Story Telling in Classroom





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THE ART OF STORYTELLING AN INTRODUCTION

What is Storytelling?

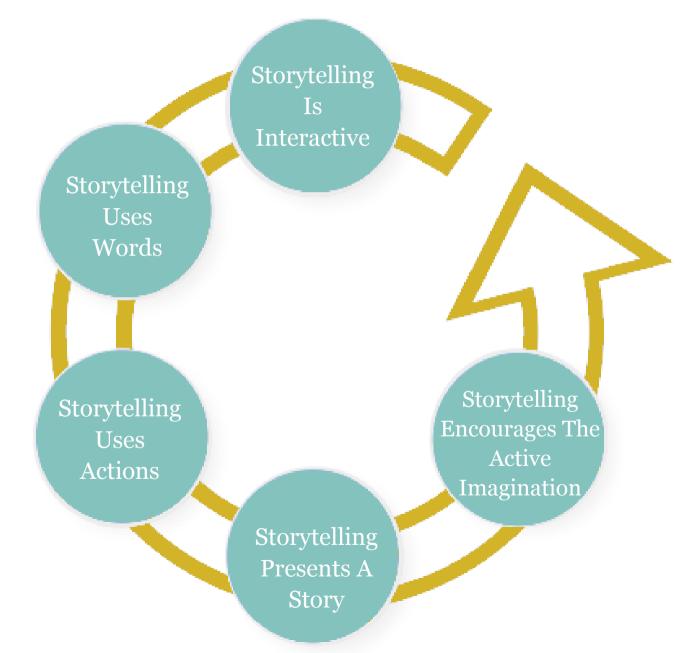
Storytelling is the interactive art of using words and actions to reveal the elements and images of a story while encouraging the listener's imagination

Telling is standing or sitting and using ones voice or sign language to present a story without reading from a book

Every culture has its own stories or narratives, which are shared as a means of entertainment, education, cultural preservation or instilling moral values

Storytelling emerges from the interaction and cooperative, coordinated efforts of teller and audience

What is Storytelling?



Elements of a Story

CONFLICT	CHARACTER	SETTING	PLOT	THEME
What are you solving?	Who is this story about?	What will set the scene?	What is going on?	What did we learn?

AUDIENCE

Who is listening to our story? What do they need to know?



The Importance of Storytelling in the Learning Process

Why Tell Stories



Telling stories is *natural*.

Whether you're describing your day at work, catching up on neighborhood news, or reconnecting with old friends, you're naturally telling and hearing stories. If you communicate in a natural way during an interview or presentation, you'll feel more comfortable and come across as relaxed and authentic.

We can relate.

We relate to people and to what happens to them more so than we relate to data, warnings or explanations. If you tell a story about someone your audience can identify with, or an experience they or a loved one may have had, they'll understand your message and remember it.

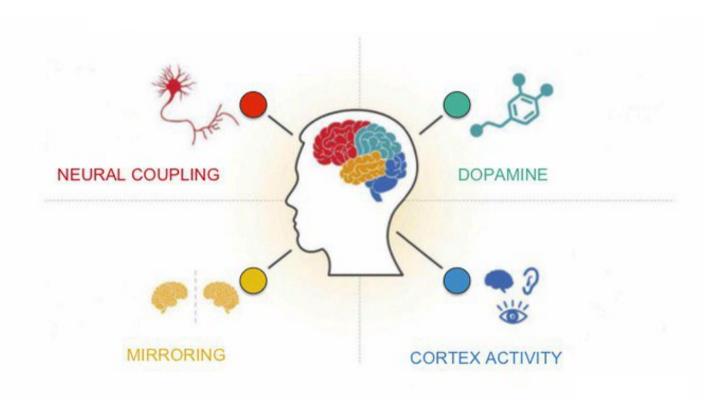




Stories get repeated.

What do you do when you hear a good story? You find someone to tell. In some situations, it might be called gossip, but when audiences hear and remember a strong story you tell, they're likely to repeat it, widening your audience.

Brain Activity During Storytelling



Advantages of integrating storytelling to the ESL classroom

1.

Lowers affective filter

2.

Activates and build upon the students' background

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Relates course information to the real world

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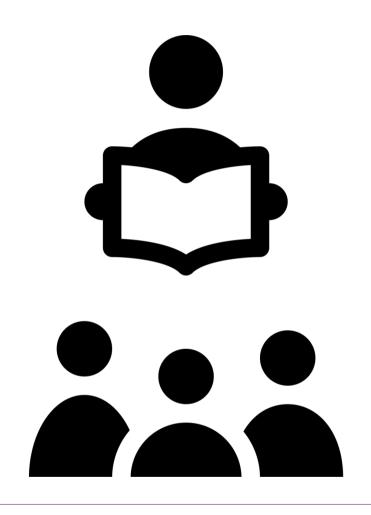
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Allows for natural repetition of words/phrases

Promotes teacher-learner collaboration

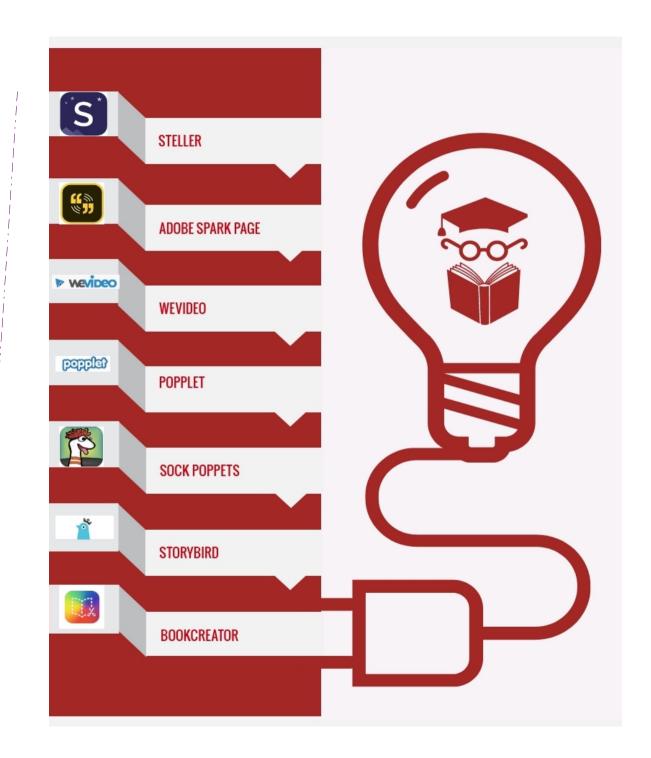


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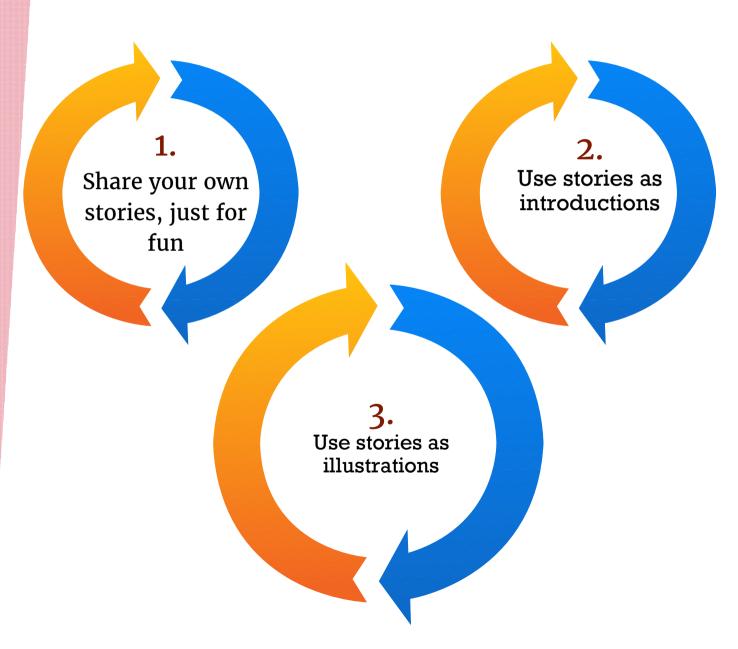
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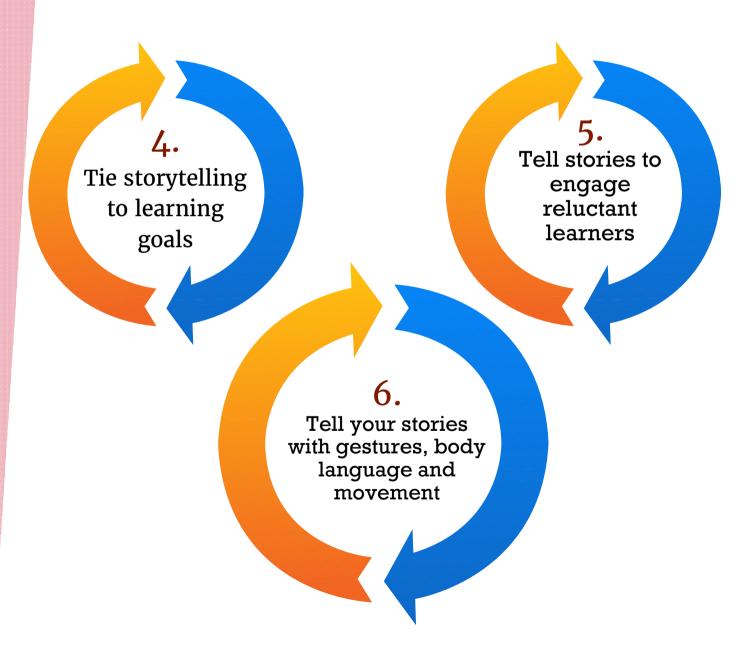
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Storytelling Strategies for the Classroom



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ANY QUESTIONS?



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