



» Tips for teaching ELs online «



1. Create a Welcoming Space



4. Have students discuss in small groups



7. Offer sentence stems / starters

I think... because...

2. Encourage student output {speaking/writing}



5. Keep small groups the same for several class periods

8. Balance instruction with plenty of student interaction



3. Use visuals to support comprehensible input



6. Present students with learning goals or objectives



9. Build heterogeneous groups for learners