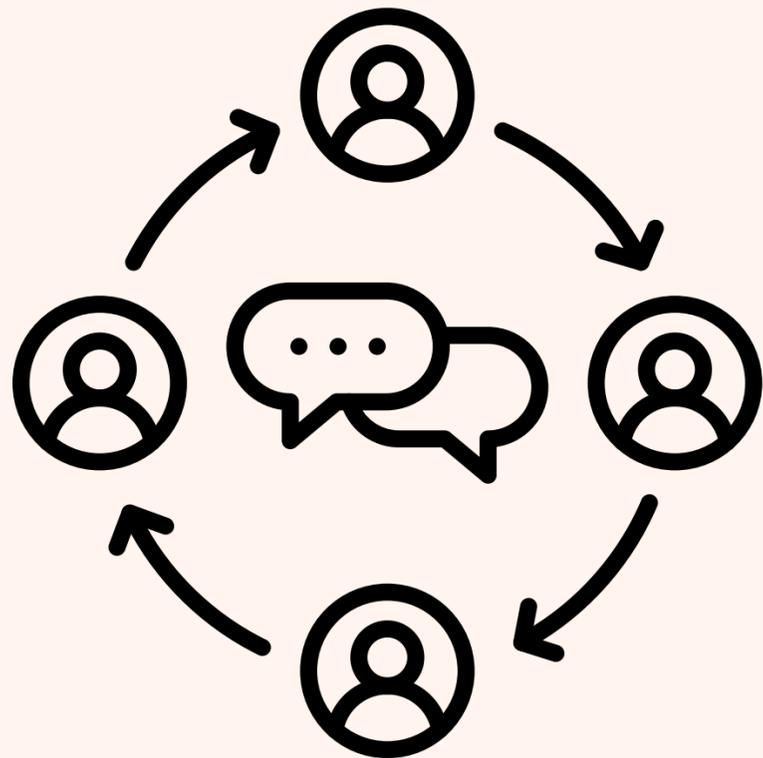
Native Language Use



Use non-verbal communication



Fluency & Accuracy



Impromptu Speech



Error Correction



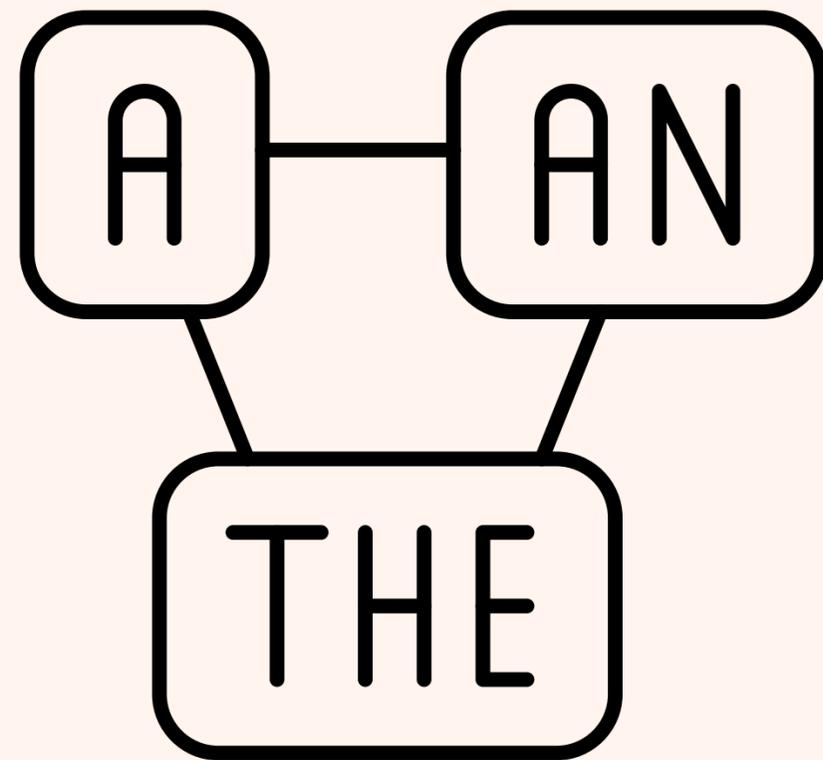
Enunciate words



Listening and Speaking



Grammar



Reading and Writing



Differentiation



Check for understanding

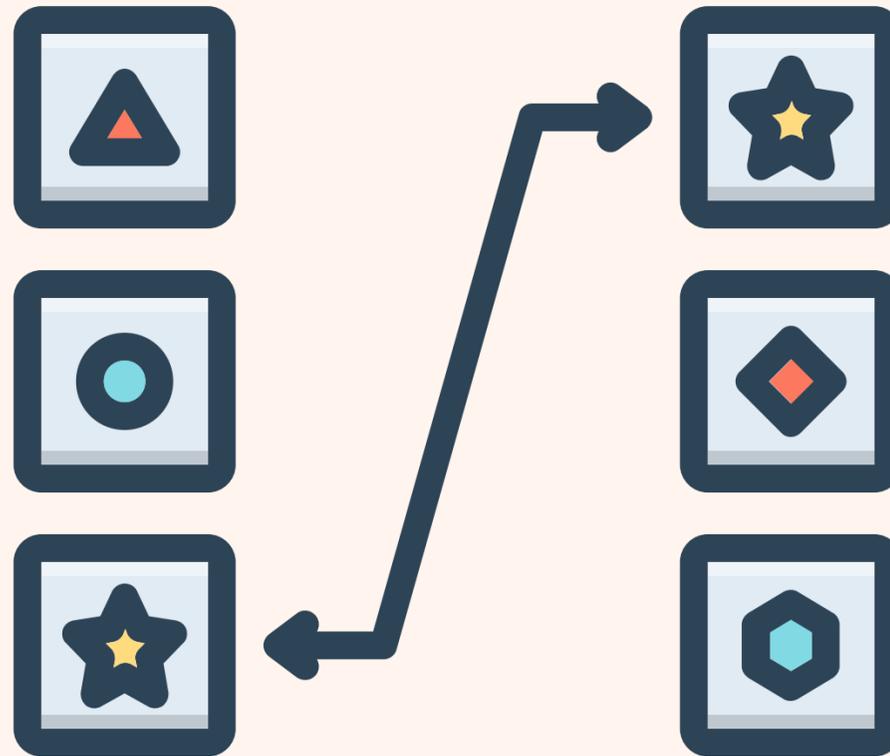
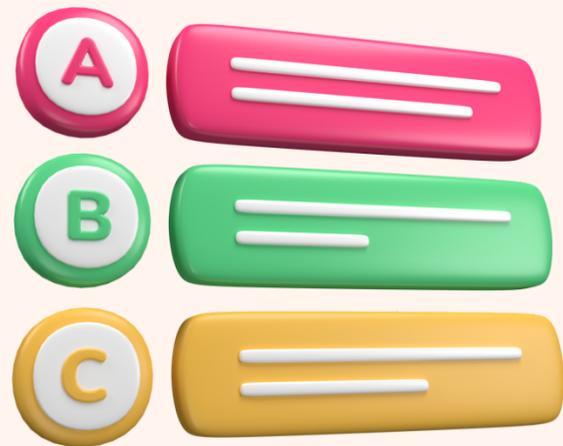


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... **Assessment**

Prepare students for the test/assessment format

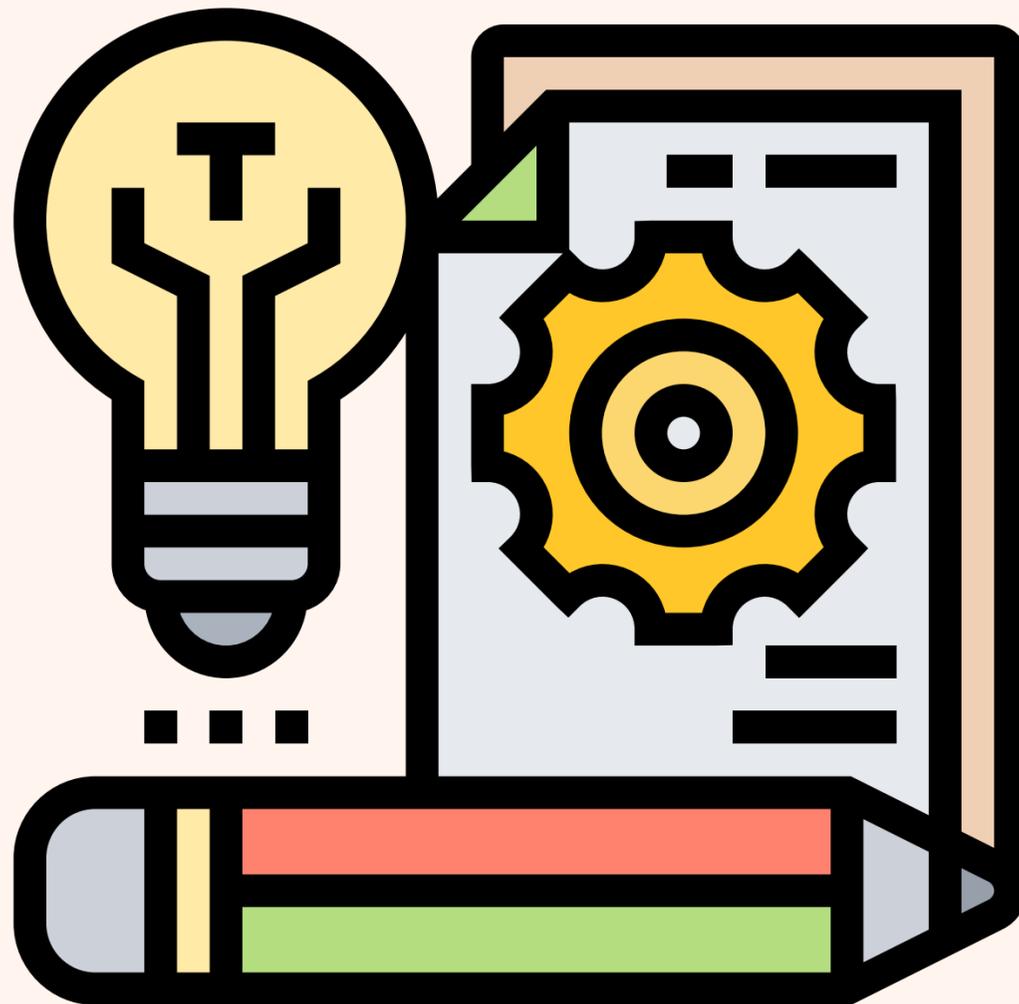


TRUE



FALSE

Assessments adapted to learners' abilities



Prepare students for the assessment feedback



Class Debrief



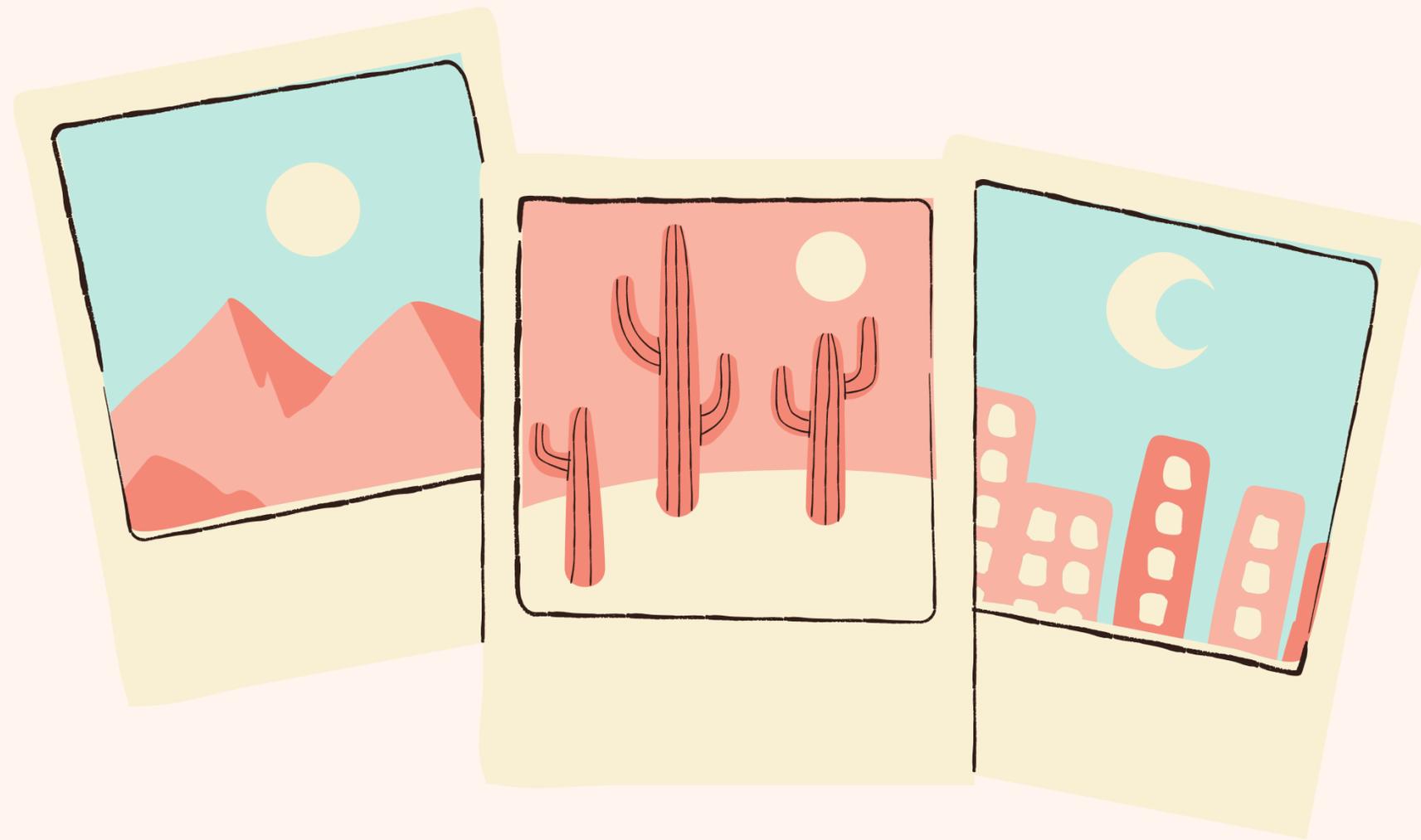


Learning Documentation

Videos



Pictures



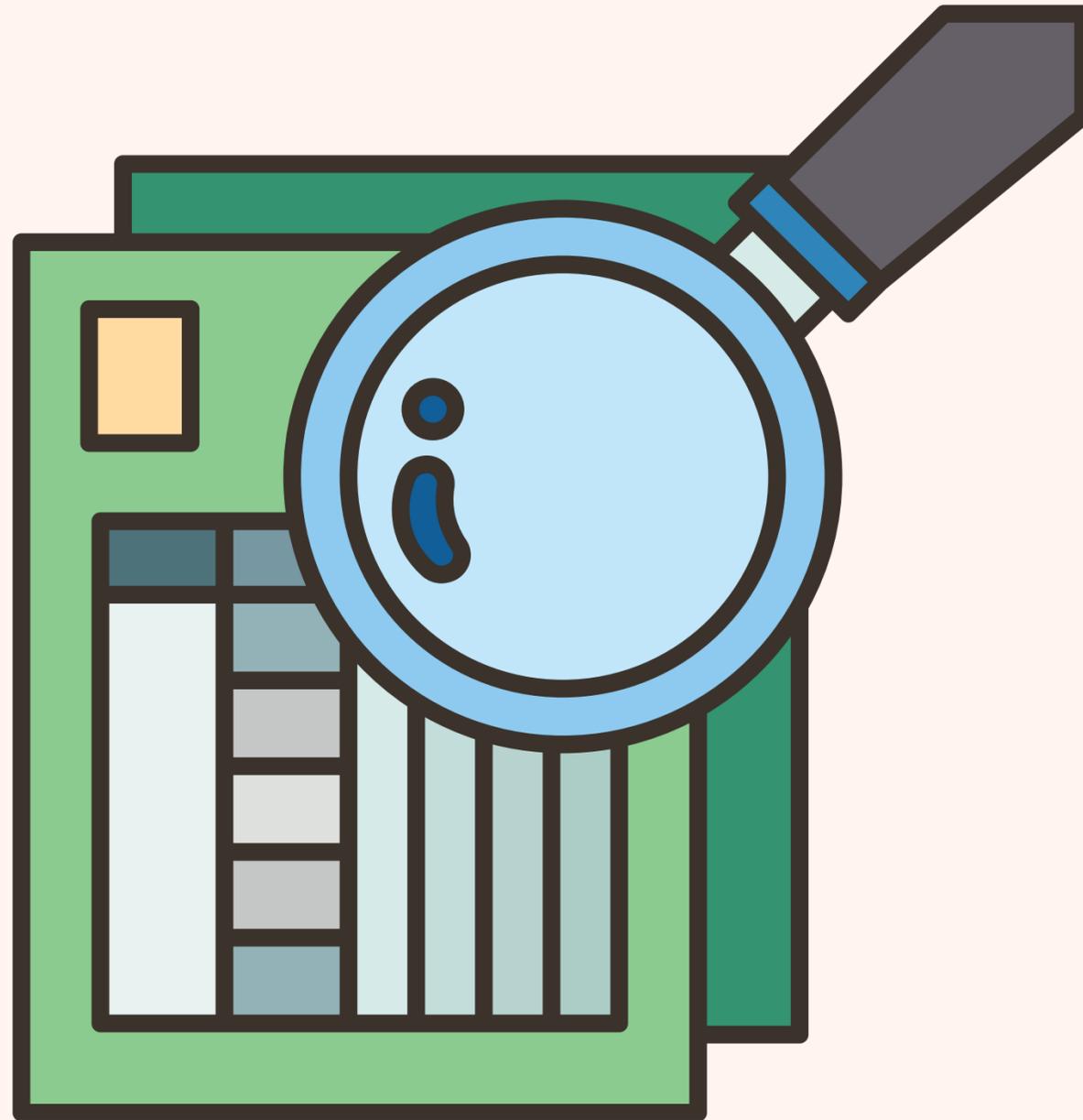
Audio recordings



Paper work



Observations



Interviews

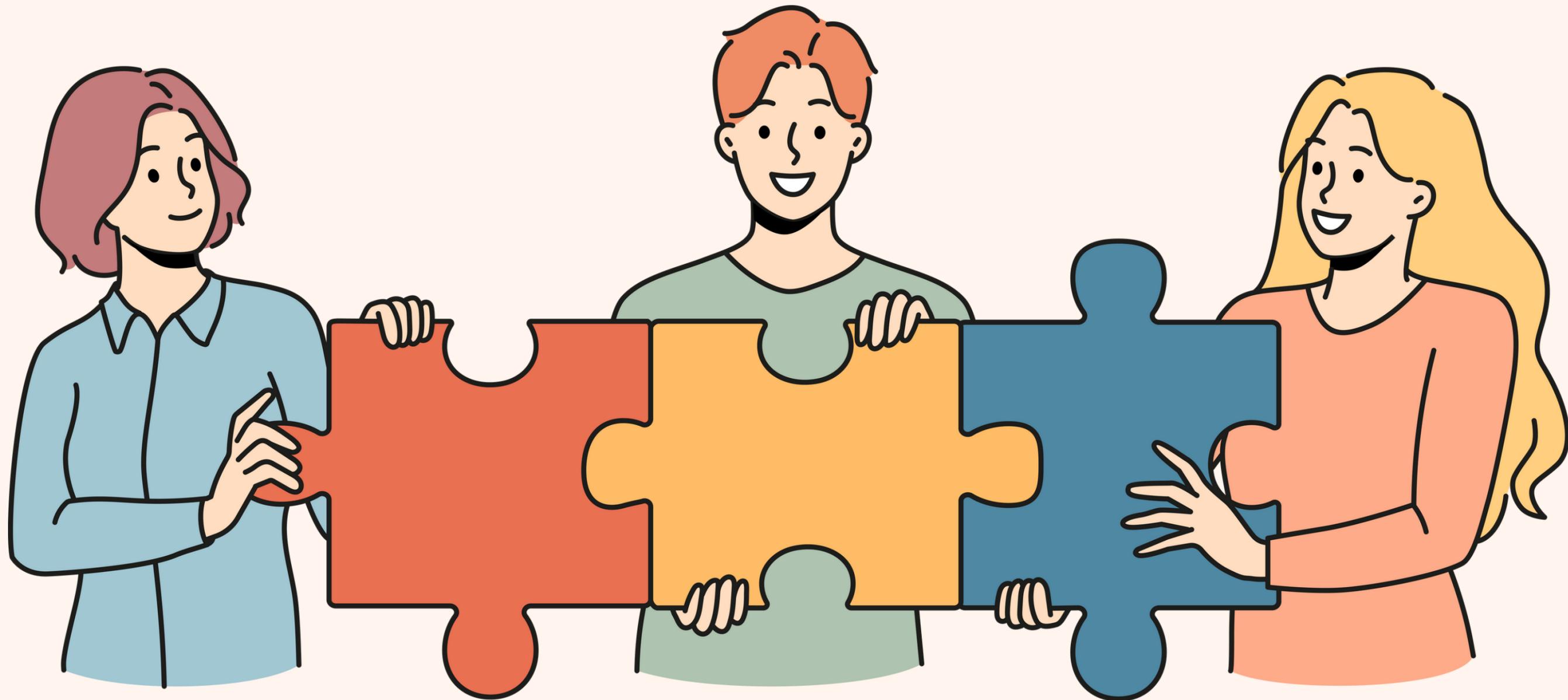


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