

WORK CARD No.10: Practice of facilitation

1. Choose one of the following topics for this exercise.
2. Practice facilitating (increasing the partner's engagement and effectiveness) with the topic. (Remember that you're facilitating discussion, not just presenting information, so involve your partners in the session.)
3. Let your partner give you specific feedback after completing the exercise.
4. Switch roles while your partner is leading the session. Give your partner helpful feedback on their session.

Topics:

- The importance of fully explaining concepts.
- The importance of student responsibility.
- How to get answers from participants.
- Why practice is important in the process of learning a new skill.

Assessment

1 Did you feel like you were being interrogated by your partner?

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2 Did you feel that your partner was interested in what you had to say? Why or why not?

3 Have you ever had the feeling that your partner is not listening? What did your partner do to make you feel like he was listening to you?

4 Did you have the impression that your partner adapted the facilitation to your needs?
