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DETs coronavirus-home-learning page provides current information and advice for schools on how they can ensure learning continuity for their students during periods of disruption caused by COVID-19. This site provides topics including: understanding remote teaching and learning, online tools for learning, communicating with parents and caregivers, mental health support and much more! [Click here](#)

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AITSL's *Spotlight* article identifies best practice evidence to guide teachers through online learning including communication with parents and caregivers. Key consideration is given to principles demonstrated to benefit student outcomes and wellbeing. The *Spotlight* article linked here, is written from the perspective of teachers, explaining principles for quality online learning, the importance of teacher presence, creating a supportive online community, screen time- quality V quantity.

[What works in online/distance teaching and learning](#)

3P LEARNING



3P Learning outlines a range of learning engagement tools to support online learning. Of particular relevance is the technology section with an article- [8 Ways to Engage Students with Technology \(Meaningless Screen Time Isn't One of Them\)](#) providing *Pro Tips* on breakout rooms, starting a classroom blog, online discussion boards, using social media, use of innovation and immersion ideas.

FACULTY FOCUS



U.S. academics Maria B. Peterson-Ahmad, PhD and Randa G. Keeley, PhD have collated some suggestions to engage students in online learning, including the use of co-operative learning, movement and interactive lessons. Included on this site are some great links to additional resources.

[Five Ways to Engage Students in an Online Learning Environment](#)

THE CONVERSATION



This academic journal offers a variety of interesting articles, from Arts and Culture, Education, Science and Technology and more! Education articles are tertiary focused however may provide interesting reading and advice for online learning and tips for students. Of particular interest are the articles outlined here -

[Coronavirus:14 Simple Tips for Online Learning](#)

[Why you might feel anxious returning to 'normal' after lockdown – and how to cope](#)