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"Sometimes you don't need to follow the roads." Sharon Bowman

Traveling the road aged with time may not be the best or fastest way to reach your destination. In her training sessions, Sharon Bowman encourages students to avoid potholes, step over cracks, and venture on new routes. She equates roads to classrooms and offers several myths about learning.

Myths About Learning

- 1) Some portion of your anatomy must be in the chair in order to learn.
- 2) The person doing the most listening is doing the most learning.
- 3) Lecture is the best format to present information.
- 4) The more serious the learning, the more you will remember.
- 5) A quiet room means people are learning.
- 6) The expert in the room should do all or most of the talking.

As the instructor, you must decide what works best for you and your students. Examine your "classroom road" and determine what repairs should be made. Don't be afraid to try a new route.

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