

How can we inspire
more independence
and creativity ?

Delegation

**Teacher
Control**

**Learner
Independence**

Shift from ...

convergent focus learning

to

individual and creative self expression

Odd One Out

green

preen

seen

green

preen

seen

scene

green

preen

seen

scene

Possibilities

Word Appearance

Letters ...

single / double / how many

vowels

spelling / anagram / suffix / prefix

Word Function

adjective / adverb / verb / noun

verb forms

singular / plural

Word Sound

Pronunciation

Rhyme

Word Meaning

group pair association context

origin geography

usage

history

full

bush

butter

butcher

Empowering Your Learners

Creative Thinking

- I can find good ideas
- I can suggest good reasons
- I can use my imagination
- I can think about things from different angles

Reasoning

- I can give reasons for my ideas and opinions
- I can explain what I think
- I can bring ideas together and come to a decision

Evaluating

- I can judge the value of what I find
- I can judge the value of ideas and opinions from other people
- I can test conclusions

Information processing

- I can find and sort the information I need
- I can compare and contrast information
- I can prepare information for a purpose

Enquiring

- I can ask thoughtful questions
- I can define problems
- I know where to search for help

Shift from ...

convergent focus learning

to

individual and creative self expression

Inspire learners to use English
as an alternative means
of self expression



The Inspirational Teacher

Explore ways
to inspire
more independence
and creativity