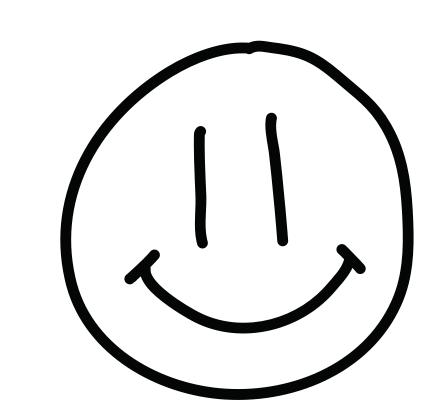
SUCCESSFUL PEER FACILITATORS



AER STOP LEARN



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Successful Peer We Facilitating 101:

- Eye contact with students is actually great!
- Be aware of cultural and disability difference.
- Let the students know that being wrong is part of learning.
- Silence/wait time encourages thinking.
- Students don't always mean it when they say they understand.



Not so Successful Peer Facilitating 101:

- Waiting for students to reach out for help.
- Repeating the same explanation multiple times.
- Doubting yourself and your knowledge.
- Assuming you have to have a correct answer for every question.
- Standing in one spot when you aren't helping a student.





Reflection:

As my peer facilitator journey comes to an end, I reflect back on what I have learned. And the main thing I found is that learning never actually ends. As students and educators, there's always always room for improvement, inside and outside of classrooms.



Feedback from Students:

"Thank you for taking the time to explain that."

"I feel more comfortable asking you for help than the professor."

"Yeah that makes much more sense now. Thank you."

