

Exercise #4

Physical Materials Selection

In this individual exercise you will learn how to evaluate and choose physical materials.

1. Using the handout entitled “If You Are Evaluating the Purpose of the Material,” decide on the values to consider for your invented learner, that is:

a) the skills and students targeted (the purpose)

b) the teaching methods (the pedagogy)

c) the material inside and out (the design)

2. Using the Bookmark you created for online catalogs, look at items available in the real world and decide whether or not they are useful for the learner you have invented. Locate 3 videos, 3 books and 3 cds that will help her.