

# IS4

Oakdale Joint Unified School District

## Instructional Strategies Supporting Student Success



### Check for Understanding

Teach first - Ask the question - Pause - Pair/Share - Listen - Effective Feedback  
Complete sentence responses that require justification of the student's answer.

#### Lesson Objective (LO)

Describe the concept/skill students will be able to demonstrate by the end of the lesson.

#### Activate Prior Knowledge (APK)

Review a skill or experience that will help connect prior learning with new learning.

#### Concept Development (CD)

Define, explain, model the big idea or generalization within the lesson objective

#### Skill Development/Guided Practice

SD: Teach the students how to do the skill.  
GP: Help the students as they practice the skill and prepare to work independently.

#### Closure

Ask students to demonstrate that they understand both the skill and the concept taught.

### Engagement

Pair/Share - Use of attention signal  
Whiteboards - Non-Volunteers

Note\*\* These are components of a lesson plan but not necessarily meant to be taught in this order or within a single class period. These are strategies for success, not meant to limit the good practices of our teachers.