

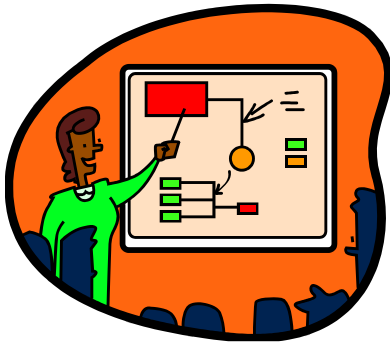
# Narrated PowerPoint Presentations

Faculty Multimedia Workshop Series

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# Narrated PowerPoint

- Adding audio to presentation slides and saving them in a way to easily share with others.



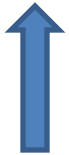
# Educational Uses

## Ideas for choosing content

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Prerequisite Knowledge	General Content	Advanced/Difficult Topics
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To help students who may start off behind or who took their prerequisite classes a while ago.

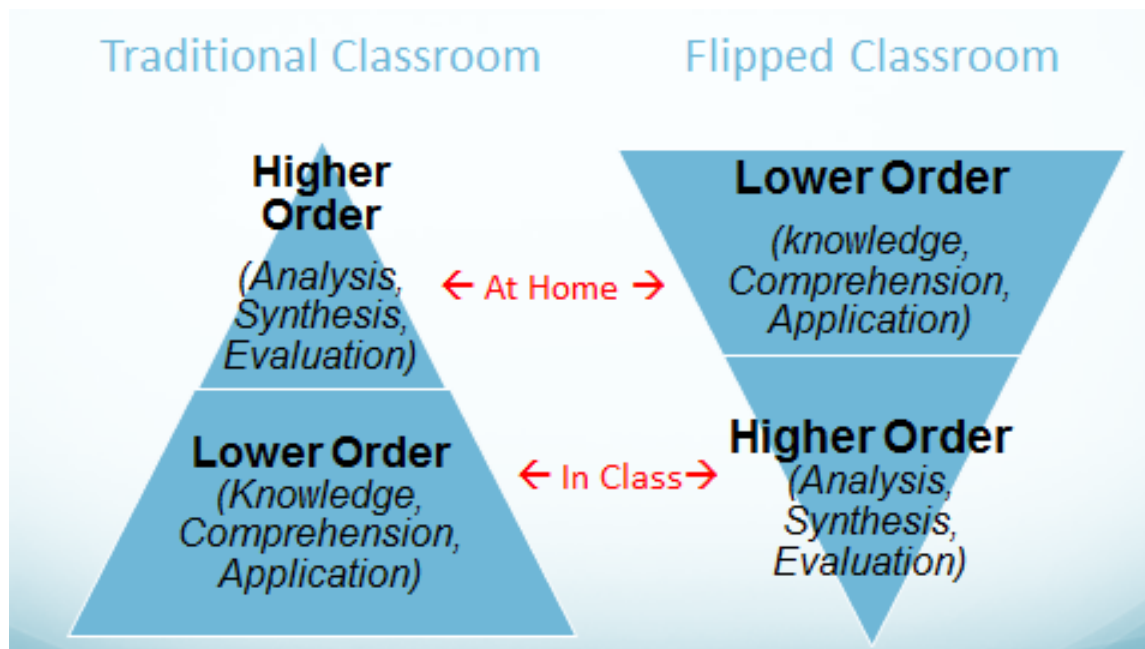


To give students another resource to tackle topics you know will be difficult for them.

## Benefits

- Students can
  - Stop and start
  - Watch multiple times
- Resource for various modalities
  - Adds personalization to online and mixed mode courses

# Educational Uses: Ideas for the Curriculum



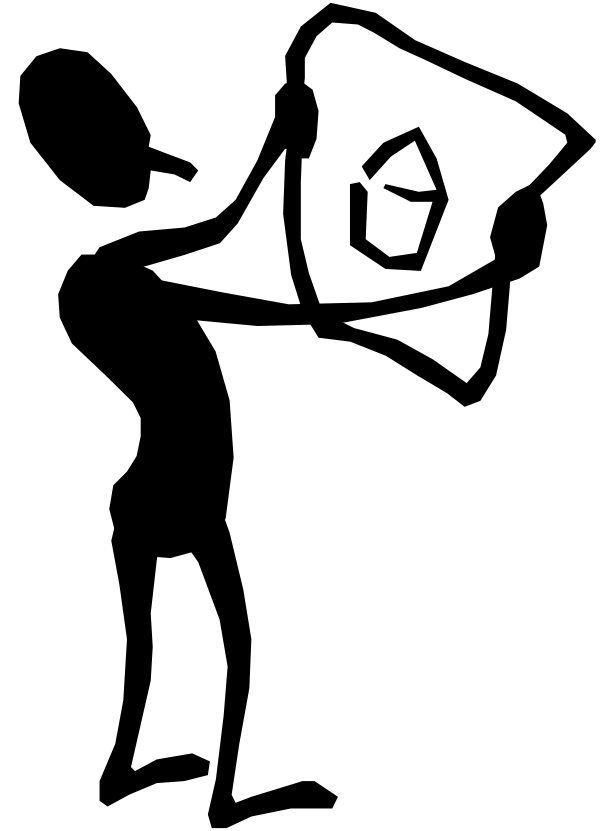
Students watch lectures at home and do hands-on activities in class

## Assignments

- Use presentations to prompt online discussion or reflective writing
- Students can produce narrated presentations to showcase learning
- Use short videos to introduce a topic or conclude a series of concepts

# Tips for Using Narrated Presentations for Teaching

- Planning
  - Write a script
  - Keep short (aim for a maximum of 10-15 minutes)
  - Keep text to a minimum (limit to 7-8 lines of text)
  - Use larger font size
  - Stay away from borders of the slide



# Tips for Using Narrated Presentations for Teaching

- Recording & Saving
  - Use an external microphone
  - Limit ambient noise
  - Consider recording audio per slide for editing purposes
  - Save in a useful file type (avoid SWF files)



# Important Things to Think About

- File type creation
  - Sharing
  - Editing
  - Storage
  
- Captioning ability
  - Assist non-native speakers
  - Accessibility
  - Clarity with difficult vocabulary