

FOUR CORNERS

An approach that asks students to form an opinion.

STEPS:

1. Give students a prompt that requires them to form an opinion about the prompt. Use Likert scale options such as Strongly Agree, Agree, Disagree and Strongly Disagree.
2. Post the response options in four 'corners' of the room. Students walk to the area where their Likert scale choice is posted.
3. In their groups, students discuss their reasons for choosing the option they did. Each group then reports out to the class. As a follow-up, the teacher can ask students to go to another corner and argue the prompt from that point of view.