#1 Evaluate engagement level  
Due: Jan 19th at midnight  

5 points  
1.5-2 pages

**Purpose:** Highly engaging experiences offer students a greater opportunity to retain the learning content. Design lessons that increase student engagement.  
**TPE 2.2:** Create learning environments (i.e., traditional, blended, and online) that promote productive student learning, encourage positive interactions among students...

## Learning Engagement Chart

**Phases of engagement when learning:**

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<th>Activity</th>
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<td><strong>Phase 1: A quick read</strong></td>
<td>Read through for basic understanding of content. Details are not easily retained. Typically, factual content with minimum purpose or transferable value.</td>
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<td><strong>Phase 2: Auditory input of content</strong></td>
<td>Auditable segments of a message. Factual info on topics and/or meaningful message that usually requires memory for general recall or simple applications.</td>
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<td><strong>Phase 3: Visual input of content</strong></td>
<td>Visual segments of meaningful content. Figures, charts, maps, forms, etc. that contain a message.</td>
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<td><strong>Phase 4: Read, View &amp; Listen to content</strong></td>
<td>Aligned information where one method supports the other. Content allows for long-term learning events.</td>
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<td><strong>Phase 5: Discussion about content</strong></td>
<td>New information that creates an idea when merged with another person’s ideas, which confirms or creates a wider +/- or deeper perspective of the original content.</td>
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<td><strong>Phase 6: Experiences related to content</strong></td>
<td>Each person is able to find a meaningful connection that inspires and feeds all other related learning. A life-long benefit.</td>
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<td><strong>Phase 7: Discovery that expands content</strong></td>
<td>Problem solving – complex academic skills &amp; real life applications or new ideas. Often found in planned or unplanned experiences.</td>
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<td>Newspaper &amp; magazine articles, blogs, texts, simple communications. Found in traditional reading group sessions.</td>
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<td>Simple directions and information acquired through conversation.</td>
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<td>Figural forms that provide and/or organize information. Colors, layout, sequence, etc.</td>
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<td>Methods of input combined into meaningful information, then processed and used for recall and new learning experiences.</td>
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<td>An exchange of ideas openly expressed, where each party listens, thus prompting new ideas from unexpected sources.</td>
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<td>A physically related experience where concrete and abstract ideas manifest into a cognitively organized construct.</td>
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<td>Math, science, language, psychological, spiritual, self-awareness, etc.= cognitive +/- physical environments.</td>
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unplanned cooperative activities with others. | Teach to peers or others that which has been learned and applied in an authentic and thorough manner. A highly invested experience where content values are mastered and reconfigured into a personal construct which imparts information to another. | One to one review of content. Shared/presented reports: Written, charted oral reports. Outlined information shared on graphic organizers. A fully planned lesson. Response to assessment results.

**Application & Analysis of a personal experience:**

1. During any part of your lifetime, what lesson did you experience that ranked which would rank at a high level of engagement. Briefly describe the activity for each Phase.
2. Discuss how this experience was meaningful to you and how you have found that you benefited from it.

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How was this experience meaningful to you and how have you benefited from it?

Class activity: Post a one page outline of a familiar/typical lesson plan on Canvas.

**1 Assignment:** *(Study the examples provided.)*

1. Reflect on the experience in class.
2. Using any one-page lesson plan, evaluate how the activities rank on Phase Chart.
3. Note the Phase level that the lesson plan initially utilized?
4. Using red font on the lesson plan, add simple activities onto the page that will increase the Phases of engagement up to at least #6/ Higher Phase levels will earn more points.
5. Include the improved lesson plan, with red font notations, into this file.*
6. Chart the pre and post activities on the table below. (Some cells will be empty.)
7. Answer the final question. Is the learning now active and alive, or is it dull?
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*Attach the improved lesson plan.

**Final Question:** *Is the learning now active and alive, or is it dull? Explain why.*

### Rubric for #1: Evaluate/increase engagement levels of a lesson

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<td>A1: Evaluate the lesson plan and include a Phase ranking</td>
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<td>A1: Lesson outline listing activities &amp; a determined ranking of Phases</td>
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A total of noted performance is averaged between all columns.