
Title: 09 Get a Clue....It was Mr. English in Math Class with the Science Textbook

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Focus Area: Student Engagement

Other Area:

Audience: Middle/High

Abstract: Everyone loves a good murder mystery. Join us to explore how to keep students engaged by incorporating murder-based inquiry in Math, English, and Science classes. Presenters will share plans and materials used with ninth-graders, with strategies for adapting to other grade levels.

Presentation Addresses the Following Categories of Instructional Strategies that Affect Student Achievement

Yes Identifying similarities and differences

Yes Summarizing and note taking

Yes Questions, cues, and advance organizers

Setting objectives and providing feedback

Reinforcing effort and providing recognition

Yes Cooperative learning

Homework and practice

Nonlinguistic representations

Yes Generating and testing hypotheses

Other