

What's the Buzz?

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Buzzwords in Education Explained

Join the conversation! Examine trending buzzwords, eliminate misconceptions, and discover how to apply the strategy in your teaching space.

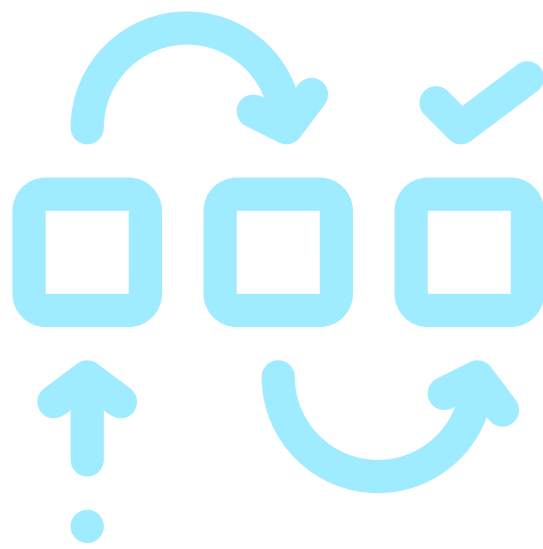
POGIL



Process **O**riented **G**uided **I**nquiry **L**earning. POGIL is an active/engaged teaching strategy that focuses on process skills, such as communication, teamwork, problem-solving, and information processing.

WHEN TO USE IT?

Any time an active/engaged teaching strategy is desired that emphasizes the acquisition of affective or cognitive skills along with course content.



HOW TO USE IT?



Work with learners to create a productive, supportive, team learning environment. Guide learners through the inquiry process to reach a valid, known-to-the-field (but unknown to them) conclusion. See POGIL.org for example training sessions and additional information.

WHY USE IT?

Research suggests that this is how most people learn best. It also teaches learners the value of teamwork and inquiry as a process that can be developed, rather than simply focusing on getting the right answer.

