

# Guide to Designing Your UDL Unit/Lesson

## GOALS

Standard: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Goal/Objective: \_\_\_\_\_  
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### ✓ Check:

- *Is your goal clear and specific?*
- *Are the means flexible?*
- *If not, how can you scaffold?*
- *Where will the goal be posted?*
- *How will students revisit the goal throughout the lesson?*

## EVIDENCE

How will you know if students have achieved the goal? \_\_\_\_\_  
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What assessments will you use? \_\_\_\_\_  
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### ✓ Check:

- *What will “success” look like?*
- *Have you offered multiple means for students to demonstrate success?*
- *Does the assessment directly measure realization of the goal?*
- *Do you have options for both formative and summative assessment?*

## BARRIERS

What barriers to attaining the goal can you anticipate? \_\_\_\_\_  
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### ✓ Check:

- *Are there barriers in the context (location, grouping, noise level), presentation (oral, written) or activities (writing, speaking, planning)?*

## VARIABILITY: Engagement

What options for engagement will address the anticipated barriers?

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### ✓ Check:

- *Do these options address the anticipated barriers?*
- *Are there options for choice, relevancy, and minimizing distractions?*
- *Options for balancing perceived demands and resources?*
- *Options for mastery-oriented feedback? Collaboration? Self-reflection?*

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## VARIABILITY: Representation

What option for representation will address the anticipated barriers?

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**✓ Check:**

- *Do these options address the anticipated barriers?*
- *Are there options for audio/visual/display of info?*
- *Are there options to access language, math, and symbols?*
- *Are there options to build background knowledge and highlight key patterns?*

## VARIABILITY: Action and Expression

What options for action and expression will address the anticipated barriers??

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**✓ Check:**

- *Do these options address the anticipated barriers?*
- *Are there options for physical action?*
- *Are there options for multiple communication tools?*
- *Are there options for varying levels of support?*
- *Are there options for goal setting, strategy development, and self-monitoring?*

### After the lesson...

## REFLECT

How did the lesson go? What barriers did you encounter? What will you try differently next time? What will you keep the same? \_\_\_\_\_

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