



Motivating Learners During Remote Learning Due to COVID-19

Tips for Teachers

As school closures due to COVID-19 impact the majority of learners, education systems deployed remote learning solutions. Motivation is a central to learning and here are tips for teachers on what they can do to motivate learners in such times:

1 Set Clear Goals with the Participation of Learners



Assist learners to set goals



Set objectives compatible with the learners' own goals



Ensure that tasks are based on relatable and realistic scenarios

2 Define the Purpose of Each Lesson



Clarify the purpose of each lesson and connect it with the learners' long-term learning goals



Break down learning into meaningful segments, so that interest is sustained



Use diverse teaching strategies

3 Invite, Challenge and Respond!



Avoid judgements and provide constructive comments and feedback



React closely to what learners say or ask, and provide them with appraisal for their accomplishments



Follow up with learners regularly, and give them room for reactions, questions, and suggestions

4 Encourage Participation, Collaboration and Creativity!



Encourage learners to engage and actively participate



Encourage learners to share their own stories/experiences



Encourage various forms of expression and be open to ideas proposed by learners

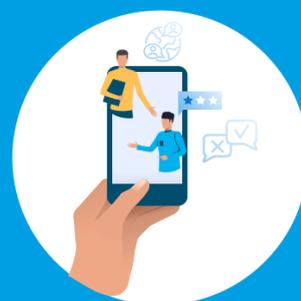
5 Customize Learning



Tailor lessons to the interests of learners



Provide learners with tools to reduce dependence on the teacher



Engage learners in topics they are interested in