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## Different Perspective for Reading

### Description:

“Different Perspective for Reading” is a strategy that helps students consider other ways of thinking besides their own as they read through selected material.

Targeted Reading Level: 5<sup>th</sup> – College Level

### Procedure:

1. Have the students first read through the selected material.
2. As a class, identify the different perspectives that would be relevant to important ideas in the reading selection. (For example, in To Kill a Mockingbird by Harper Lee, the story is told from Scout’s point of view. Other perspectives to be considered would be Jem’s, the cook’s, Mrs. Dubose’s, Atticus Finch’s, Tom Robinson’s, and Boo Radley’s).
3. Divide the class into groups, assigning each group to a different perspective. Each group should identify the issues, feelings, effects, or concerns that would be connected to that particular perspective.

(Adopted from Classroom Strategies for Interactive Learning by Doug Buehl)