Creating Passionate Users

Crash Course in Learning Exercise (Your notes go here)

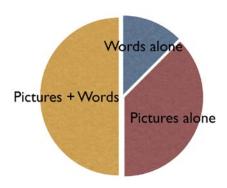


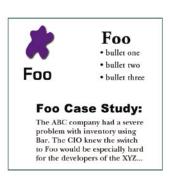
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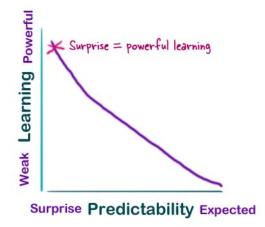




Why? Who cares? So what?









Conversational writing kicks FORMAL WRITING'S ass.

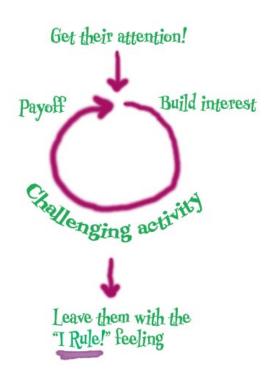


What do good filmmakers and novelist do?

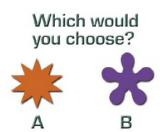
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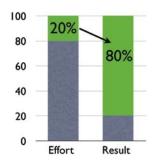


















introduce new content

time to process and apply it





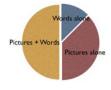
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Learning is not a one-way "push" model.



Use visuals to improve (and speed up) understanding, retention, and recall.



Use redunancy to improve (and speed up) understanding, retention, and recall. Say the same thing, only "different".



Use conversational language.



Maintain interest with variety and surprise



Use mistakes, failures, and counter-intuitive WTF?

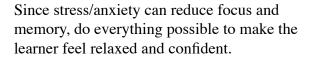


Use the filmmaker/novelist principle of show-don't-tell.

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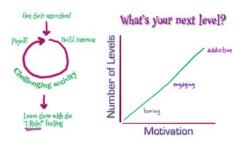
Use "chunking" to reduce cognitive overload.







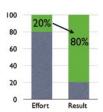
Use seduction, charm, mystery to build curiosity.



Use a spiral experience model to keep users engaged. Use the game design concept of "next level".



Don't rob the learner of the opportunity to think.



Use the 80/20 principle to reduce cognitive overload. Knowing what to leave OUT is more important than knowing what to include.





Use emotions to increase attention and memory.



Use timing and pacing.



Never underestimate the power of fun.

