

Reasons for Good Questions

1. Questions serve as a formative assessment to determine the level of understanding of each student.
2. We can use questions to create opportunities for students to communicate in meaningful ways related to the content they are studying.
3. Good questions can serve as a means to cause students to justify beliefs, responses, and reasoning.
4. Questions can cause students to analyze and synthesize, compare and contrast, and evaluate.
5. Helping students learn to inquire and problem solve is an essential reason for good questioning.