The Active Learning Pedagogy Sequence (ALPS):
A Framework for Developing Equity-based Active Learning Strategies to Engage Students in Mathematical Inquiry

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## What active learning

 strategies have you tried*?* or heard about?


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Instructor timeleffort
Student time/effort
Lead

## Think

## Give students quiet time during class.

YouDo finish/work on similar problem.
Write reflection ex. one-minute paper, muddiest point.
Focus ex. catch-up time, mindfulness practices.

## Work with classmate(s) informally

Turn-to neighbor quick check-ins, compare answers, ask each other questions (vs. student asking instructor)

Partners/small groups informal collaboration/parallel activities, ex. practice problems

## Students share thoughts/answers

Answering questions using equitable calling-on strategies (vs. volunteers answer)

Voting clickers and more

## Composites

## Combine primes (think, pair, share)

Think-Pair-Share
Think-Pair-Square
Think-Pair-Shuffle


Vote Again think, share (vote), pair, share (vote again)

## Power-ups

## Strengthen activities by adding

Movement ex. paired boardwork, pass the marker
Touch ex. manipulatives, technology (to experiment)
Help tools spies (go listen) \& ambassadors (go help)
Inquiry question, conjecture, play

## Group

## Formal, structured, collaborative

Roles ex. writer, reporter, quality-control, tech, props, . .
Positive interdependence requires task that too complicated to do well individually.

MAA Notes \#55 Coop Learning (in archives online)

## Move

## Movement with meaning

Anthropomorphised "be the math"
Experiential do math in context, ex. field trip/lab

## Lead

## Student as teacher

Presentations ex. individual, jigsaw, stations

## Student designed/led activities

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Pair

## What new active learning strategies will you try?

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