Eliminating Barriers For Threats and Distractions



Strategy		We can do this by
Curriculum - Can we		
Provide key information only		
Provide visual/graphic organisers to present information over lots of words		
Consider cognitive load		
Provide consistent instructional routines		
Provide a "getting ready" slide with resources learners require for the learning experience		
Supply the steps learners will take through the learning experience		
Provide choice in novel and predictable options in accessing information		
Provide choice in novel and predictable options in assessment		
Display anchor charts		
Provide examples of what success will look like		
Link new information to already known information		
Social /Emotional- Can we		
Provide choice in independent and peer work		
Provide positive reinforcement		
Provide feedback		
Provide strategies for when learner is stuck		
Temporal Environment - Can we		
Provide consistent routines		
Provide consistent processes for learning and organisation		
Provide breaks for movement and processing		
Present information in short, sharp sessions and provide more practise time		
Physical Environment - Can we		
Provide an uncluttered learning space		
Display visible timers		
Display daily schedules		
Display/provide checklists or steps for processes		
Provide quiet spaces and talking spaces		