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Purpose:

- Maximize the amount of time students are speaking in small groups or with teacher

Advantages:

- Students receive individualized help with pronunciation
- Assessment can continue during normal class time

Organization:

- Students arranged in groups of 3
- One group works with teacher 1 on 3
- Entire class works with other teacher
- Rotate groups in 1 on 3 session

Keys to Making It Work:

- Fast-paced classroom activities
- Arranging activities so that groups can work individually
- Large class room size with moveable desks

Utilizing team teaching, normal class progresses while intensive, small group sessions provide students with valuable instruction, increasing their speaking time and interactions with an educator.