

Lab Grouping by Playing Cards:

For a class of 32 students...

Take out all of the Face Cards and the 9's and 10's

You will have 4 of each: (A's, 2's, 3's, 4's, 5's, 6's, 7's, 8's)

Have students pick a card from a shuffled deck as they walk in the door

GROUPING ONE: (8 groups of 4 students; lab groups)

All students with the same number sit at the same lab group

GROUPING TWO: (2 teams of 16 students; option 1)

Even numbers vs Odd numbers

GROUPING THREE: (2 teams of 16 students; option 2)

Red vs Black

GROUPING FOUR: (4 teams of 8 students; option 1)

All of one suit

GROUPING FIVE: (4 teams of 8 students; option 2)

Red and Even; Red and Odd; Black and Even; Black and Odd