Emergency Lesson Planning Sheet

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| **Topic/ Theme** | **The Crusades** |
| **Level**  | Year 1 / 4 |
| **Learning Outcomes** | Students will be able to1. Identify the importance of positionality in the way various sources summarised Pope Urban’s speech
2. Debate the wider context and identify the reasons why Western Europeans were willing to respond to the call.
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| **Additional Resources required** | [Map exercise: Important Cities in the Middle Ages](http://humbox.ac.uk/758/) (HumBox 758)Background information on Crusades (HumBox 779)(Medieval Sourcebook: Various views of Pope Urban’s speech) |
| **Plan** | 1. Introduce students to the topic of the Crusades, open HumBox 758 to see the geographical context
2. Open HumBox 779 for information about the start of the Crusades, and Indicate the purpose of the various activities
3. Split students into five groups: each group to read the account of Urban’s speech, find out about the source
4. Student groups to present their account of the source and the way the individual presents the speech
5. Group discussion about the nature of crusading and the importance of the speech to set the ball rolling
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