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Digital Tactics:

Enhancing the Traditional Classroom

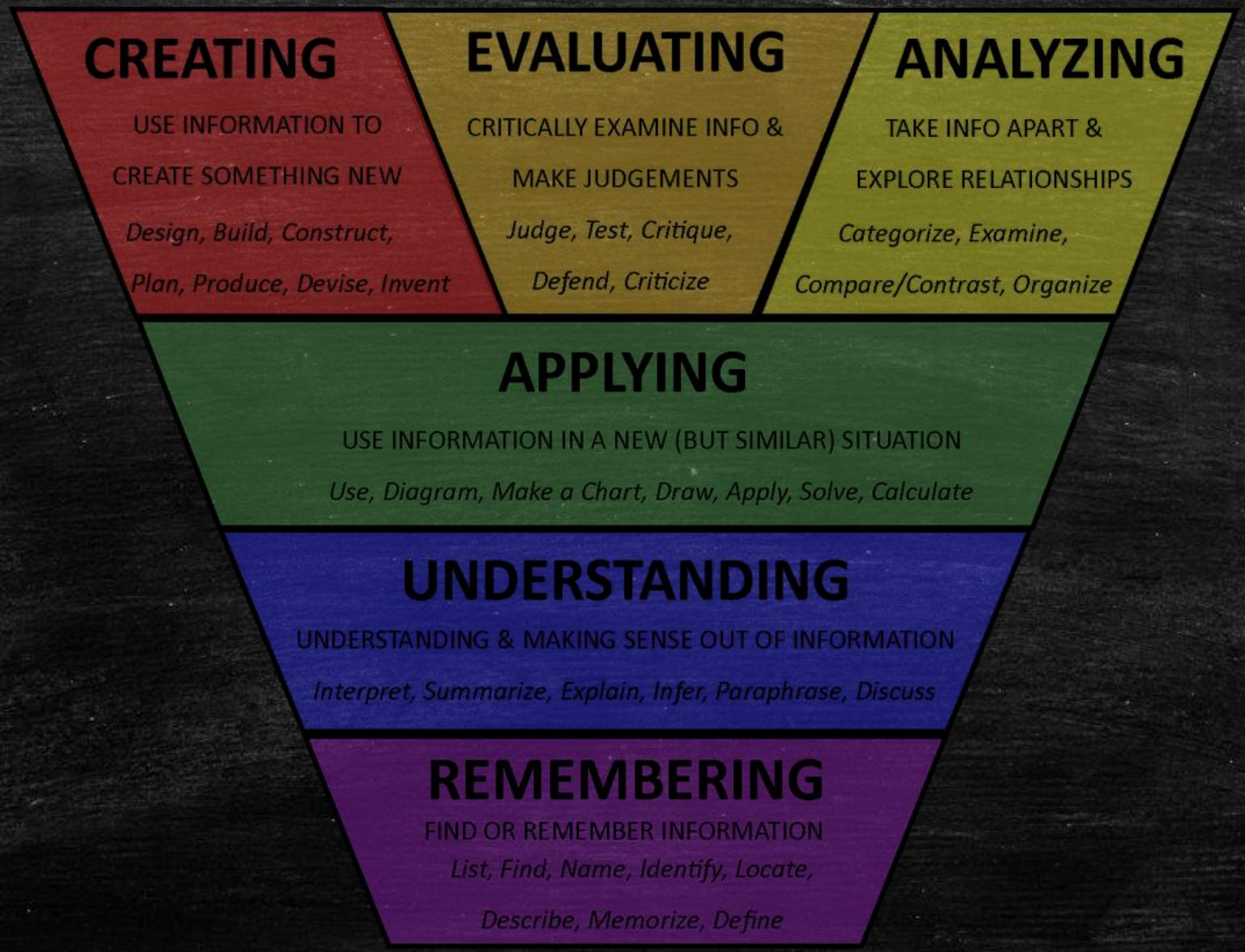
Link to Resources: http://bit.ly/DigitalTactics

OBJECTIVES:

- Understand the benefits of digital learning environments.
- Address common concerns with incorporating digital tools.
- Preview these four digital tools:
  - ✓Wikispaces
  - ✓Voyant
  - ✓TimeMapper
  - ✓Kumu
- Discuss teaching materials and digital possibilities.

Let's Get Digital !

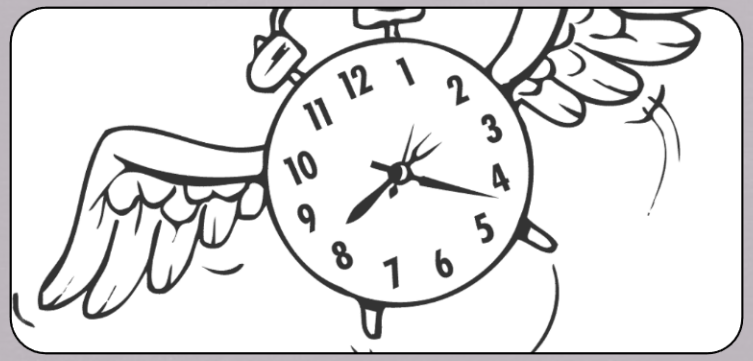
But, why ?



Advantages of Digital Learning:

- Fosters high level thinking (according to cognitive complexity and depth of knowledge taxonomy).
- Promotes new and different analyses.
- Creates digital learning environments that are:
  - ✓Collaborative
  - ✓Multi-sensory
  - ✓Flexible
- Expedites multi-dimensional feedback loops.
- Prepares students for our dynamic digital world.

Common Concerns:

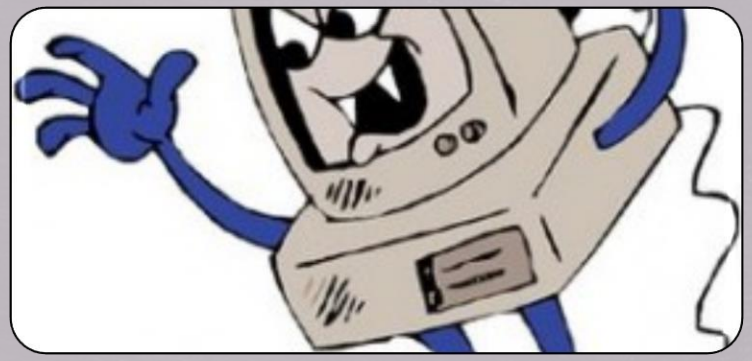


Time

- new assignment creation
- too much material to cover

Accessibility

- unequal access to computers and/or internet for students



Unknowns

- not “tech savvy”
- past failed attempts

Wikispaces - http://www.wikispaces.com/

Voyant - https://voyant-tools.org/

TimeMapper - http://timemapper.okfnlabs.org/

Kumu - https://kumu.io/

Discussion and Questions!

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