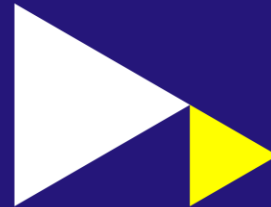
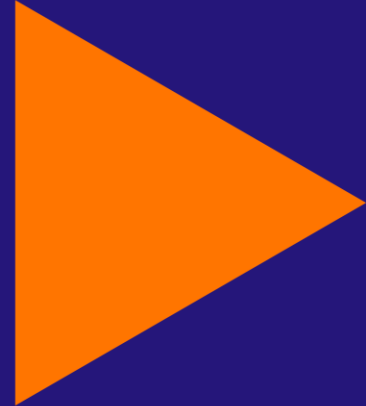


Group work and grouping



Outline

What is a group?

What is group work: 5 principles

How to group students?



Definition group work

Group work = when two or more persons work together to complete a task or assignment (small or big)

A better word would be 'collaborative learning'



Five principles for collaborative learning

1. **Positive mutual dependency**

- The learners need each other to fulfill the assignment

2. **Individual accountability**

- Every learner is accountable for his/her own contribution
- Every learner is accountable for the group assignment

3. **Direct interaction**

- Learners need to be able to see and hear each other well

4. **Social skills**

- Listening, presenting, summarizing, etc.

5. **Evaluation, adjustment of collaboration**

- Reflect on the collaboration and adjust when needed.



How to group?

With friends



Same cognitive level



Equal communication skills



Same gender



Same characteristics/type



with 'strangers'

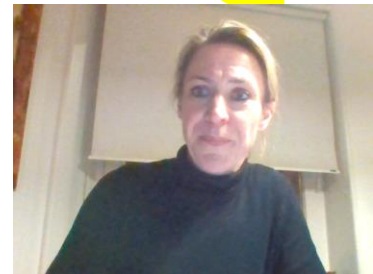
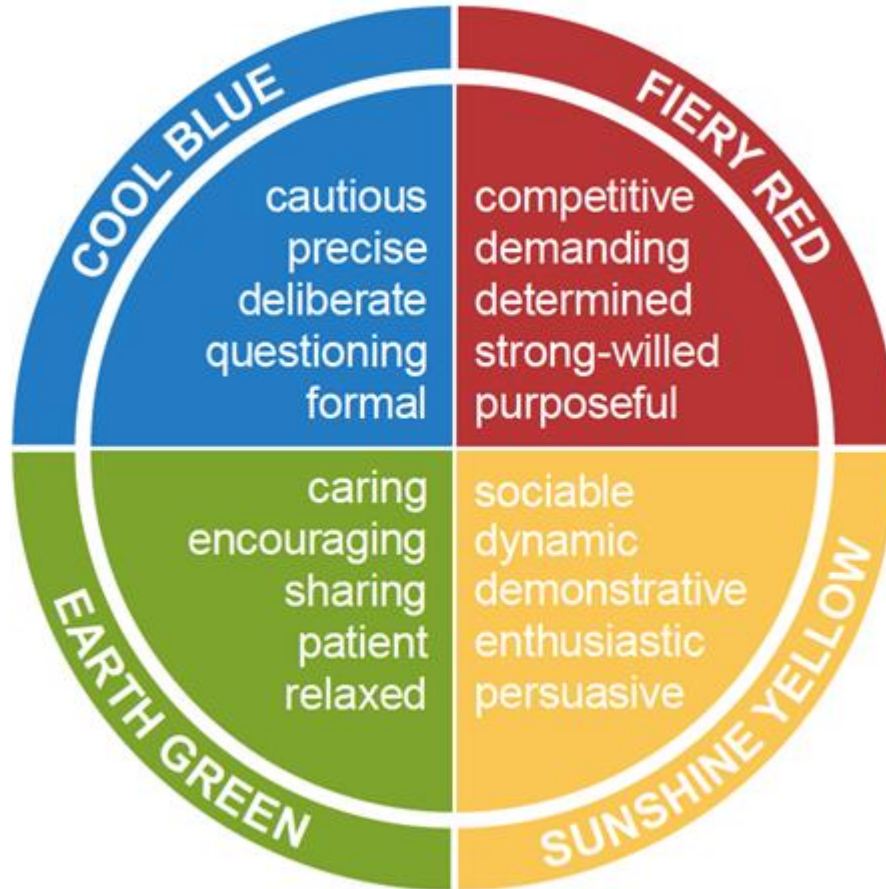
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