

Effective Teaching Strategies
from the 2019-2020 cohort

- Tailor teaching methods to your class (think about class size, course content, audience)
- Be familiar with your material
- Be prepared to teach
- Ask questions and give sufficient time for students to answer them
- Use demonstrations
- Be engaging (make eye-contact, move around the room, use clickers)
- Create a safe and welcoming environment
- Use multiple modalities to include everyone
- Have students work in small groups (think, pair, share)
- Use well-defined learning objectives that align with classroom activities, homework problems, and exam questions
- Stress interconnections between course concepts using summaries
- Use visual aids for clarification, engagement, and transitions