



Discussion Plan

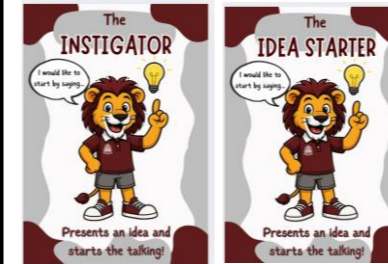
Teacher

Students

Planning the Discussion

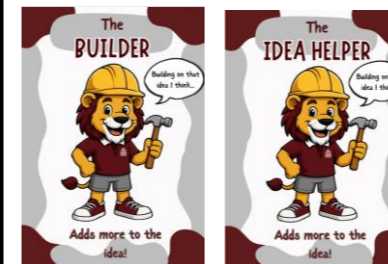
Discussion Roles

Plan: What is the question / topic students are going to discuss?



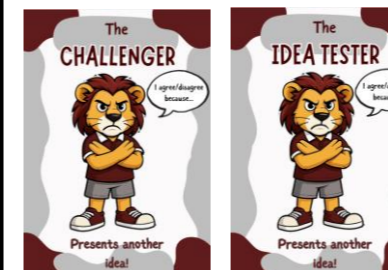
What sentence starter will the instigator/idea starter use?

Plan: Why it's worthy of discussion? What and where is the visual?



What sentence starter will the builder/idea helper use?

Plan: How long I intend for this discussion to last?

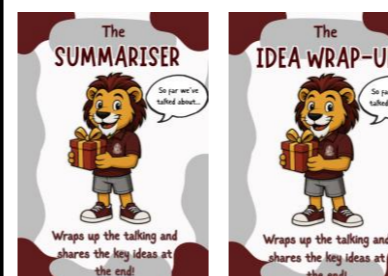


What sentence starter will the challenger/idea tester use?

Launch: How will you launch the discussion?

Will students:

- **Write first** in their notebooks to clarify their ideas
- **Turn and Talk** to rehearse their thinking with a partner
- **Use sentence starters** aligned to their discussion
- **Teacher model demonstration** a few students to launch the discussion



What sentence starter will the summariser/idea wrap up use?

Stamp: How will you stamp or summarise the discussion?

- **Do a quick write** to show what new ideas you've learned
- **Pick a student (or work as a class!)** to blend the best ideas into one great summary
- **Revisit your first piece of writing** and give it a glow-up using everything you now know!

Example of the whole discussion: