

Keep this in mind when preparing to teach controversial issues

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Is it necessary or justified to teach the controversial issue?

No

Don't feel forced to teach the controversial issue if you don't have to

Yes

Is the student group supportive and trusting?

No

Is it possible to develop an atmosphere of support and trust?

No

Yes

Have the students mastered practices that allow them to process controversial issues with respect and tolerance?

No

Is it possible to train them in such practices?

No

Yes

Are you knowledgeable in the pedagogy of teaching controversial issues?

No

Do you have time to learn how to teach controversial issues?

No

Yes

Are you comfortable teaching the controversial issue?

No

Can you address the reason for your discomfort?

No

Yes

Do you have time to prepare your teaching on the controversial issue?

No

Can you get or find more time to prepare your teaching?

No

Yes

Do you have support from management and colleagues if an unsustainable conflict arises while teaching?

No

Are you prepared to manage the conflict yourself?

No

Yes

Yes

You are prepared to teach the controversial issue

Reflect on how you will manage potential problems that may arise due to your challenges

Are you able to receive support?

Clicking on a box will give you more information on why that issue is an important concern when preparing to teach controversial issues.

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