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Questioning is at the heart of classroom practice. It is not only a central element of Assessment for Learning, but is crucial to developing thinking and good relationships in classrooms. Below are some links to some useful resources and websites to help you start to consider this important issue.

<http://publications.teachernet.gov.uk/default.aspx?PageFunction=productdetails&PageMode=publications&ProductId=DfES+0430-2004G&>

(Link to the National Strategy unit on Questioning)

<http://www.nwrel.org/scpd/sirs/3/cu5.html>

(a summary of research into questioning written in 1988, but has some excellent content and ideas)

<http://www.oir.uiuc.edu/Did/docs/questioning.htm>

(another American site which outlines some important considerations in planning for questioning)

<http://www.pgce.soton.ac.uk/IT/Teaching/Questioning/>

(a useful site focusing on ideas and understanding for beginning teachers)