



MICRO TASKS



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Note to user: After familiarizing with each video pill, the user will be provided with the opportunity to perform several tasks/activities/games in order to practice and further develop the respective skill.

SKILL

SOLVING PROBLEM

MICRO TASK NUMBER 1

Active learning sets

01 What are the objectives of the task?



The idea is that you can cope with problems and learn how to solve them better when you can talk and share, reflect and plan with others who already have experience. Active learning sets are a simple and effective way for people to learn from each other, and problems can be solved by using the knowledge and skills of a small group of people combined with skilful questioning to produce new ideas and reinterpret familiar concepts.

02 What will teachers learn?



A problem shared is a problem halved," goes the saying. So one of the actions you can take as a teacher when you have to face and solve problems is to try to share them. Action Learning Sets build on this foundation and extend it by bringing together people with experience of a problem to explore possible solutions, test them and develop them further.



03 Tasks and procedure



The idea is that every time you have to face a problem and look for a solution, you get small groups of people together to think about the problem, try out solutions and discuss and challenge the results.

An "Action Learning Group" is a group of 5-7 people. They are usually peers or have a similar level of responsibility and experience. They may belong to a school or to different organisations.

The group agrees to meet regularly over a period of time to find practical ways to address the problems they face and to support their own learning and development.

The group usually has a trained facilitator to guide the process, although it is possible to do without this support if participants are experienced and disciplined.

Essentially, group members are encouraged to find their own solutions to challenges and problems through a structured process.

