

**Focus on an Activity and the Strategy or Strategies (thinking) behind it.**

**Name of your FOCUS Practice:**

**STAGE 1**

- What do you want students to come to understand by using this practice?
- What do you want students to know and be able to do as a result of using this practice?
- How will students know what practice they will be learning and the thinking behind it?

**STAGE 2**

- What are some of the forms of evidence you will collect to determine if the students have achieved the desired understanding of the strategic thinking behind the practice?
- Are students clear about the criteria for success using this practice?

**STAGE 3**

- In what way will you help the students learn the strategic thinking behind this practice?

**ACTION**

Observe the **students actions, conversations** and **products** as a result of using this teaching practice.

*Keep a selection of these or evidence of how you will recorded them.*

**REFLECTION**

- To what extent did your students learn about the strategy behind the practice that you intended?
- What evidence of learning did you collect or observe? In what ways did you provide feedback?
- Would you be prepared to use this teaching practice again and allow the students to be Metacognitive about this practice?

