

CSI School Improvement Institute

Session 5: Planning for a Future of Even Stronger Instruction

April 11, 2024

Objectives:

- **Reflect** on the momentum and progress made in classroom instruction and instructional coaching
- **Interrogate** current plans for instructional improvement to identify areas for instructional coaching priorities
- **Develop** (or refine) plans for instructional coaching and teacher support

Agenda:

Approximate Time	Agenda Item (click to jump to note catcher)
9:00–9:20 am	Opening
9:20–10:05 am	Reflecting on Progress and Momentum
10:15– 11:10 am	Interrogating Our Plan for Instruction
11:20–11:45 am	Planning for Future Progress
11:45–12:00 pm	Closing

Pre-Work: Conduct Instructional Observations

- **Step 1, Gather Data:**
 - Observe enough classrooms to begin identifying trends, whether school-wide or within a department. Collect/track data using either the Core Rubric or other school/district tool.
- **Step 2, Analyze Data:**
 - Identify a key instructional gap from walkthrough data, brainstorm root causes, and make a plan to implement a chosen solution. Submit your plan (any format) in Google Classroom.

Opening

Important Links: [Sign In Form](#) | [Session 5 Google Classroom](#) (code: tmtzeyr)

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Reflecting on Progress and Momentum

Important Links: [Your instructional observation walkthrough data](#)

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Stop and Jot:

Were there priorities around improving instruction set at the beginning of the year? If so, what were those priorities and what improvements did you specifically want to see?	
Were you surprised by anything you observed? Why or why not?	
How similar or different is the instruction you've observed most recently from the instruction you observed at the beginning of the year?	
If you could wave a wand and change one thing across all the classrooms you observed, what would you change?	

Interrogating Our Plan for Instruction

Important Links: [Neuroscience Explains Why You Need To Write Down Your Goals If You Actually Want To Achieve Them](#) | **Access to your School Improvement Plans or Strategic Plans**

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Discussion Prompts	Discussion Notes (optional)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What resonated with you as you read this article? • What challenged your thinking as you read this article? • What are your current strengths and growth areas when it comes to writing down, in more detail, priorities, goals, and action plans? • How would your schedule need to change to allow for more time to write/record your plans? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •

Planning for Future Progress

Important Links: Google Classroom Assignment to Turn In

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[Exit Survey](#)