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✓Question:

Inquiry???

• **Whole –Class Teaching between
Advantages and Drawbacks**



✓Answer:

Whole-class teaching allows the teacher to address all students at once, which helps keep the lesson

organized and ensures that everyone receives the same **explanation**. This method is especially helpful at the beginning of a lesson , when **introducing new ideas**, or when the teacher needs to give **clear instructions** to the whole group. It also helps the teacher maintain **classroom discipline** and manage **time** more effectively.

However, relying only on whole-class teaching can create some **challenges**. Students differ in their **learning pace** and in the way they understand **information**. Because of this, some learners might stay silent, **lose concentration**, or struggle without the teacher noticing . It also becomes harder to check **individual understanding** or give **personalized support** when the entire lesson is directed to the whole group.

For these reasons, whole-class teaching is important, but it becomes much **more effective** when the teacher **combines it with other approaches** such as

pair work, group activities, or tasks that allow students to **interact** and **express their ideas**. This balance helps reach different learners and makes the learning experience richer and more **engaging** for the whole class.