

DISCUSSION & DEBATE



LIVE

Students in groups or as a whole cohort, together with the lecturer whether as equal contributor, chair or devil's advocate, discuss a theory or concept and in doing so identify and more deeply consider strengths, weaknesses, alternatives, comparisons, inconsistencies, application in different contexts etc.

Core Enhancing Technology

 **Wordwall**  **Office 365**



Key Enhancements

- Deeper exploration and analysis of concepts leading to greater understanding
- Social construction—students learn by modifying understanding through exposure to different viewpoints, interpretations and ideas of peers
- Opportunity to correct misconceptions and address questions
- Develops a wide range of oracy skills—key for employability

Skype for Business

Skype for Business is the tool for bringing remote participants into the discussion. Remote participants can share their device screen in the Skype window to illustrate their contribution to the session.

Wordwall

Wordwall has several activities which can be used to stimulate further discussion including: Brainstorm, Spider Diagram, Random Wheel, Group Sort, Labelled Diagram, Rating Scale, Graph and Order of Preference.

 **Office 365**

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The Sony Vision Exchange system enables session participants to share documents, Spreadsheets, Slideshows, notes or anything else created in Office365 or indeed any other application to the main display to enable analysis, critique, comparison, suggestions for development or any other type of discussion in relation to the work created. Discussions can be annotated and snapshots of annotated screens can be captured and saved by the lecturer and all students.

Try Also...

Today'sMeet and Twitter are useful tools for creating a "backchannel" discussion or question stream for sessions.

Padlet's virtual collaborative noticeboard can be used to stimulate discussion.

Available Help and Guides

What is Wordwall?
Sharing Your Screen
Connecting to a Wordwall Session
OneNote—First Steps
Calling and Messaging