Setting the Stage for Student-Centered Learning

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Student-Centered Learning

- An instructor’s intentional presence and practices that promote learning
The Community of Inquiry Model

**Social Presence**
- Engagement with Participants
- Risk-free Expression
- Encouraging Collaboration

**Cognitive Presence**
- Exchanging Information
- Applying New Ideas
- Connecting Ideas

**Educational Experience**
- Supporting Discourse
- Selecting Content

**Teaching Presence**
- Setting Curriculum
- Sharing Personal Meaning
- Focusing Discussion

Social Presence

- Availability
- Introductions
- Virtual Office Hours
Cognitive Presence

- Objectives
- Instructional Materials
- Activities/Assignments
- Rubrics are clear and reflect objectives

Teaching Presence

- Intentional Support
- Academic Engagement
- Substantive Feedback

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Summary

Student Centered Learning is intentional practices to promote

1. Social Presence
2. Cognitive Presence
3. Teaching Presence

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Reflection

How are you a guide for learning in a face-to-face setting?

How might you intentionally do this in a fully online course?
Thank you