

From Smart Guesses to Smarter Questions: Including Our Students' Questions in the Conversation

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Learner Outcomes

1. Explain why some students avoid asking for help
2. Describe how the ability to ask questions is essential for academic success, social interaction, and sustained employment
3. Discuss methods for teaching students to ask questions

Strategies and sources of materials:

Introduce the topic, article, story, process, etc. Routinely ask the students, “What are you curious about?” This cues attention, teaches mental state verbs (curiosity, wonder) as well as question formulation. Collect their responses to answer at the end

Jeopardylabs.com

Socratic Seminar

Conversation Paths – Anna Vagin, Ph.D.

<https://www.nytimes.com/column/learning-whats-going-on-in-this-picture>

The New York Times, <https://www.nytimes.com/section/learning>

The Boston Globe News in Education <https://nieonline.com/bostonglobe/>

https://www.newseumed.org/search/?type=debate,debate_comparison,artifact,historical_event,lesson,map_page,poll,quiz,theme,timeline,video_page,classes_training,collection,news&

Freedom Forum from Newseum <https://www.freedomforum.org/todaysfrontpages/>

TweenTribune <https://www.tweentribune.com/>

National Geographic Kids <https://kids.nationalgeographic.com/>

National Geographic Education <https://www.nationalgeographic.org/society/education-resources/>

News To You <https://www.n2y.com/news2you/>

Time for Kids <https://www.timeforkids.com/g34/>

<https://newsela.com/>

Boston Herald, Washington Post, Los Angeles Times, and Chicago Tribune, are some of many newspapers which include Newspapers in Education (NIE) resources, as well as low-cost teacher subscriptions to their digital edition.

- Boston Herald -FREE digital subscription for educators
- Washington Post - \$1 month digital subscription for educators for 1 year
- Los Angeles Times -FREE digital subscription for educators
- Chicago Tribune -FREE digital subscription for educators

<https://www.goodnewsnetwork.org/?fbclid=IwAR3rZppBaDdQIuqYpcMl5R7x28lpyVy7bbWOeRQ8zwDxCboEN7jbup5NadE>

<https://thedonut.co/?fbclid=IwAR2EFHIN4MsojJoXxcn876bjzncsAESTWR-IJxCvKfEkRmvxBw2ygxosz3Y>

https://www.theliterarymaven.com/2016/07/short-stories-secondary-students.html?m=1&fbclid=IwAR3u2Tphq_XE6gbRv03P_tGOkVvFi0t3-YLFWOVYbem9N2cFrGfia7irJas

Dogonews.com

<http://www.languageandlattes.com/>

<https://www.ereadingworksheets.com/free-reading-worksheets/reading-comprehension-worksheets/>

<https://www.readworks.org/>

<https://storylineonline.net/>

Vooks.

https://www.vooks.com/?utm_source=google&utm_medium=cpc&utm_device=c&utm_campaign=14814797260&utm_adgroup=125667771257&utm_extension=&utm_term=vooks&utm_landingpage=https://www.vooks.com/&gclid=CjwKCAiAyPyQBhB6EiwAFUuakq20i2_rIr3gBf9Ds7vbhnA4nx4OKtkNoNQHNGh1BEZbxIC9Imz_1xoCjrYQAvD_BwE

Virtual tours

<https://educationpossible.com/amazing-informative-virtual-field-trips-for-middle-school/>

<https://mommypoppins.com/boredom-busters/giant-list-of-virtual-tours-field-trips-and-museums-with-free-programs> Historic, Art, Science, Children's Museums, Zoo, Farm, Aquarium

<https://www.weareteachers.com/best-virtual-field-trips/>

My personal favorite: <https://www.weareteachers.com/slime-space-virtual-field-trip/>
Slime in Space!

<https://yourteenmag.com/coronavirus/virtual-field-trip>

Art, science, and music

<https://www.goodhousekeeping.com/life/parenting/a32403098/virtual-field-trips-for-kids/> Includes a tour of the M&M Factory and a tour of Mars!

https://www.homeschoolbuyerscoop.org/index.php?task=filter&option=com_quickbase&next=&Itemid=194&so=&slit=44&dbRef=42&filter35=17&filter32=Factory+Tours&search=

Factory Tours including, churros, aluminum, orange juice, dum dum suckers

Food Tours (mouse can be used to look around on any that say 360. More on Food Network!)
[Smarties](#), [360 Cheese Factory Tour](#), [Peeps](#), [Crazy Milkshakes](#), [Rooftop Factory Garden Tour](#), [Pez Candy](#),
[Ice Cream](#) [Goldfish Crackers](#)

social interactions:

<https://routledge textbooks.com/textbooks/9781138238718/videos.php>

<https://everydayspeechsocialskillsvideos.vhx.tv/login>

<https://www.speechdude.com/>

Short animated films – Complete Episode Narratives

1. “Soar” by Alice Tzue <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UUIaseGrkLc&t=15s>
2. “Bridge” <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ByBbUK4jJMg>
3. “The Present” <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WjqIU5FgsYc&t=5s>
4. “Mouse for Sale” <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OzYwE3Tst1Y>
5. “For the Birds” <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pWIVoW9jAOs>
6. “Pigeons” <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oIIIVFBBbNw>
7. “Glued” <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Vpk7Eje9ZIQ>
8. “Kia Hamsters” https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XqDb_5hs0v8
9. “Amazon Prime – Lion” <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=r6XKV1RSQOY>
10. “Amazon Prime – Nursery Advert” <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9CwwU6ylGgk>
11. “Amazon Prime – New Neighbor” <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z25-WOiTdx>
12. “Amazon Prime – Iman & the Priest ” <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5TiMrWQhvP0>
13. “Wells Fargo – Souvenir” https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=C_2mljR7CMM
14. “Coke Coca Cola Opposing Soldiers Super Bowl XLV Commercial 2011”
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9m98jvwnxRw>
15. “Travelers insurance Dog commercial”
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lk2B8988ws0>
16. “Travelers Insurance Cat Burglar” <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xPI-HMfPPvI>

17. “Amazon Prime Dog Commercial” <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZANcbm61cCw>
18. “Amazon Prime Lonely Little Horse”
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1y2cYdYdSx8>
19. “Amazon Prime Frankenstein”
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=K1k17qJDmw4>
20. “Eggs Change” <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=B8eBmqNyxBg>
21. “Android Rock Paper Scissors” <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=63v5siMWGrS>
22. “Macy’s commercial 2015” https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W-PgSkzao_U
23. “Coca Cola Christmas Balloon” <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EvtVxcEsojc>
24. “Adidas Break Free” <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MwqBUG1ImeQ>
25. “Dante’s Lunch” Disney <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2GCzyZexnNE>
26. CGI Animated Short Film: "Dustin"
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BTSH3hxdk_A&t=167s
27. “Dust Buddies” CGI <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9OhUJyF1bYo&t=6s>
27. “Clydesdales Best Buds 2014” https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7p_3lITiK_Q
28. “Budweiser Lost Dog” <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VWeKtqWc2EA>
29. “Masha and the Bear” (view in Russian)
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CSdGB_r6ZkQ&t=251s
30. “Ormie the Pig” https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EUm-vAOmV1o&list=PL8KkvEwg9cUn7Mei_OgIdWIhk6xLVbiWY
31. “Simon’s Cat” video series <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fcjR93Jin4Y>

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