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UNIVERSAL DESIGN FOR LEARNING

DESIGNING FOR APPRENTICES with Dyslexia

Do	Don't
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enlarge print 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Don't use small font
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clear layout 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Don't use blocks of text
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Different colour background 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Don't use black print on white paper
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Encourage use of highlighters / a ruler for key words and highlighting 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Don't underline words, use italics or write in capitals
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use audio and visual modes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Don't put too much information in one place
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Encourage use of technologies/apps that would be of help 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Don't rush learners to finish written work in class
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Establish learning preferences 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Don't use one form of delivery

DESIGNING FOR APPRENTICES with Anxiety

Do	Don't
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use timelines 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Don't allow the anxious learner to be isolated during any group activities
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Allow additional time 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Never ignore a learner who has appeared particularly anxious throughout one or more class sessions.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make important information clear 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Don't underestimate any additional external stressors which the learner may be experiencing
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Give feedback 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Don't ignore obvious physical changes such as sweating, headaches and on-going illness
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foster a positive setting 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Don't ignore consistent procrastination and difficulty focusing on tasks
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Build self worth and resilience 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Don't complicate concepts
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Offer additional supports (Learner Support Service) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Don't forget that the Learner Support Service can provide additional services

IDEAS FOR TECHNOLOGIES AND METHODS

Wordpress, Powtoon, Debate, NearPod, FlipSnack, Design Thinking, Kahoot, Easel.ly, Live Transcribe, FlipSnack, Coggle, Tumbler, Problem Based Learning, ThinkPairShare, Zinepal, Prezi, Competency Based Learning, Wordpress, Slidebazaar, Padlet, Socates, Smugmug, Booklet Creator, Jimdo, TedEd, Menti, Flickr, Wix, Gamification, Doppel.me, Mousepose, Quizlet, Tagxedo, Prezi, Joomla, Menti, Blooms Taxonomy, Thinglink, Cooperative Learning, Visme, Tumbler, iSpeech, Peer Learning, Flipped Classroom, Jimdo, Concept Maps, TikiToki

LEARNING SUPPORT SERVICE FOR APPRENTICESHIP

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