10 Ways to Use Document Cameras in the Classroom

1. Encourage students to use the doc cam during their own individual and group presentations.
2. Write your notes and project on the doc cam, then photograph them and upload to Canvas after class.
3. Instead of writing on the board, project text on the doc cam that might be hard for students near the back of the classroom to see.
4. Prepare complex drawings or images before class, then project on doc cam during class.
5. Give students paper to work on in groups (or individually) and project their work to the class to stimulate discussion.
6. Use the doc cam to enable students to see color annotations.
7. Add a microscope lens to show students the smallest items up close.
8. Display and manipulate 3-dimensional items.
9. Display apps from a smartphone or tablet (you may have to use a screen protector that reduces glare).
10. Record yourself working a problem or writing an equation, then upload it Canvas.