

TEACHING VARIETY IDEAS



SEE IT - INVITE LEARNERS TO SEE OR WATCH

- Watch a video, share what you saw
- Show a picture - “what thoughts, words, impressions come to mind?”
- Invite learners to share a favorite picture of the Savior
- Draw a picture/visual on the board
- Use pictures in a scripture reader to tell a story
- Have learners close their eyes and visualize a story
- Use a visual aid/object lesson to teach a concept
- Have learners highlight parts of a quote/talk with their favorite colored markers
- Give a handout with a picture or meme to take home
- Ask learners to find a picture on their phone that captures what they learned today



HEAR IT - INVITE LEARNERS TO HEAR OR LISTEN

- Listen to a song that helps teach the lesson
- Have learners find a hymn related to your lesson in the hymn book - then read or sing it
- Play an audio quote or part of a conference talk
- Sing a favorite hymn as a class
- Invite a talented guest to perform music
- Give out quotes for different learners to read
- Ask a learner to read the words to a hymn, song, or poem
- Have learners repeat a phrase/scripture out loud together
- Invite learners to share a ten-word testimony of what they’ve learned
- Play soft background music while learners read/study



DO IT - INVITE LEARNERS TO MOVE, ACT, PARTICIPATE

- Change the seating arrangement: circles, pairs, etc.
- Pair and share
- Make/sculpt something out of legos or playdough
- “Raise your hand/stand/thumbs up if you...”
- Invite learners to draw a principle or concept - “what does the joy of repentance look like?”
- Talking ball - after sharing, a learner passes ball to someone else to share
- Invite learners to come up to the board and write something
- Act out a scripture story
- Use crossword puzzles, word searches, etc. to have learners find key words or phrases
- Invite learners to text or post something about the lesson with their phones