



# Developing Environmental Law Champions

Strengthening the Capacity For Environmental and Climate Change Laws in Asia and the Pacific



## Session 4: Flipped Classroom Activity

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Flipped  
Classroom



# Learning Outcomes

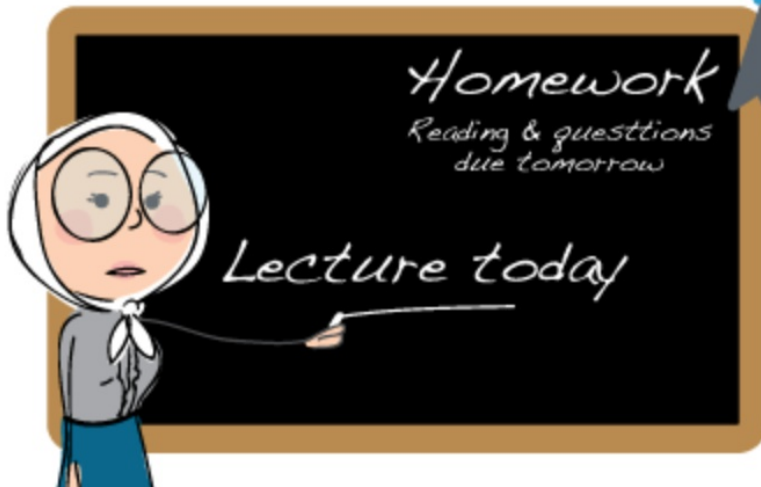
## Teaching Methodology:

- Understand a particular method for actively developing student knowledge
- Appreciate the benefits and challenges of the flipped classroom method



# What is flipped learning?

**The Traditional Classroom**  
Teacher's Role: Sage on the stage



**The Flipped Classroom**  
Teacher's Role: Guide on the side





# Presenting Flipped Content

- Typically presented as modules via Learning Management Systems (e.g. Moodle, Blackboard etc)
  - Short videos
  - Readings
  - Other online activities e.g. quizzes, discussions
- Students work through the content independently at their own pace (though limited to when they need to come prepared to class)
- This is not unusual in law – however the flipped approach is typically more structured and detailed in terms of how to approach and complete the readings
  - Aim is for the student to acquire the same sort of knowledge they would have if they'd attended a lecture



# Benefits and Challenges

- **Benefits**

- Moves focus from teacher to learner
- More active learning – student is directly involved in synthesis of materials
- Can accommodate different learning styles
- More efficient use of teacher time
- Promotes flexibility and accessibility
- More likely to lead to superior learning outcomes than online only or face-to-face only

- **Challenges**

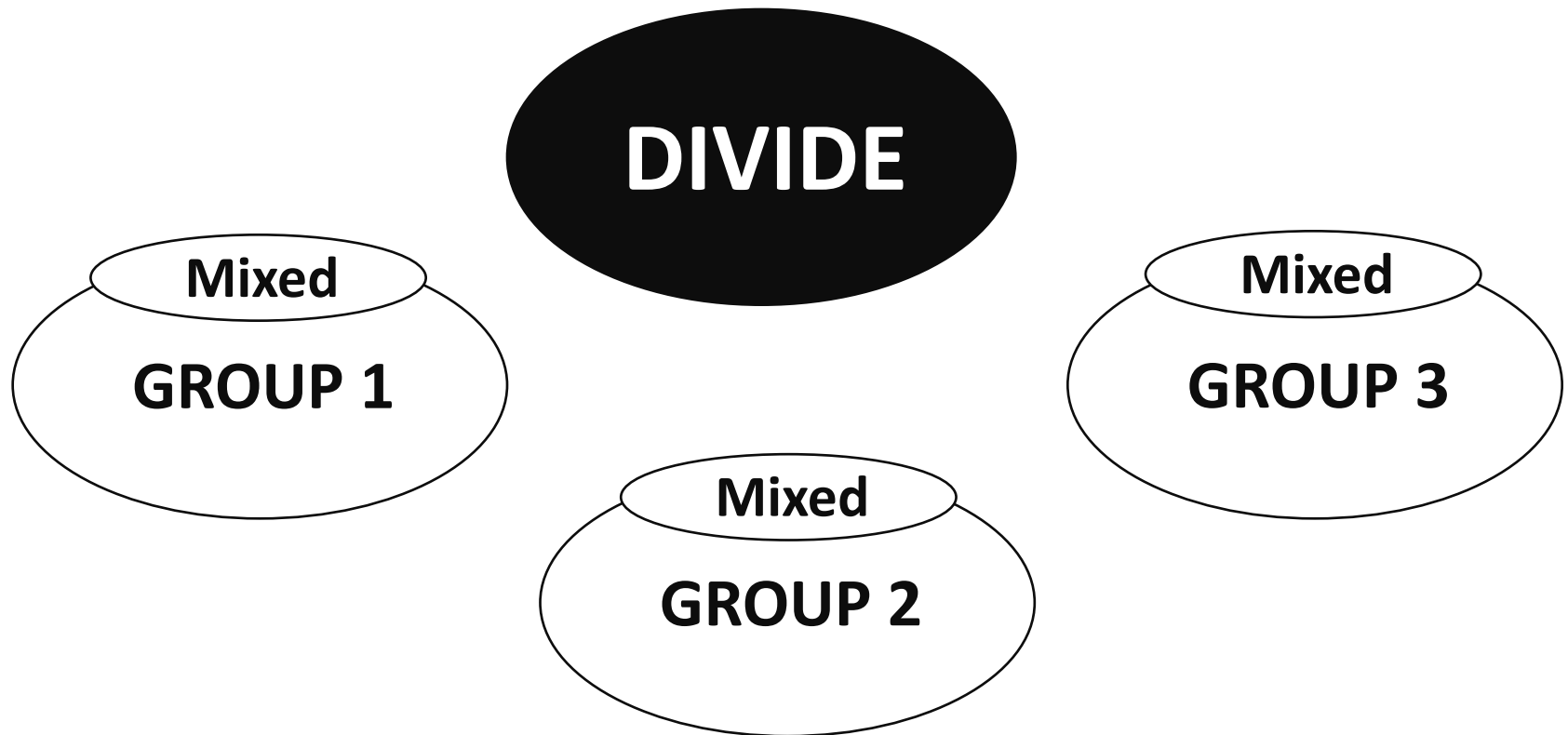
- Teacher workload
- Teacher capacity
- Institutional capacity and expectations
- Student engagement



# Ready to be flipped?



# YOUR GROUPS



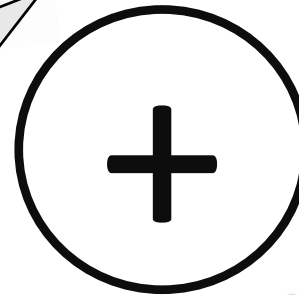


# YOUR TOOLS

TREATY BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF BANGLADESH AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDIA ON SHARING OF THE GANGA / GANGES WATERS AT FARAKKA

MAHAKALI TREATY 1996

TREATY BETWEEN HIS MAJESTY'S GOVERNMENT OF NEPAL AND THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA CONCERNING THE INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT OF THE MAHAKALI RIVER INCLUDING SARADA BARRAGE, TANAKPUR BARRAGE AND PANCHESHWAR PROJECT.



# YOUR QUESTIONS

**Read through the instruments**  
**Think about a model sub-regional convention**

