

Targeted Teaching Topic

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Summary of Topic:

Non-Verbal Communication

Main Curriculum Tie:

Use with middle school students when they learn about types of communication. Help them to understand how the various types of communication can influence relationships.

Required Materials for Lesson:

Students standing in a row.

Background for Teacher:

Learn to observe types of non-verbal communication in others.

Student Prior Knowledge:

Read about communication, types of communication and why it is important in getting a message across.

Intended Learning Outcome:

Students see the value in communicating so that others can understand.

Instructional Procedure:

- Students stand in a straight line.
- They are instructed to reposition themselves according their birthdate (January through December) without talking.

How to Measure Outcome:

Are students repositioned correctly?