

Traditional Classroom Vs Constructivist Classroom



1. Pursuit of student questions and interests is valued.
2. Materials are primarily textbooks and workbooks.
3. Learning is interactive, building on what the student already knows.
4. Learning is based on repetition.
5. Students are recipients of knowledge.
6. Teacher's role is directive, rooted in authority.
7. Teacher's role is interactive, rooted in negotiation.
8. Assessment includes student works, observations and points of view, as well as tests.
9. Knowledge is seen as dynamic, ever changing with our experiences.
10. Students work primarily alone.