**Reflecting on the Student Perspective**



Don’t judge my path if you haven’t walked my journey.

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Remember times when you were a learner. Think of a time when you

had each of the experiences below. Briefly describe the experience.

Try to respond to at least 5 of the 7.

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| **1** | You were tasked with learning something, but you felt as if you really didn’t have enough prior knowledge to learn it |  |
| **2** | You understood something in one way, but the person teaching you imagined, or hoped, you understood it (i.e., mentally organized it) in a different way |  |
| **3** | You were learning something that you were not motivated to learn, because you just didn’t see the value in it |  |
| **4** | You not only acquired knowledge or skills, but you knew how they connected with other knowledge and skills and you knew when to apply them |  |
| **5** | You learned a skill that, at first, you weren’t very good at; but you got good at it |  |
| **6** | You were in a learning environment that, while the content was relevant, the climate of the learning environment substantially impeded your learning |  |
| **7** | You were able to manage your own learning of the content or completion of the task; You were aware of your progress and were responsible for adjustments |  |