

What Engagement Sounds Like

Spend about 5 to 10 minutes in the learning environment walking around and writing down everything you hear students saying. Then use this sheet to categorize those statements into the topics below:

Clarification (asking for or giving)	
Help (asking for or giving)	
Organizing	
Analyzing	
Brainstorming	
What if?	
“Aha” moment	
Perseverance	
Facing failure	
Other	

Questions for reflection:

- How many categories are represented?
- How can you use this data to increase the level of student engagement in the classroom?