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| Teaching Excellence Plan | |
| **Goal** | |
| **create a more dynamic classroom environment that will inspire learning in courses with large enrollment** | |
| I. Objective | Become more effective at engaging student participation in larger classes |
| Action | Investigate new technology that actively engages students and hone my skills on the technology I am already using |
| Action | Research pedagogy on using groups in the classroom |
| Outcome | Use technology and small groups more effectively to enhance student learning in classes with large enrollments |
| II. Objective | Create assessments that will challenge and encourage students while allowing me to more effectively assess student comprehension |
| Action | Investigate different types of curriculum design including Backwards Design and Assessment Alignment |
| Action | Investigate alternative types of testing/presentations of course knowledge |
| Outcome | Connect class assignments to course goals and objectives more effectively  Assess course outcomes more effectively by developing and improving tests, quizzes, and other assignments |