Having Students Read and Apply Essay Feedback

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Out of Class (Instructor)

In Class (Students)

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Begin Here.

Before class, the instructor annotates and grades students' essays.

Students receive the essays with the feedback (not the grade) and take time to read their essays and the instructor's feedback.

Students fill out the template document given by the instructor:

- they identify questions they have about the feedback
- they identify up to 3 areas of improvement as identified by the instructor's comments, give an example of each and articulate how they will improve their work in the future
- they rewrite what they think is their most problematic body paragraph

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Once students have completed, printed and submitted their templates, the instructor gives them their grade.

Individual Work

Reading

Problem Solving