

How can we prepare for and facilitate discussion?

Prepare

- prompts ^{- icebreakers}
↳ trust
↳ openness
- keep it flowing
- allow students to prepare!
- your own and student prompt
- "back pocket" ideas
- know where you want to go
↳ objective!
- what? So what?
Now what?
↳ help structure!

Daring

- active listening
↳ watch participants
↳ engagement
- make space for people who haven't participated
- types of discussion
↳ technology
↳ size of groups
- record!
→ visual
→ summary
→ validates participation!

Successful

Discussion

- get spontaneous learning!

- equitable participation
↳ includes everyone, all opinions

- critical thinking + reflection
↳ dig deeper
↳ new perspectives

- listening!

Purpose ↳ instructor + learners

→ keep on track → focused!

↳ avoid tangents

↳ not shut down

"parking lot"

- have a plan/objective/structure
↳ prep (I)

- expectation of learning
↳ (I) and learners

↳ complexity
↳ connections
↳ higher ordered thinking