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Think of something you are really good at

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Now think how you became good at it









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stuff!**

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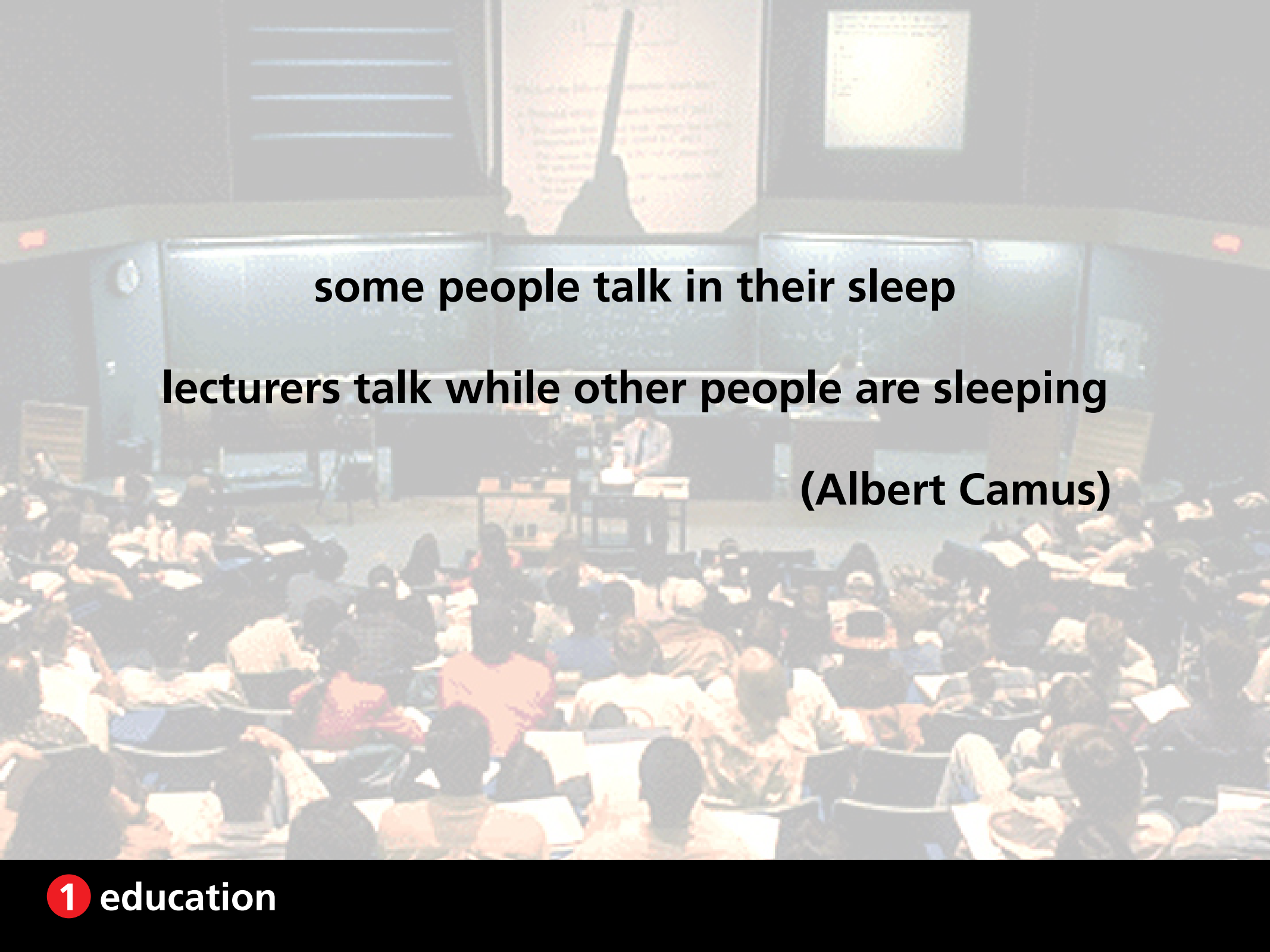


**What happens
in a lecture?**

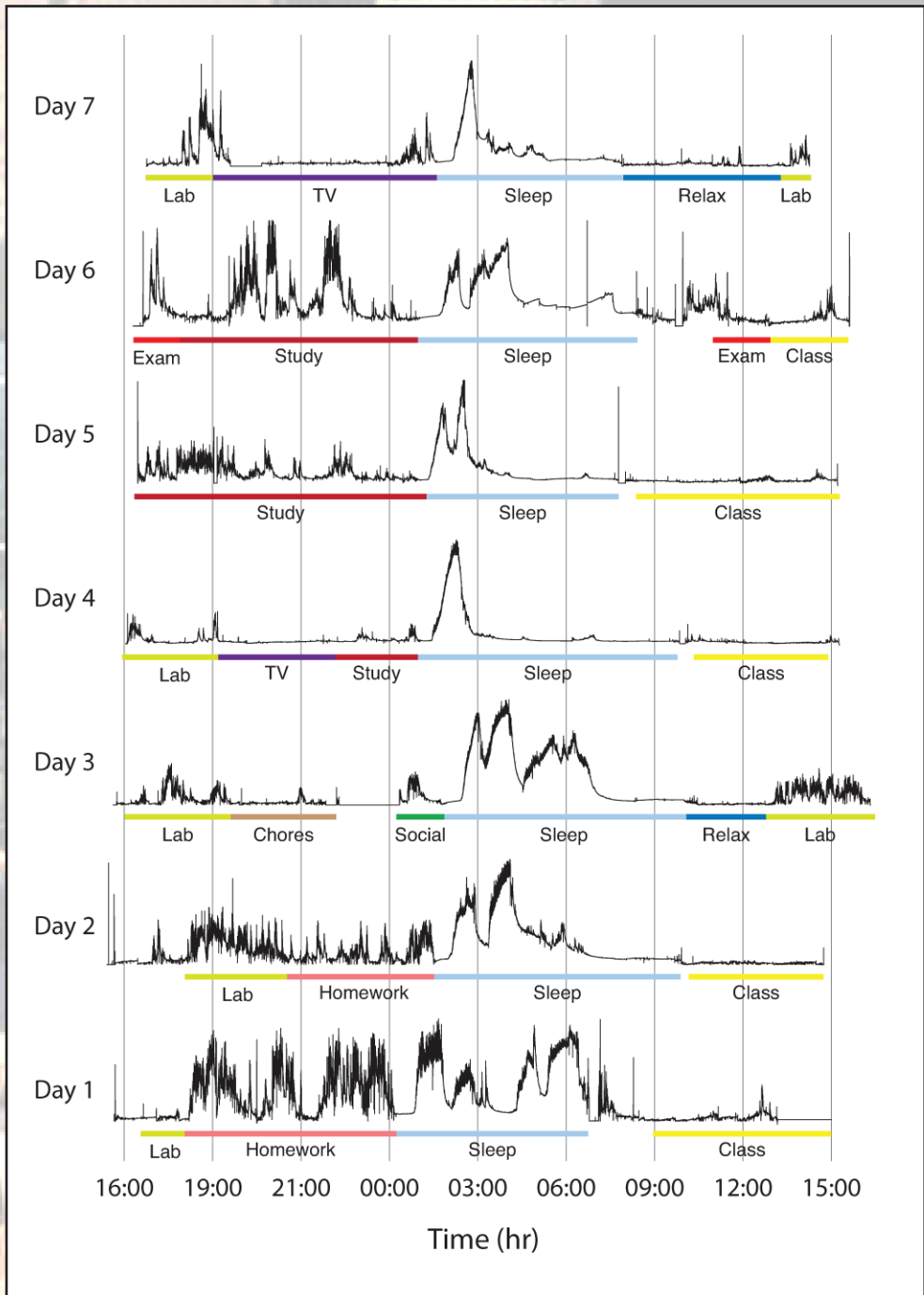


A wide-angle photograph of a large lecture hall. The room is filled with students seated in rows of chairs, facing a stage. Many students appear to be asleep, with their heads resting on their desks or hands. The stage features a large projection screen displaying a presentation with text and diagrams. A lecturer is visible at a podium on the stage. The text "some people talk in their sleep" is overlaid in the center of the image.

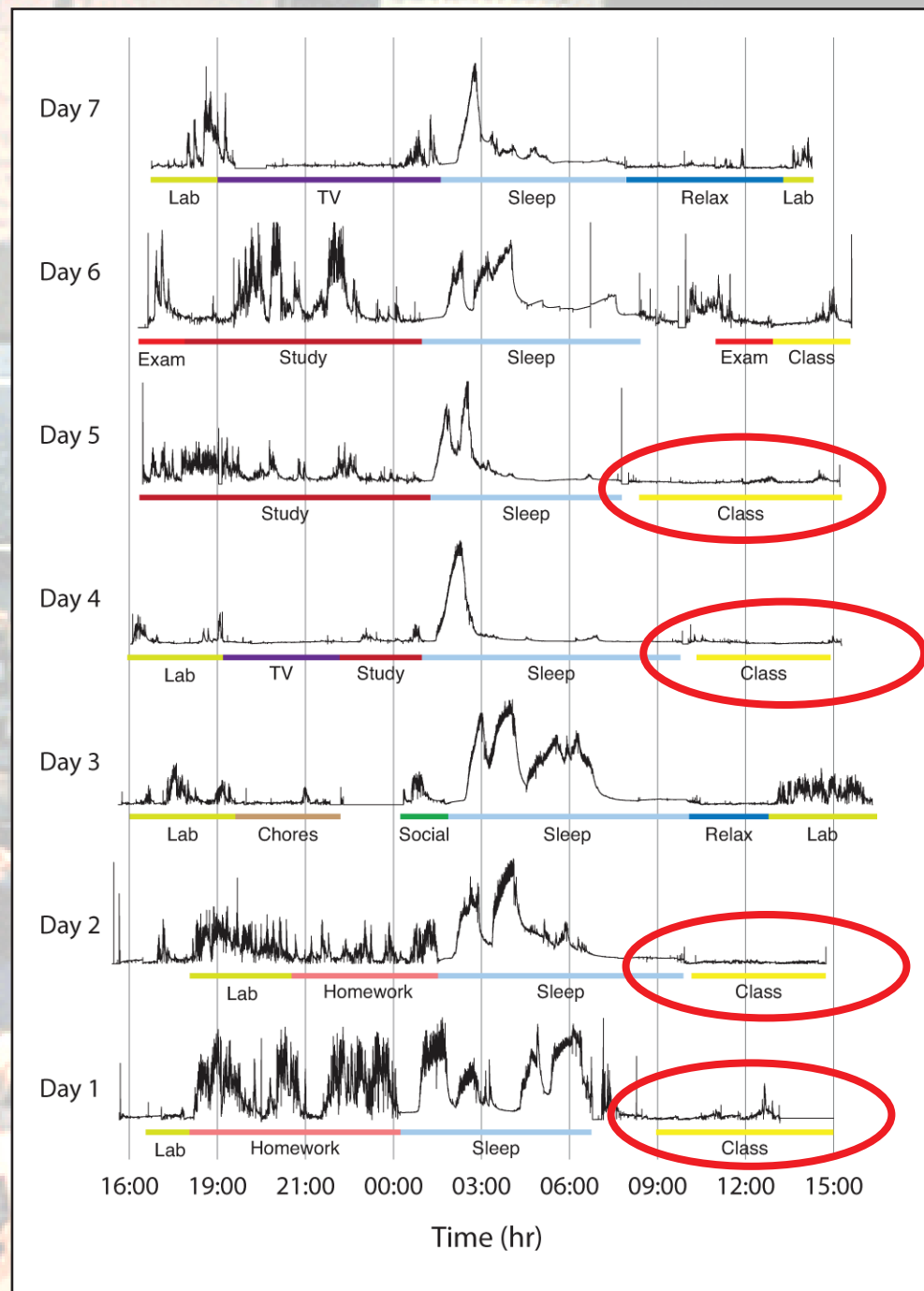
some people talk in their sleep

A large lecture hall filled with students. Many students are sleeping, with their heads resting on their desks. The room has a curved wall with several large screens or whiteboards. A lecturer is visible at the front of the hall, standing near a podium. The overall atmosphere is one of a lecture where many students are asleep.

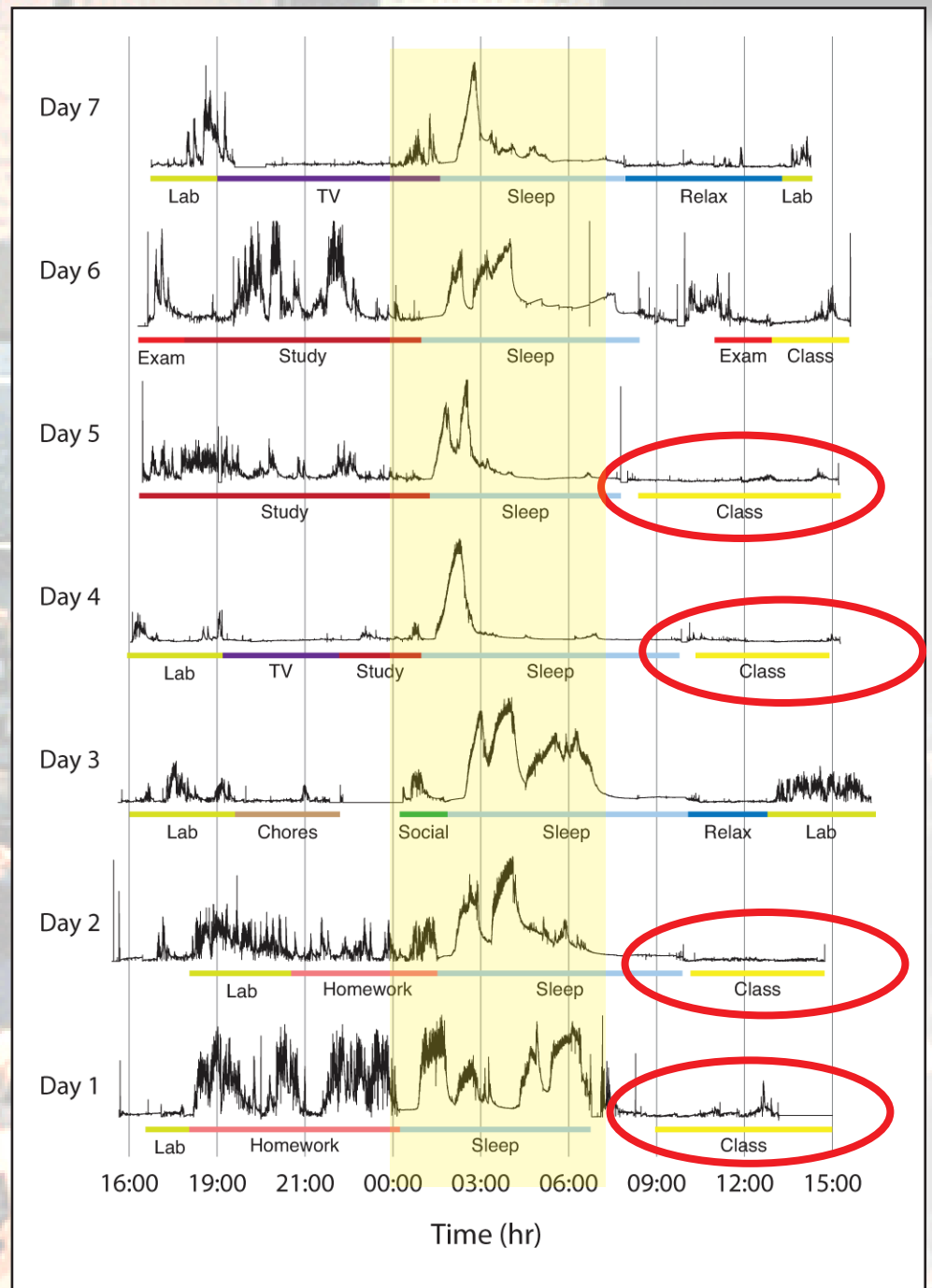
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lecturers talk while other people are sleeping
(Albert Camus)



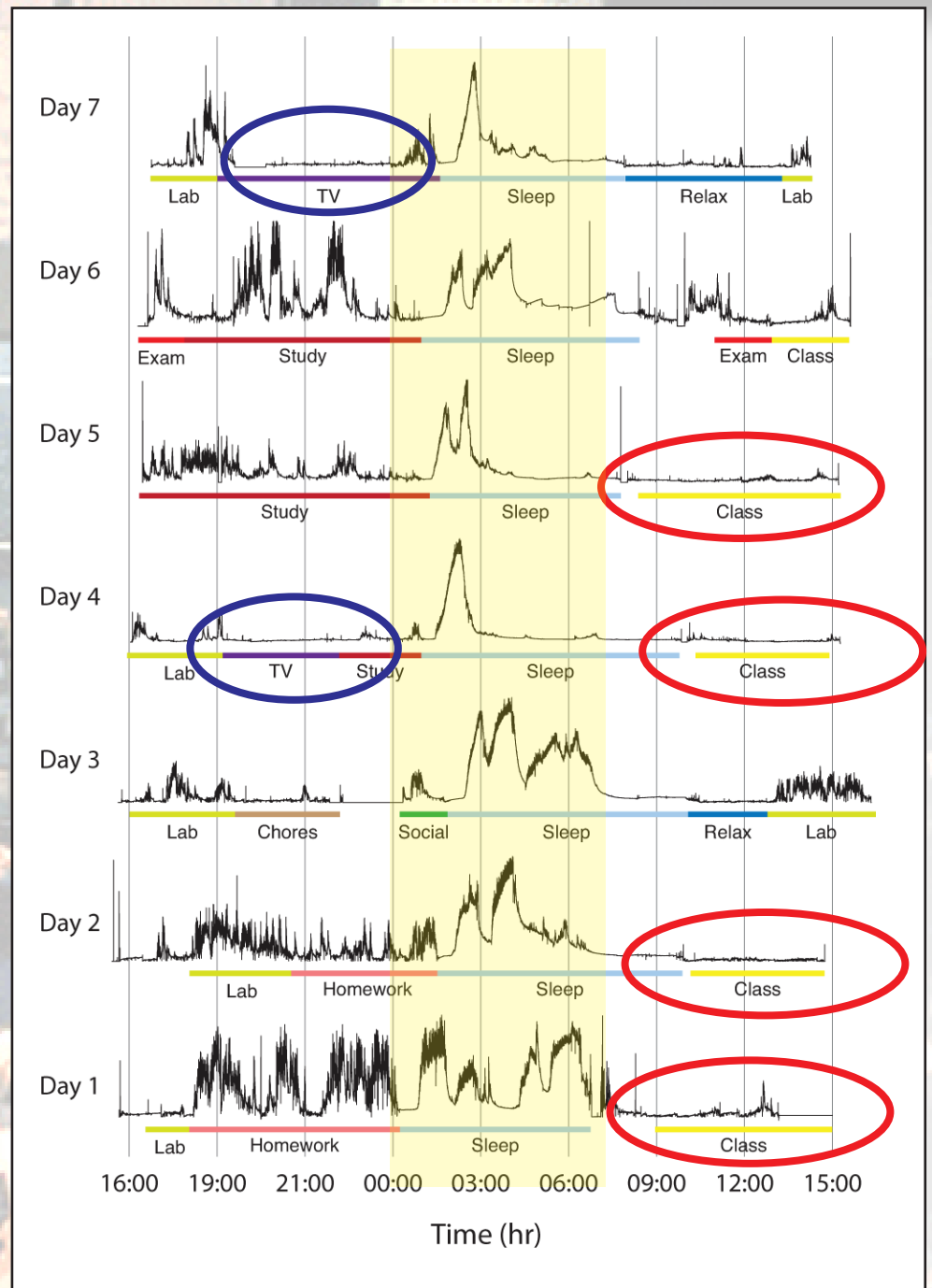
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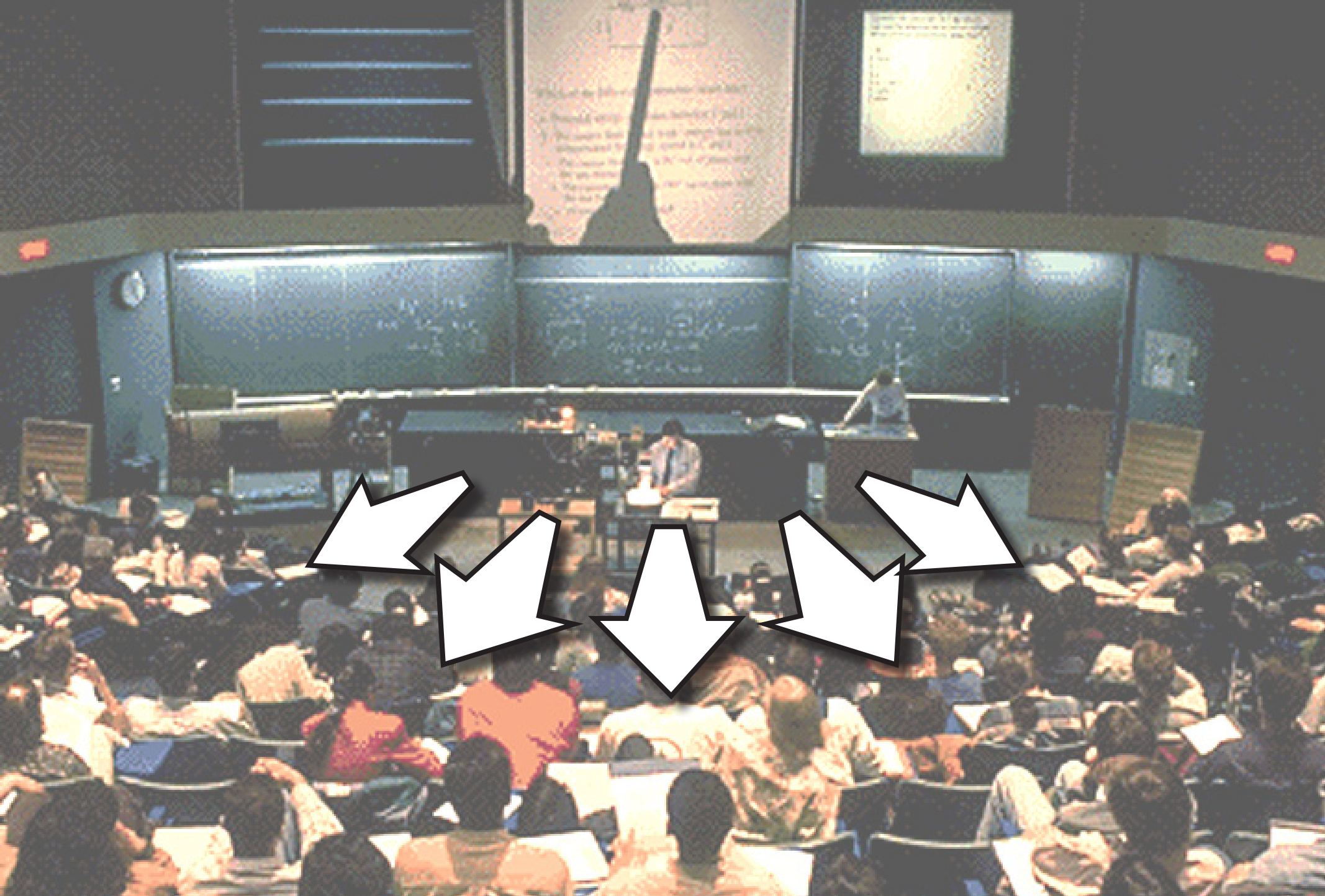


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The result?

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Lack of learning

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Lack of retention



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1. transfer of information



1. transfer of information

2. assimilation of that information



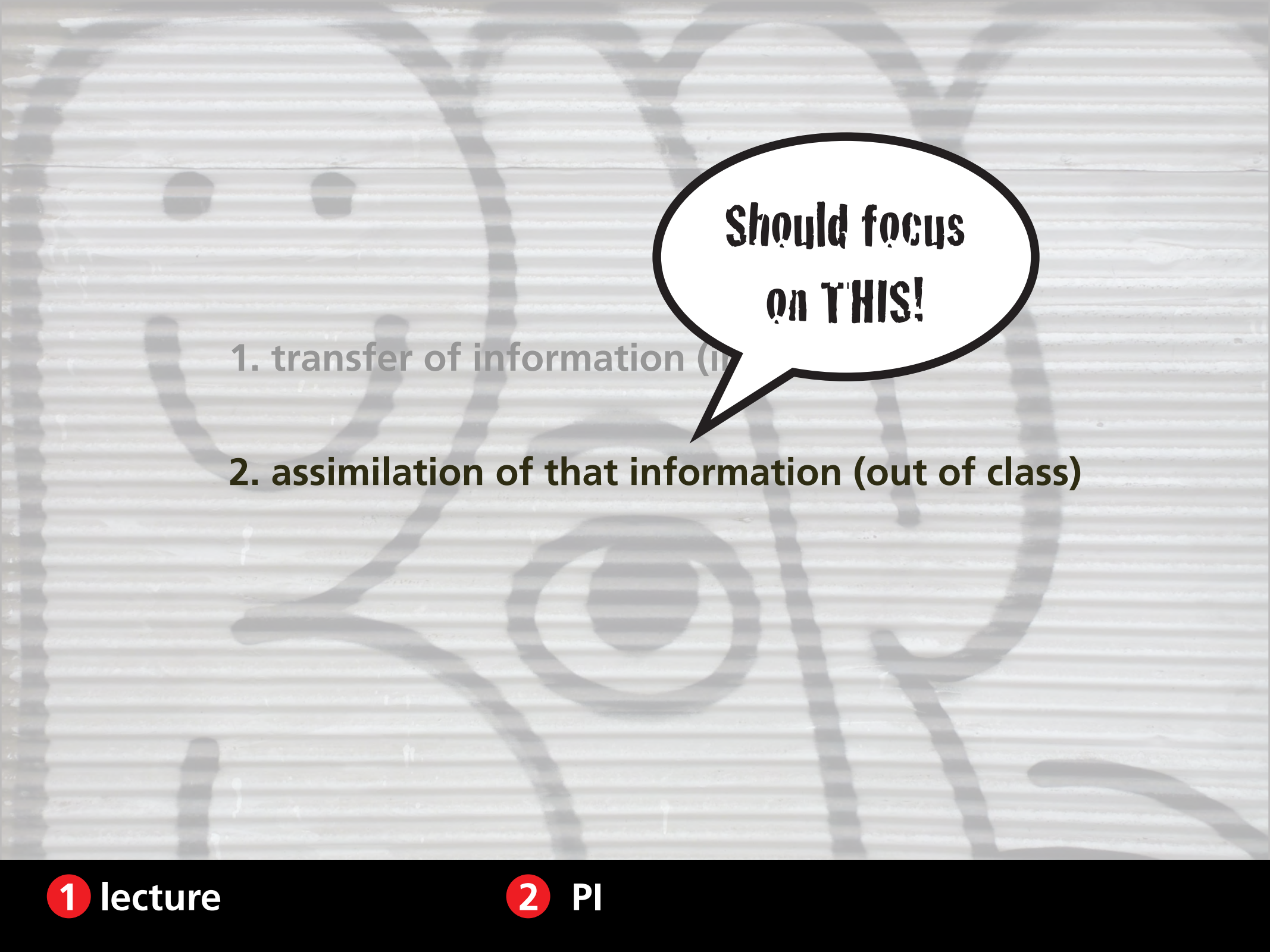
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1. transfer of information (in class)

2. assimilation of that information (out of class)



**Should focus
on THIS!**

1. transfer of information (in class)
- 2. assimilation of that information (out of class)**

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- 1. transfer of information (in class)**
 - 2. assimilation of that information (out of class)**

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1. transfer of information (out of class)
 2. assimilation of that information (in class)

A photograph of a lecture hall with green tiered seating. A man in a grey checkered suit and red tie is leaning over a group of students, interacting with them. The students are seated and some are looking at papers. The background shows other students and the curved wooden walls of the lecture hall.

1. transfer of information (out of class)

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question



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think



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poll



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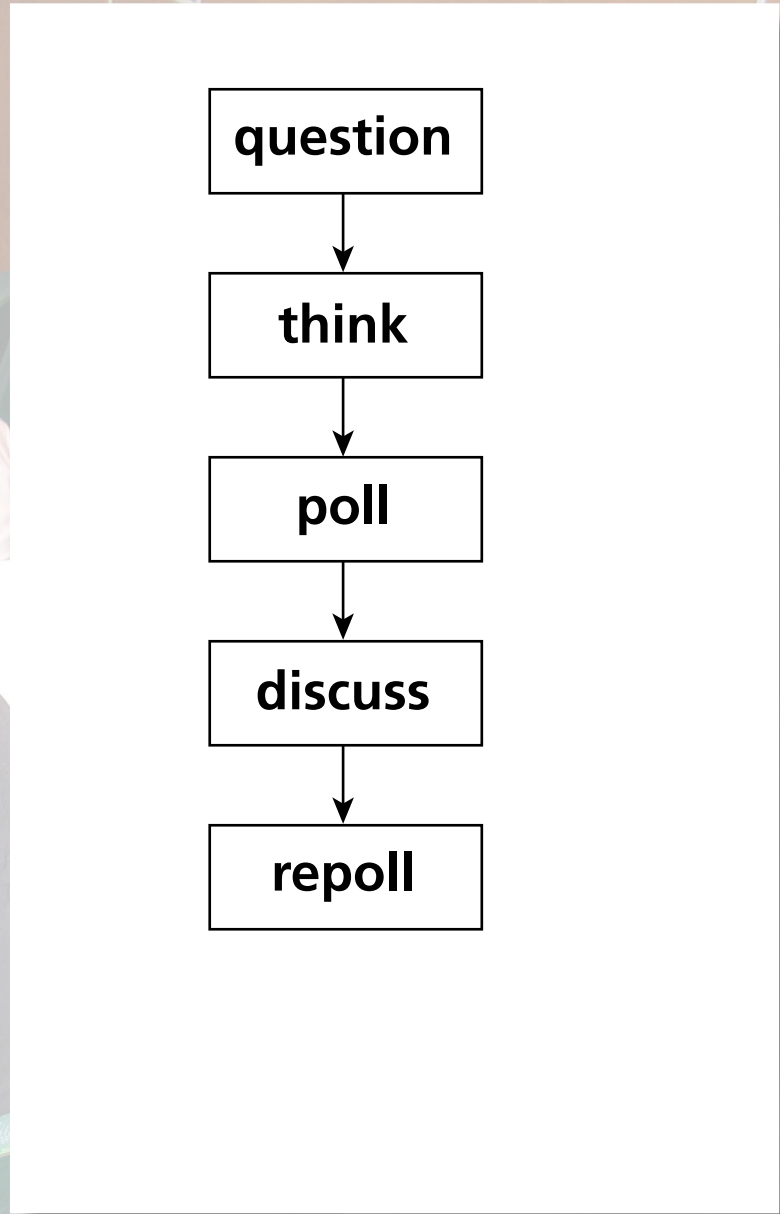
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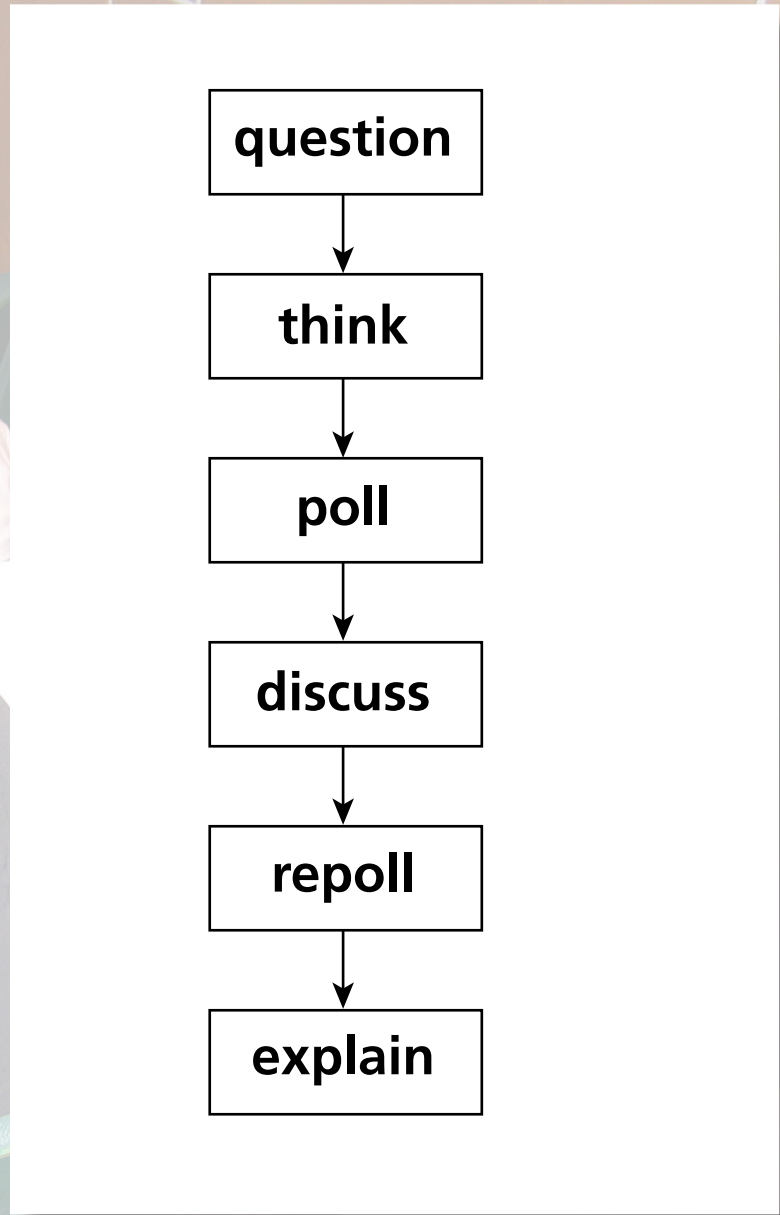


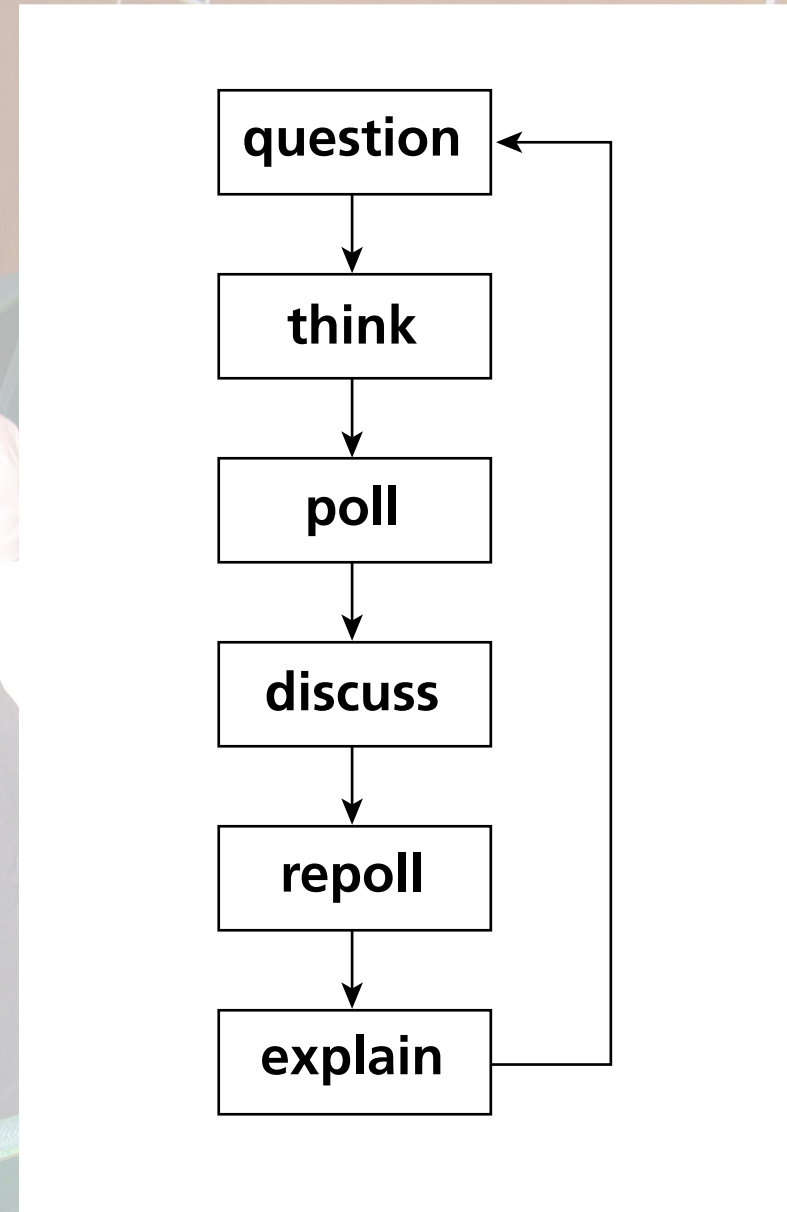
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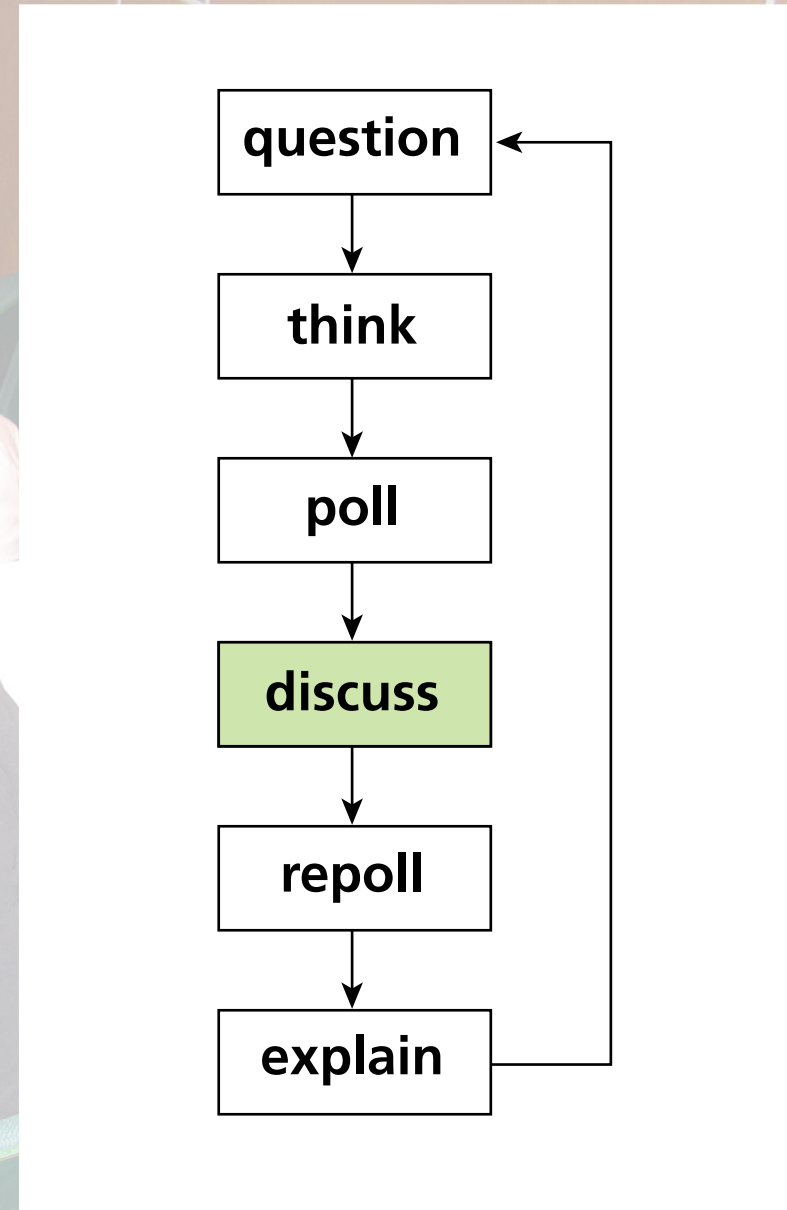


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Archimedes' Principle

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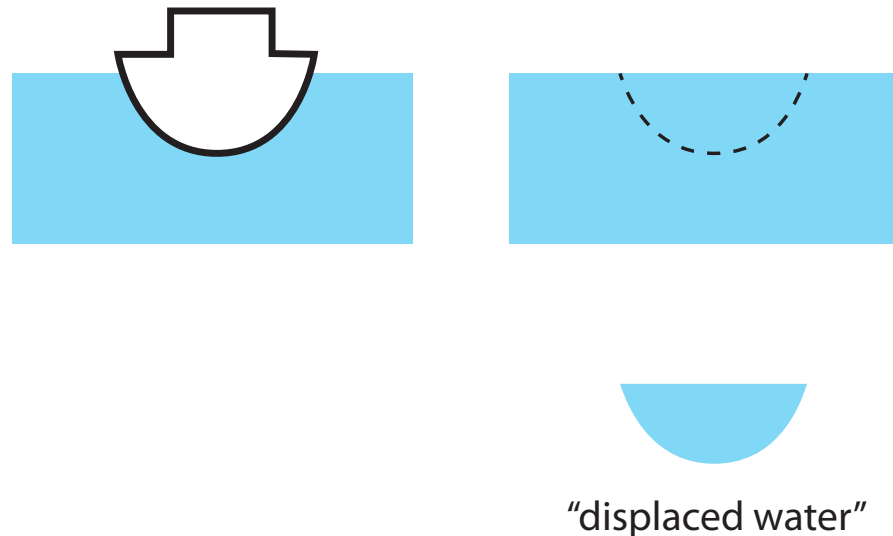
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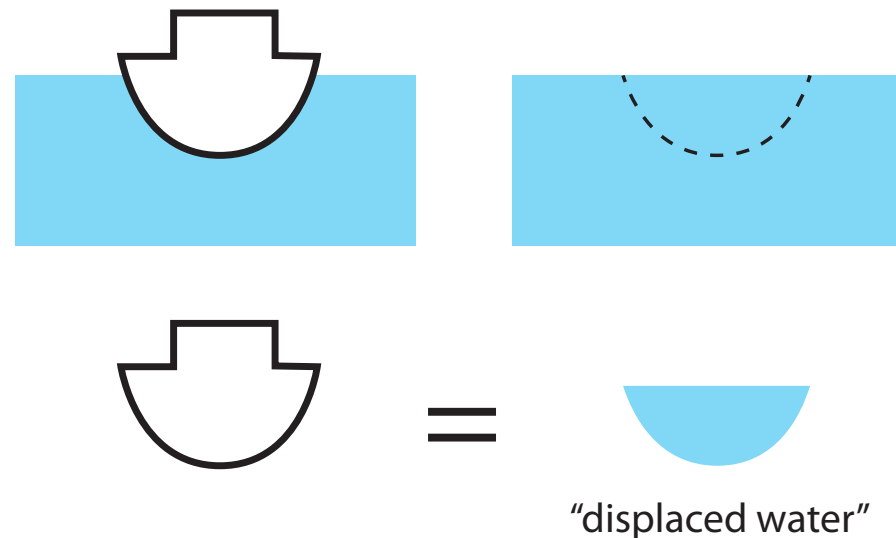
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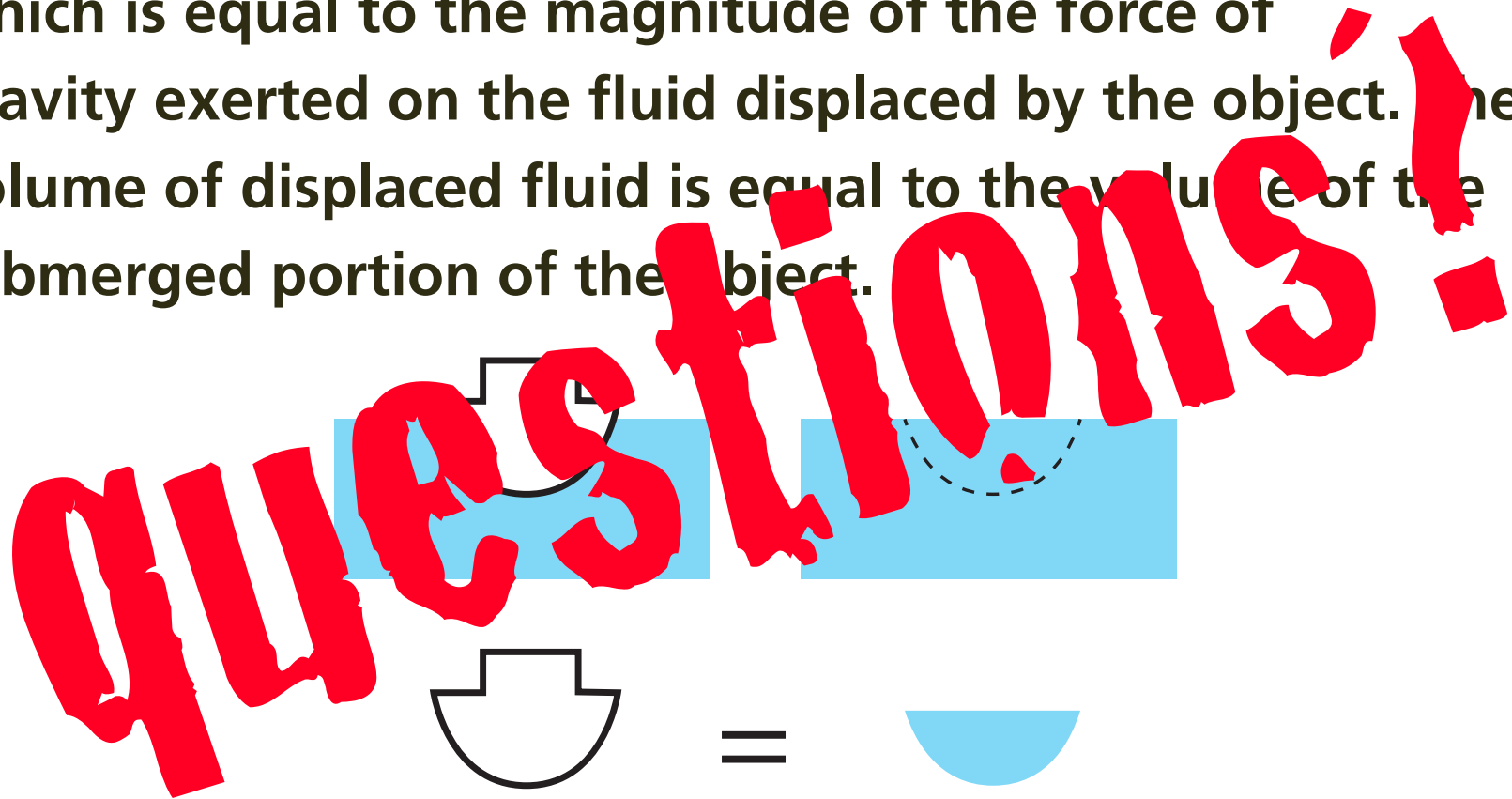
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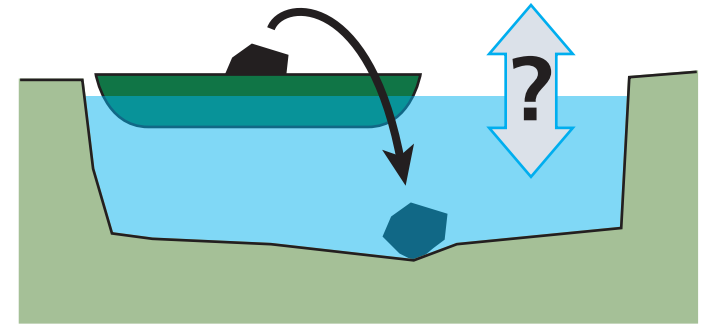


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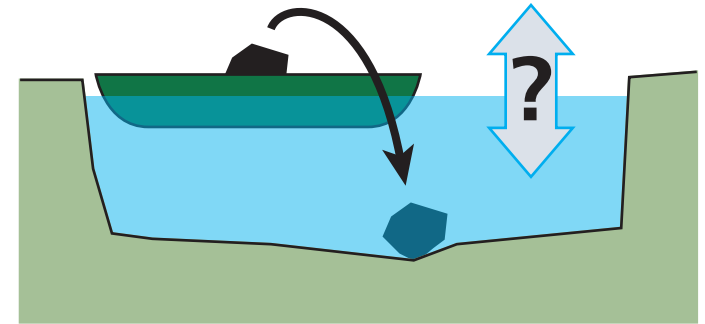


"displaced water"

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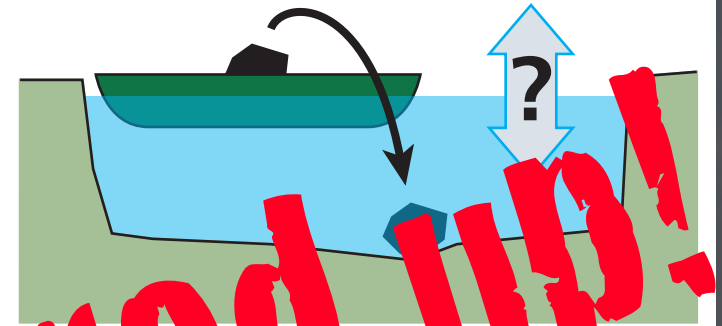


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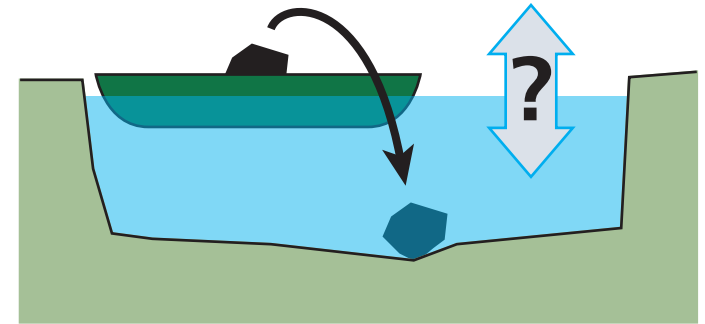


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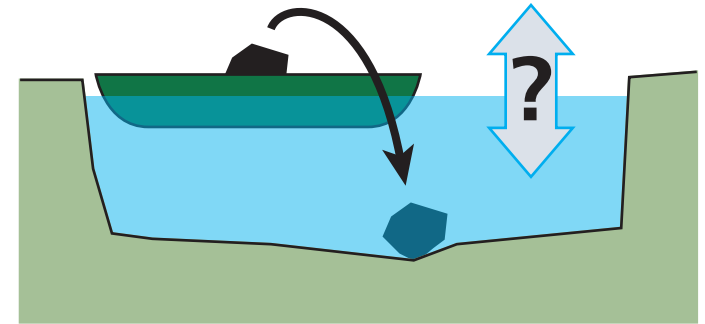
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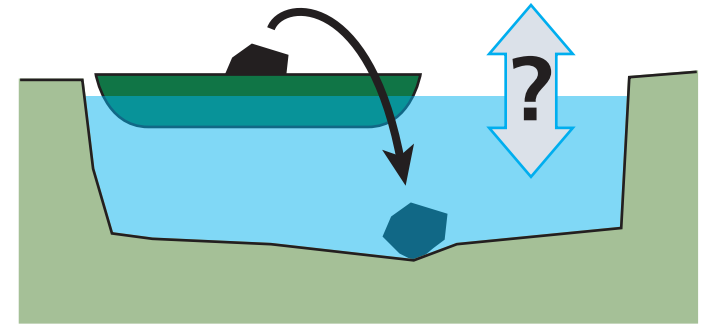


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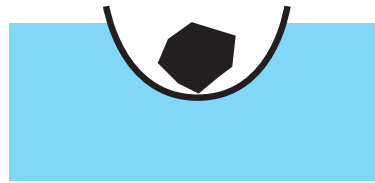
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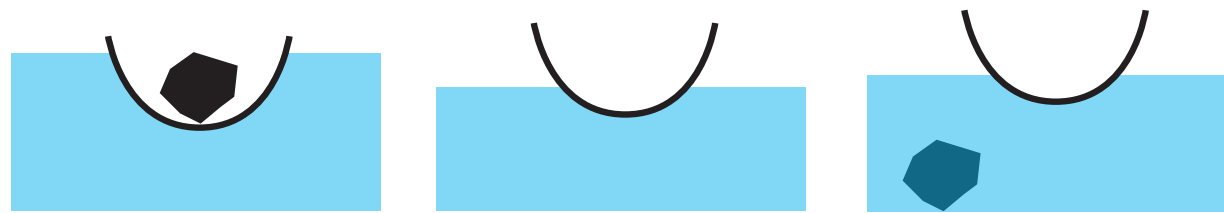
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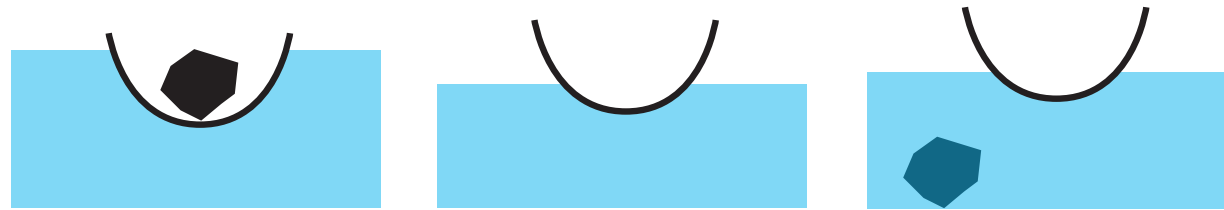
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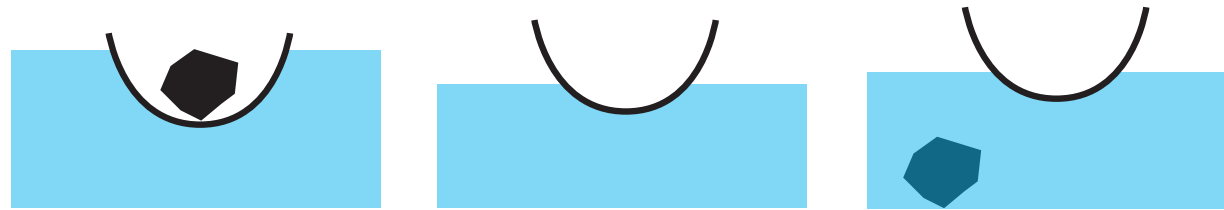


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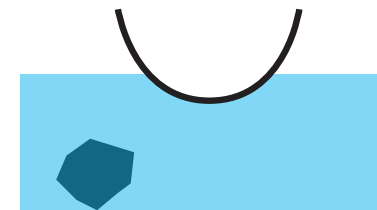
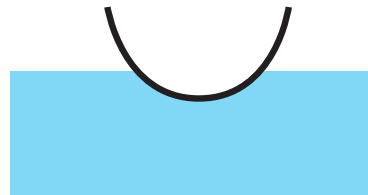
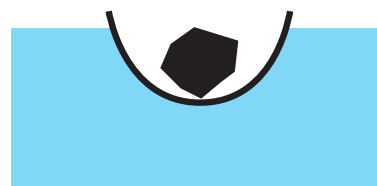


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= weight
of rock

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displaced
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= weight
of rock



= volume
of rock

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Peer



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Peer

Higher learning gains

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The background features a large, light blue 'P' and 'eer' with a dashed yellow line forming a circle around the 'eer' part. A yellow arrow points from the 'P' towards the 'eer'. Below this, the words 'Higher learning gains' and 'Better retention' are written in a bold, red, sans-serif font, slanted upwards from left to right. A dotted blue line with a yellow arrow at the end starts from the bottom left and points towards the word 'INSTRUCTION' at the bottom right. The word 'INSTRUCTION' is written in a large, white, sans-serif font, also slanted upwards from left to right.

Higher learning gains

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How do I...

- design good questions?
- optimize the discussions?
- manage time?

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Use intelligent algorithms and data analytics to...

- **improve questioning**
 - **manage discussions**
 - **facilitate time management/flow**
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- lowest
- a. A 30-year fixed rate mortgage at 12%
 - b. A 15-year fixed rate mortgage at 12%
 - c. A 30-year fixed rate mortgage at 12%
 - d. A 15-year fixed rate mortgage at 12%
2. The biggest factor that leads American companies to manufacture their products overseas in India is:
- a. Higher quality of craftsmanship
 - b. Lower labor costs
 - c. Decreased transportation costs
 - d. Effective legal systems
3. Which of the following correctly summarizes the accounting equation for a sole proprietorship?
- a. $\text{Assets} = \text{Liabilities} + \text{Owners' equity}$
 - b. $\text{Liabilities} = \text{Assets} + \text{Owners' equity}$
 - c. $\text{Owner's equity} = \text{Assets} + \text{Liabilities}$
 - d. $\text{Revenue} = \text{Assets} - \text{Liabilities}$
4. In order to present a business plan to a group of potential investors, a businessperson would most likely use which of the following?
- a. Powerpoint
 - b. Quickbooks
 - c. Peoplesoft
 - d. Excel
5. In order to start an online business, and individual would need all but which of the following:
- a. business model
 - b. depreciation?

extensible plug-in architecture for question types

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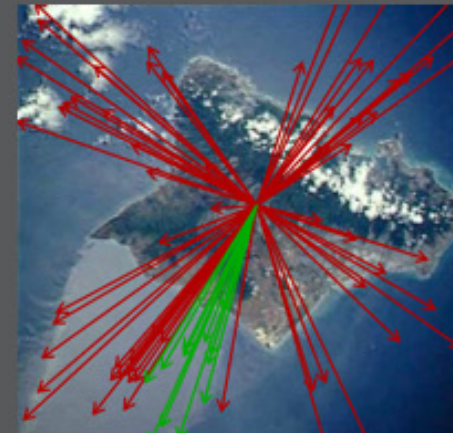
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77 responses, 16% correct



✓ 17 get it now

✗ 3 still don't get it

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Indicate the direction of the incident light after it reflects off of both mirrors.



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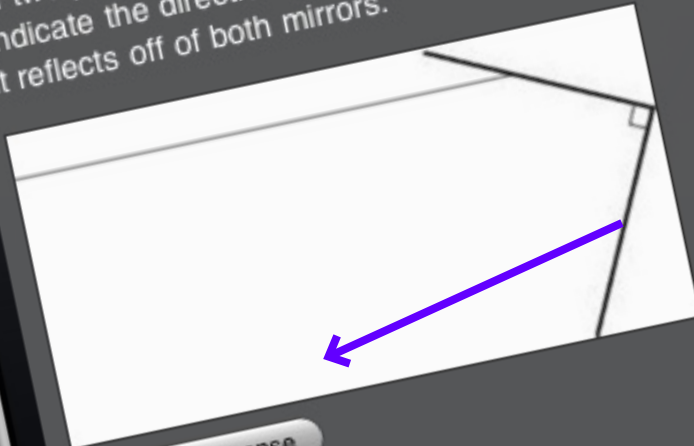
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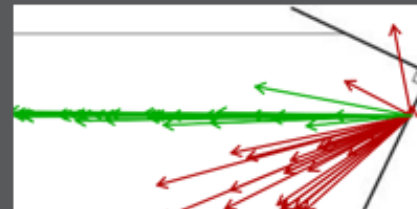
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57 responses, 58% correct



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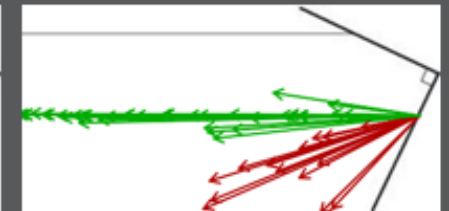
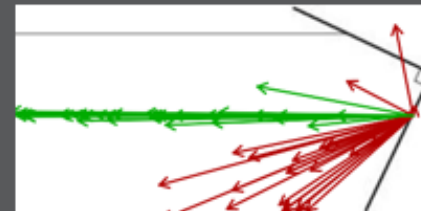


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Round 2



51 responses, 73% correct



✓ 8 get it now

✗ 0 still don't get it



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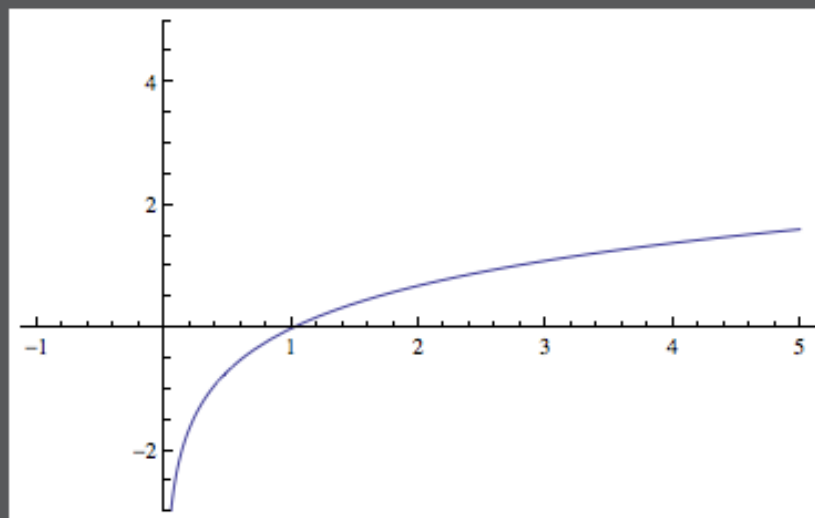
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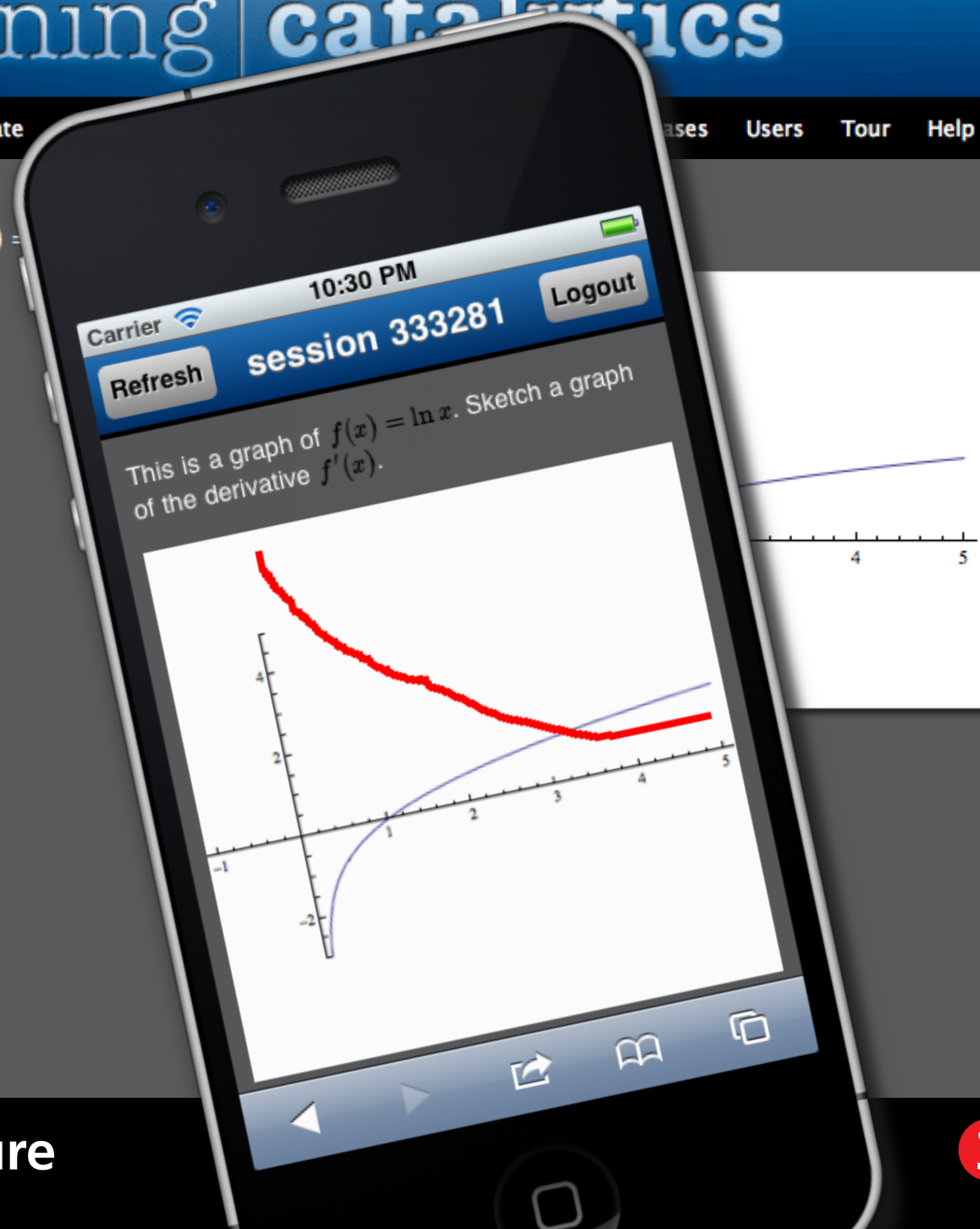


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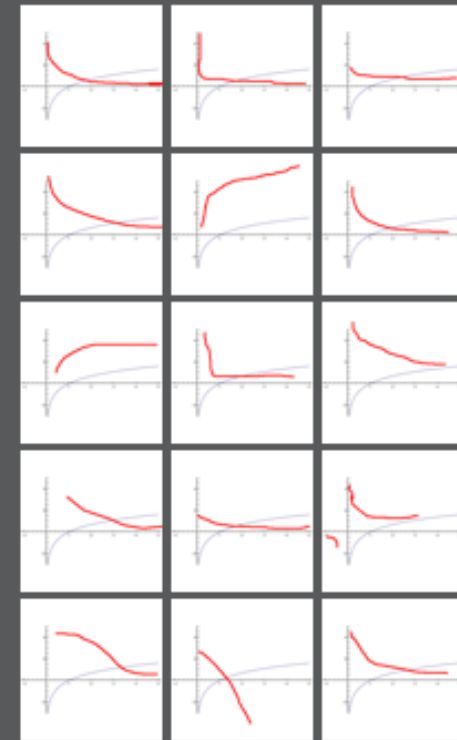
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Round 1 74 responses, 61% correct

A. 61%
B. 4%
C. 35%
D. 0%
E. 0%

Round 2 75 responses, 83% correct

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B. 0%
C. 17%
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E. cannot be determined without knowing more about the polarization induced in the sphere

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E. cannot be determined without knowing more about the polarization induced in the sphere

Round 1
74 responses, 61% correct

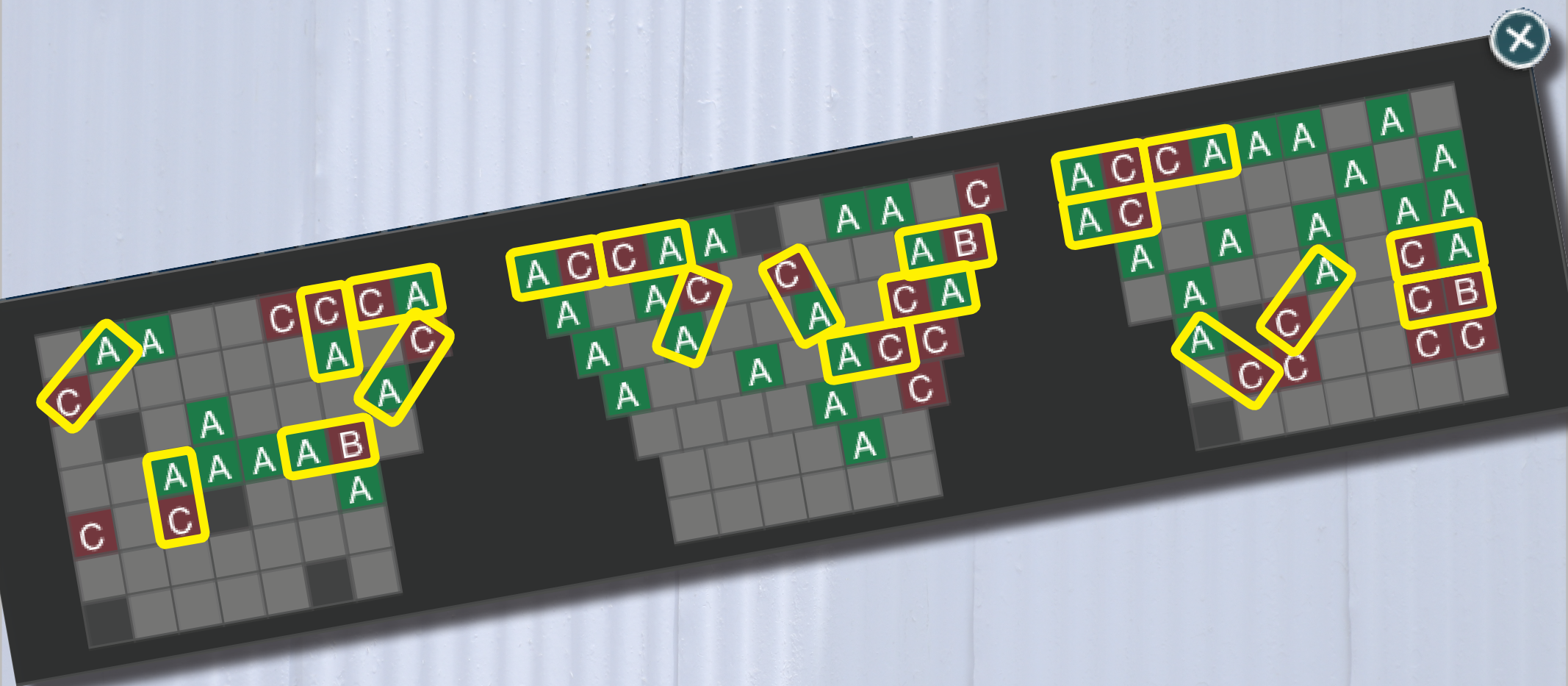
A. 61%
B. 4%
C. 35%
D. 0%
E. 0%

Round 2
75 responses, 83% correct

A. 83%
B. 0%
C. 17%
D. 0%
E. 0%

Search: _____

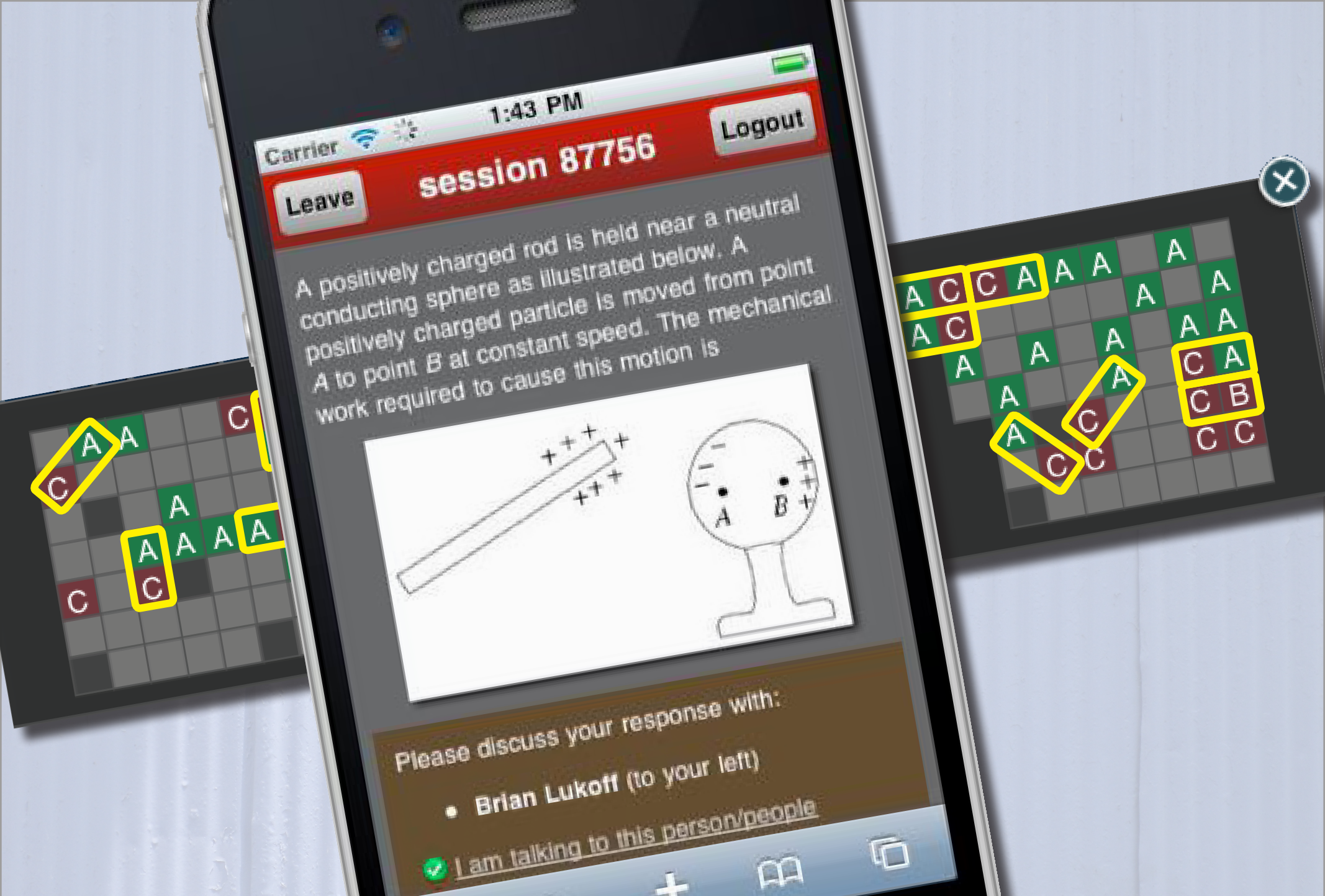
let system manage pairing



1 lecture

2 PI

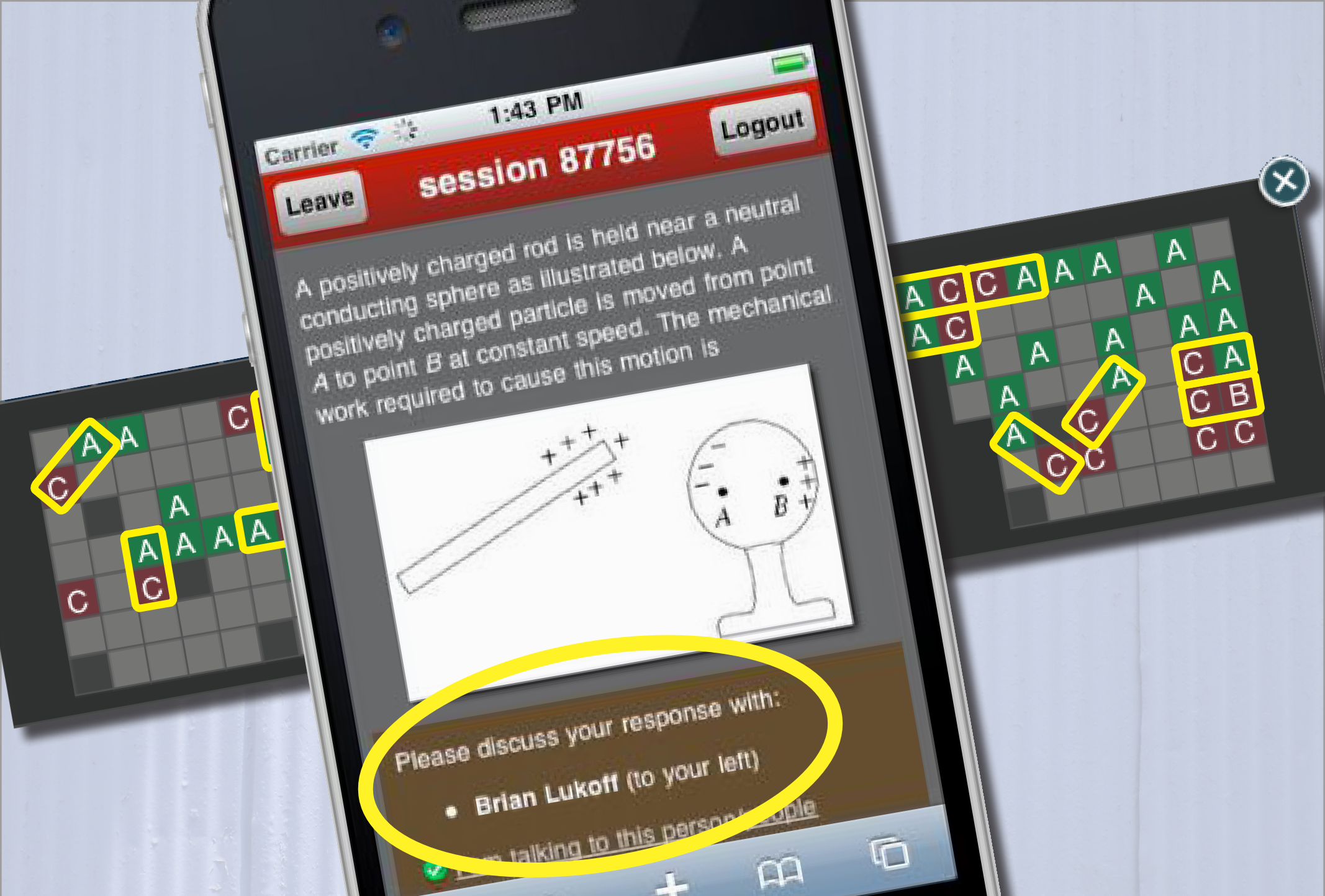
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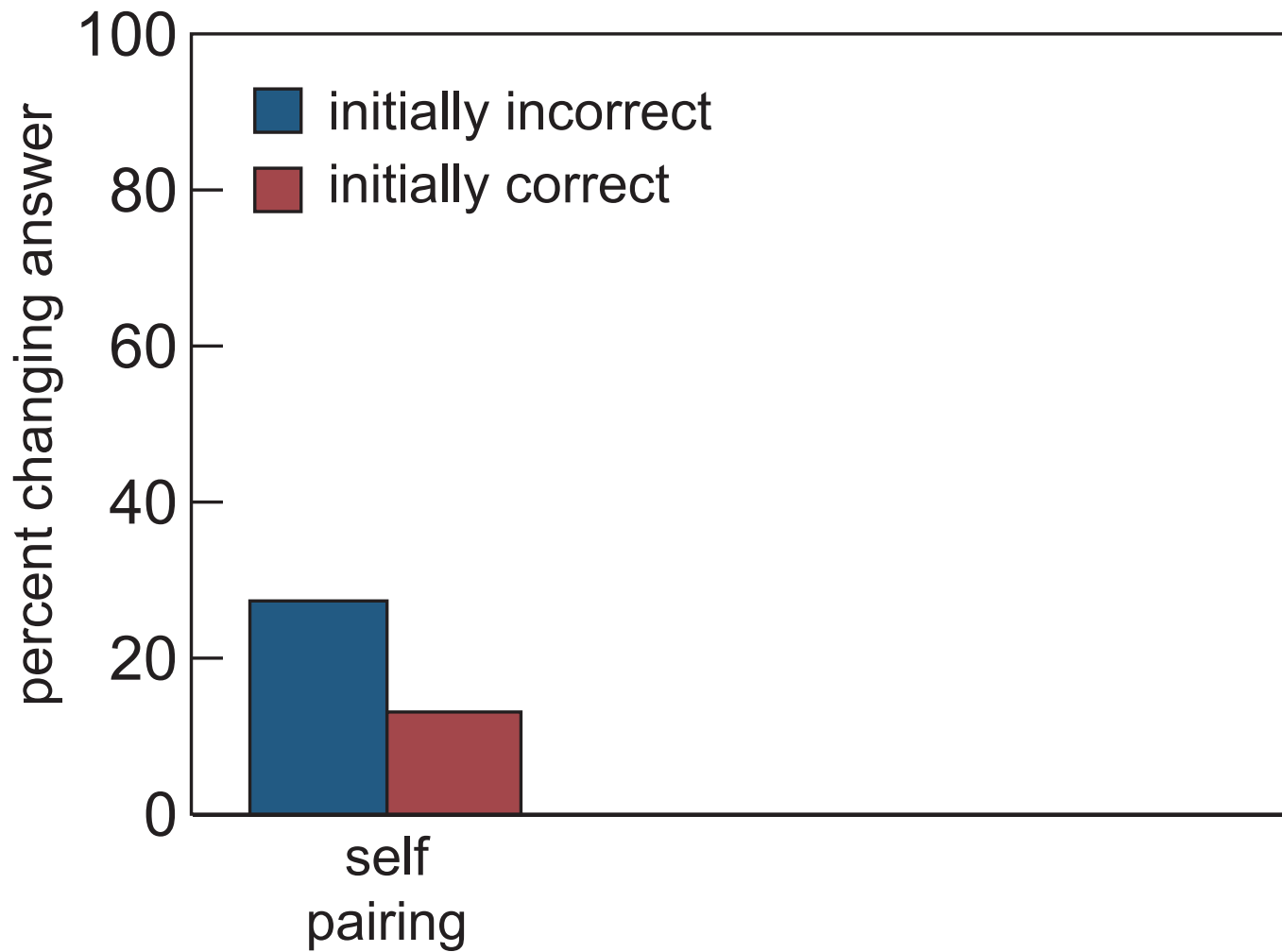


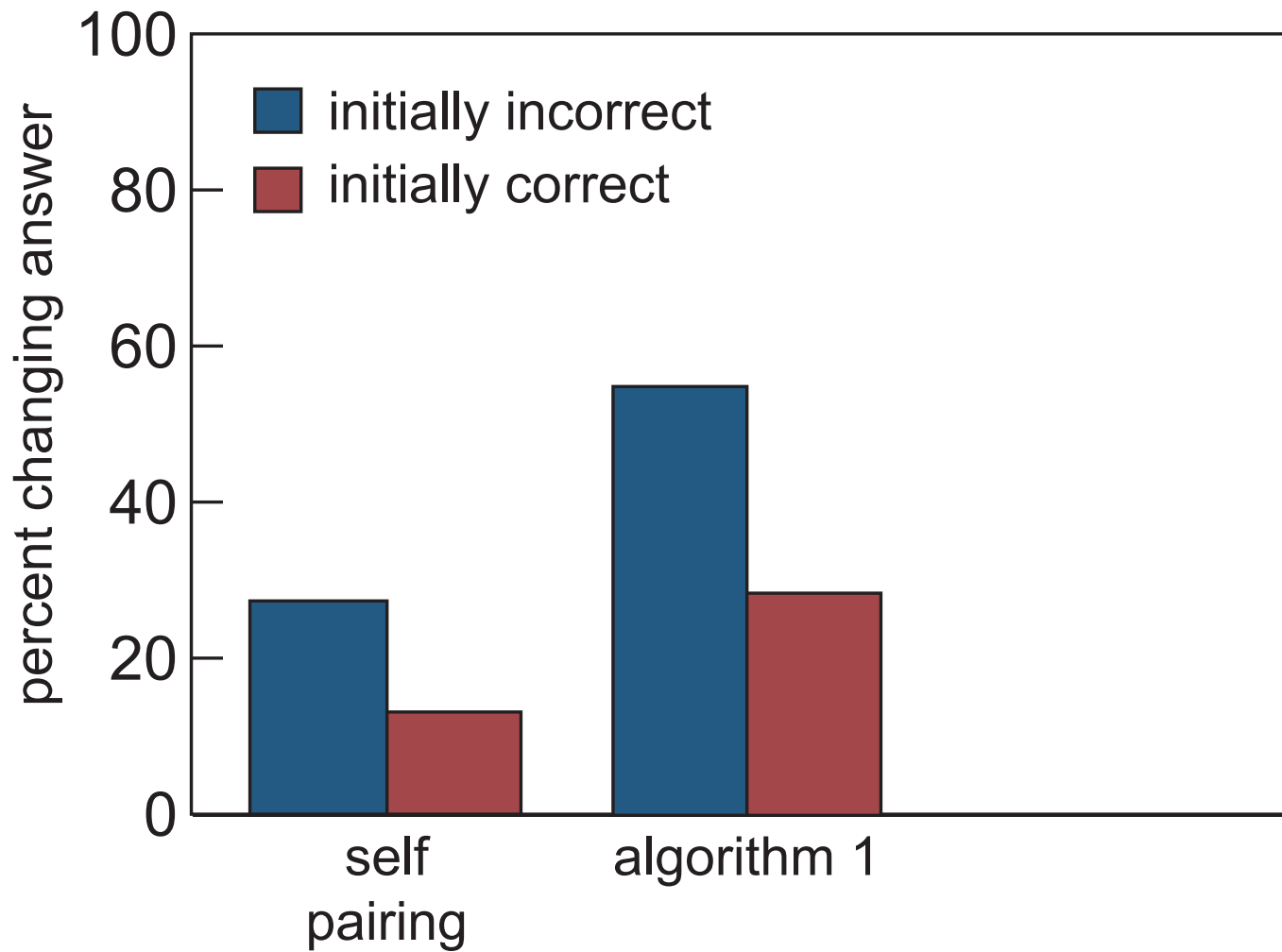
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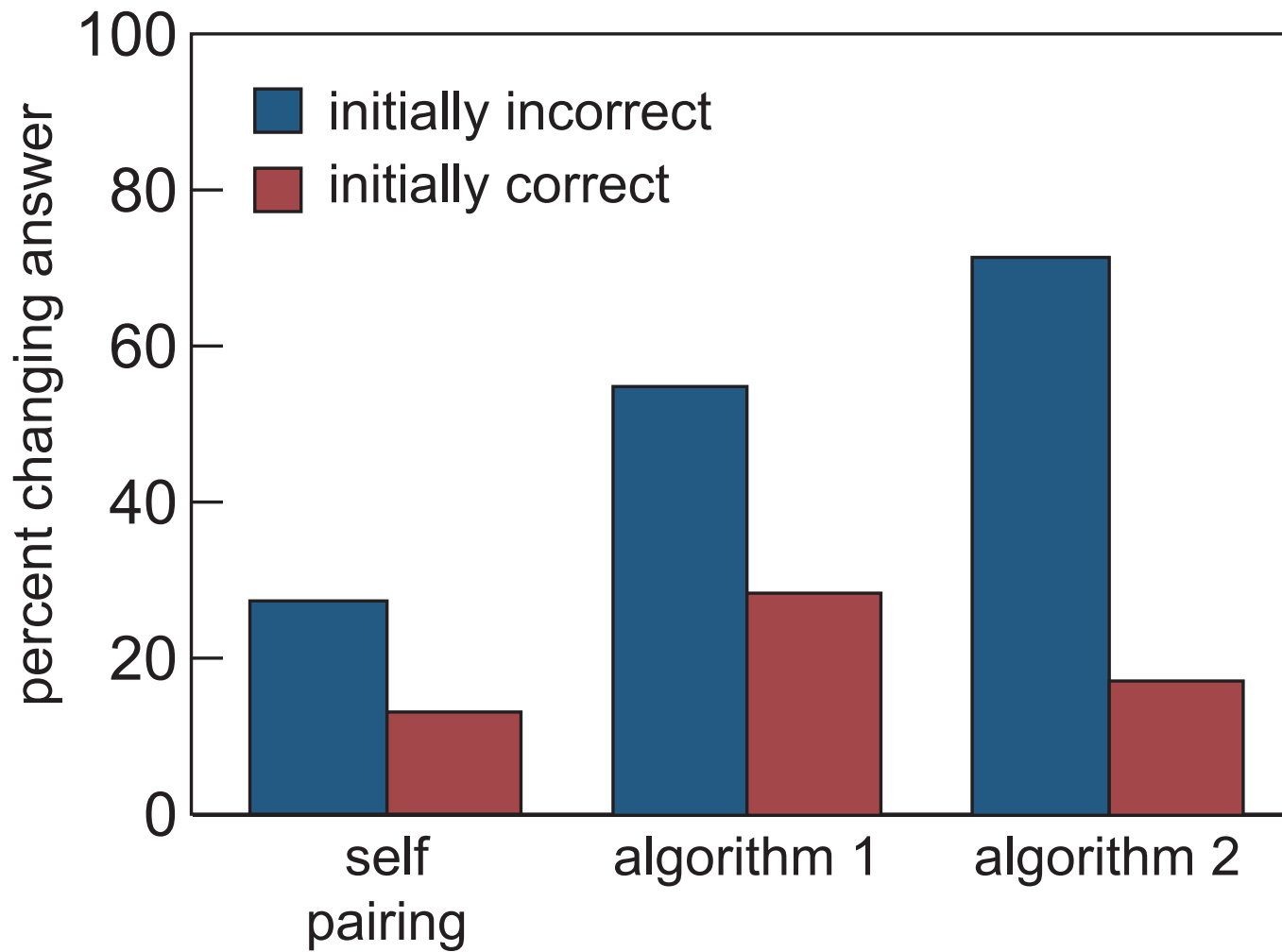
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