

Reflection

When students finish a unit of learning, it is usually a good idea to have them reflect on the learning. This way they are able to connect it to themselves and strengthens their enduring understanding of the content or ideas shared within. There are all sorts of reflection protocols that can be used but what if you used one that aligned to a product you were going to be using for the next unit of study. For example, if your next unit is going to require students to give an oral presentation, you might use the reflection activity to demonstrate their skill level at this task. They could be required to get in front of the class and share their response to a reflection prompt or they might film a video of themselves explaining it. These would show you how much guidance you would need to provide once the next unit of learning begins.

Reflection from Middle Ages

Identify 5 things from the Middle Ages that you could not live without. Create a 6 slide PowerPoint that shows why this contribution is important to you personally and how your life would be different or more difficult if it did not exist.