Lesson Basics- Activity

Develop students' independence during classroom activities to allow them to take ownership of their learning.

Whatever the activity is, it will need a structure to underpin it to ensure that students can work independently and make progress. As such, it is important to consider what aspects can be consistently planned into activities to allow students to achieve their best. To achieve his think about the basics necessary for success, time, independence and organisation. To achieve this set clear time limits for your activity, provide differentiated support materials (try using GAP), give clear instructions which outline the learning sequence and also give students the opportunity to reflect and modify their learning as it unfolds.

Spotlight/Focus...

- Follow the timings to ensure that the work is completed within time
- Choose your GAP task so that you are suitably challenged
- Check the task given so that you complete what is required

Teacher spotlight...

- Use timings to structure the activity
- Use GAP to differentiate the activity so that students are challenged
- Use a lesson sequence to support independent learning



