



Reflection: Using an Attention Signal

Take a moment to reflect on if your plan is going to work.

Ask yourself the following questions:

Will my students notice my signal under a variety of conditions?

Yes No

Is my signal age appropriate?

Yes No

Can I use my signal at any time under a variety of circumstances?

Yes No

Have I come up with clear expectations regarding how I want my students to respond when I use the signal?

Yes No

Have I asked for student input about what attention signal might work best?

Yes No

If you answered "No" to any of these questions, what can you do to address those issues and ensure success?

- What will get in the way of using an attention signal in my classroom?
- How will I make sure that I use and practice the signal with my class?

Complete the following sentences in your own words:

It is important for me to make this happen in my classroom because...

I am confident that I can effectively use this attention signal with my students because...