



PEDAGOGY OF PARTNERSHIP

HAVRUTA ROUTINE

PURSUING OUR QUESTIONS

When we want to explore our own questions.

A good havruta question invites multiple possible answers that are grounded in textual details.

GREET YOUR PARTNER.
READ THE TEXT ALOUD.

Individually:

THINK:

Identify a good havruta question you want to explore.

SHARE:

A: My question is...

B: Oh, are you wondering...?
(restate question)

DISCUSS:

A+B: Find clues in the text to answer or deepen the question.

I think... What do you think?

Where do you see that in the text?

SWITCH!



REFLECT AND SHARE:

Something I learned from your question is...



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SUPPORTING AND CHALLENGING

When we want to test
or sharpen our ideas.

GREET YOUR PARTNER.
READ THE TEXT ALOUD.

Individually:

THINK:

- What is this text about?
- What might this text be teaching?
- What might this text mean?

SHARE:

A: My idea is...

B: So are you saying...

A: Confirm or clarify

A+B: Find details in the text to
support the idea

A+B: Find details in the text to
challenge the idea

A: My revised idea is...

SWITCH!



REFLECT AND SHARE:

One way you helped me sharpen
my idea is...