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Support processing

Use visuals, repetition and positive reinforcement when presenting content.

- ▲▲ Offer frequent opportunities for students to move into pairs or groups to discuss their thinking.
- ▲▲ Use photo boards and posters as tools to support students' recall and retrieval skills.
- ▲▲ Give lots of positive reinforcement when introducing new information or instructions.
- ▲▲ Slow down. Allow time to process information and to formulate responses.

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