

- Consider the examples of shared control that are illustrated in this example. Summarize your reaction to them in one or two sentences.  
Shared control enables the children to express themselves while still giving the teacher some control over the group. The teacher gets things started but remains flexible to let the children explore their interests.
- What do you currently do to share control with children?  
I encourage children to choose songs and books during large group time. I also like to ask the children what other voices or movements we can use during activities to make them more interesting.
- What ideas for sharing control with children during large-group time would you would like to try?  
I will try to incorporate more activities that allow children to choose their own movements. Open ended activities that allow children to express themselves will keep children interested and engaged.