

# The OER Dilemma

## A comparison of OER with Traditional textbooks and the benefits of OER in the classroom

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### OER vs. Traditional

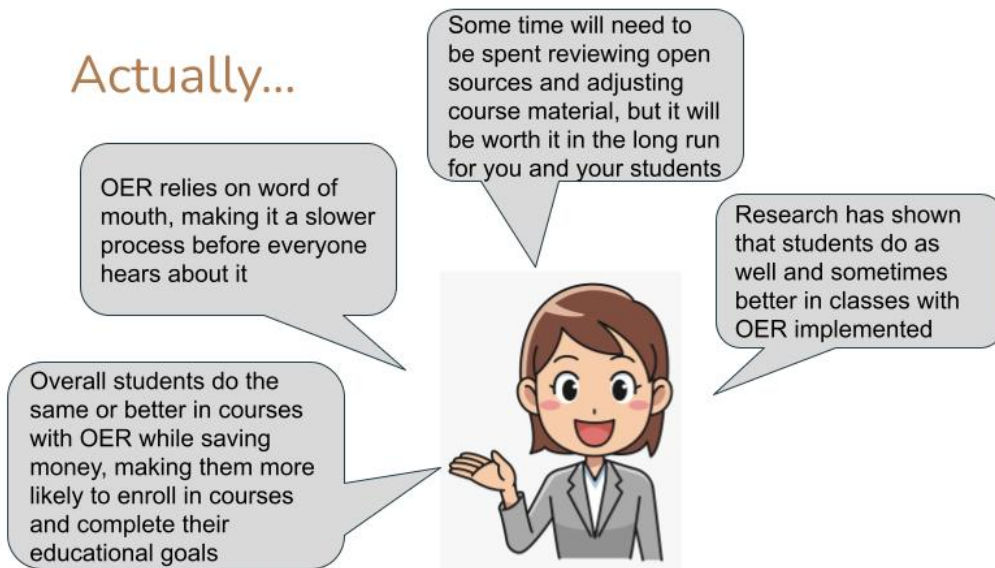
OER	Traditional
-Freely accessible (no cost) 	-Textbooks cost money 
-Open license (accessible and re-mixable) 	-Copyrighted (non-remixable) 
-Digital (text or media) 	-Digital or hard copy 
-Quality information 	-Quality information 
-Instant editability	-Editability over time (with new editions)



## If OER is free why aren't more people using it?



## Actually...





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