

Features of Classroom Websites that Support Teacher-facilitated Learning

Characteristic	Website Feature(s)	Website(s) URL
The teacher acts as a facilitator and mentor, providing resources and advice to students as they engage in the process of inquiry.		
As the instructional leader, the teacher is responsible for curriculum, instruction, and assessment, however, student input in these areas is respected and valued.		
The teacher acts as a "guide on the side" rather than as a "sage on the stage." Students, therefore, become self-reliant as they learn to seek help from each other and to solve problems for themselves.		
The teacher provides opportunities for students to share the results of their learning.		
The teacher establishes learning goals based on standards and addresses these goals in broad-based, interdisciplinary units of instructions that allow students to make cross-curricular connections.		
The teacher models life-long learning.		