

ON THE DESIGN AND IMPLEMENTATION OF PRACTICAL MEASURES TO SUPPORT INSTRUCTIONAL IMPROVEMENT AT SCALE

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Getting to know you and your interest

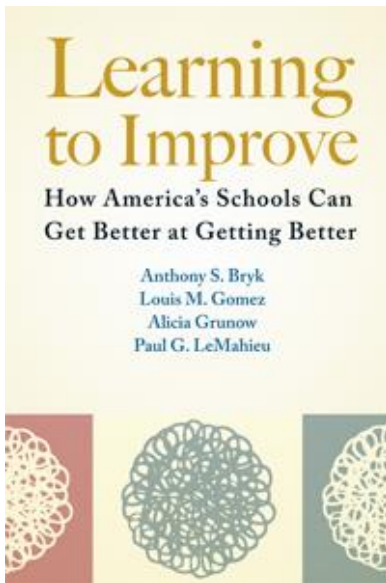
- What is your level of familiarity with practical measures?
- What do you hope to get out of this session?

Plan for the session

1. Brief overview of practical measures
1. Kara: the process researchers and practitioners developed to design a set of practical measures focused on improving the quality of discussion (math)
1. Jessica: the implementation of practical measures within a Networked Improvement Community (science)
1. Discussion of challenges, trade-offs, and other pressing issues

BRIEF OVERVIEW OF PRACTICAL MEASURES

What are practical measures? Why might they be useful tools in instructional improvement?



Yeager, D., Bryk, A. S., Muhich, J., Hausman, H., & Morales, L. (2013). *Practical measurement*. Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching. Stanford, CA.

What are practical measures? Why might they be useful tools in instructional improvement?

- Designed to provide practitioners with frequent, rapid feedback that enables them to assess and adjust their practices during the process of implementation
- Designed to inform *improvement*
- In contrast to:
 - Research measures
 - Accountability measures

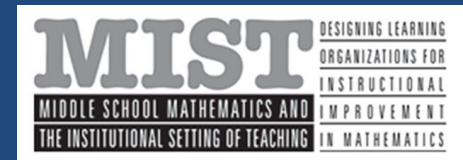
Key features of practical measures

- Specific to improvement goals
- Focus/language is relevant and meaningful to practitioners
- Collection of data must be relatively undemanding
- Resulting data must be able to be analyzed quickly
- Sensitive to change
- Actionable
- Embedded in routines (e.g., administering the measures, making sense of the resulting data)

MIDDLE SCHOOL MATHEMATICS AND THE INSTITUTIONAL SETTING OF TEACHING

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Why we saw value in practical measures

- Worked with large, urban districts for 8 years to generate, refine, and elaborate a *theory of action* for instructional improvement at scale
- Useful for *design* of instructional improvement strategies
- However, a number of challenges arose for districts as they attempted to *implement* the instructional improvement strategies
 - Urgency to roll out strategies across the district
 - Lack of routines and tools for providing ongoing, rapid feedback to inform improvement of strategies

Context of practical measurement work

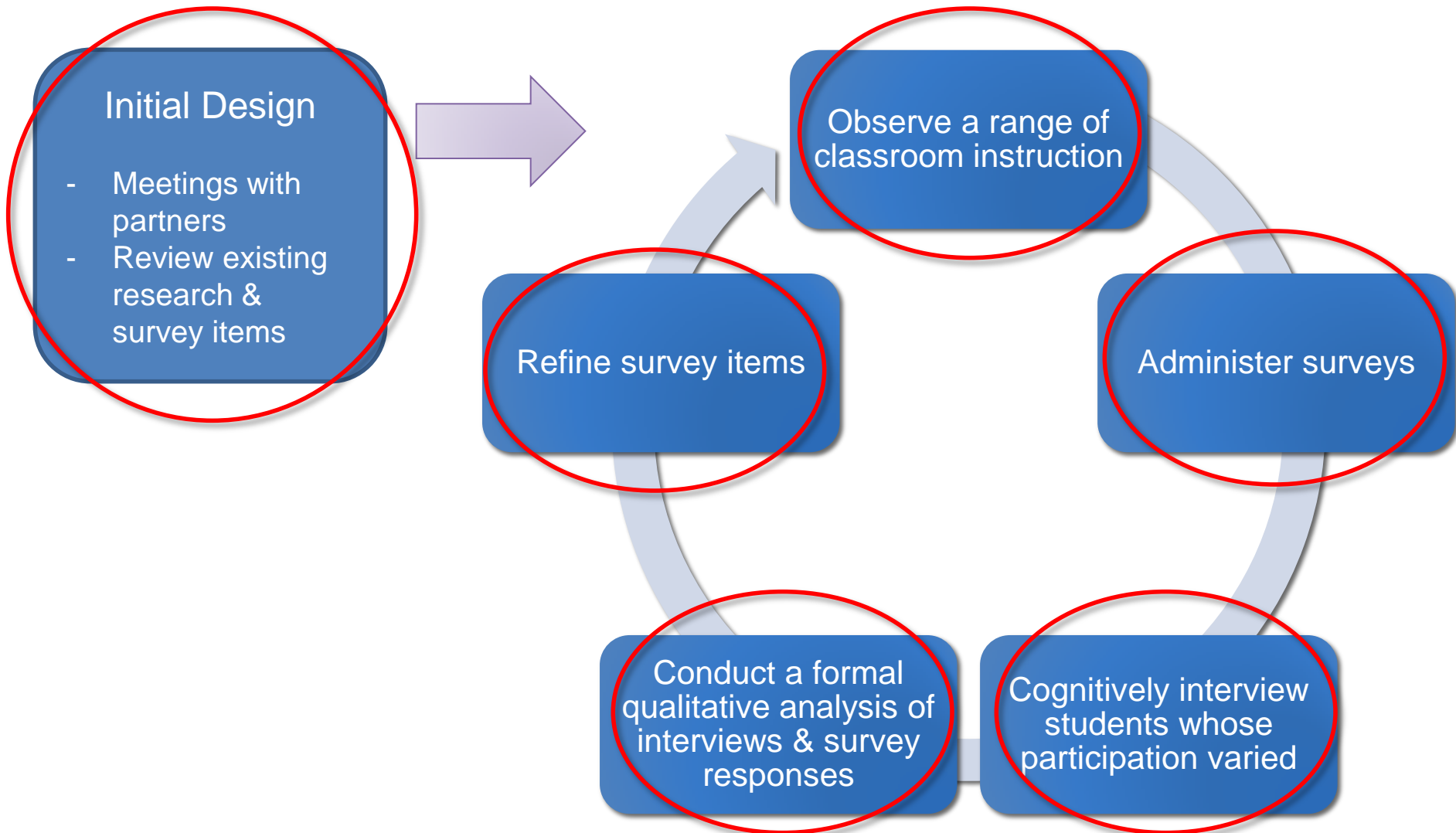
- Multiple research-practice partnerships
 - Vanderbilt/UW/JCPS Partnership: Math Design Collaborative / Formative Assessment Lessons
 - SERP/SFUSD Partnership: De-tracking reform
- Focus: Initially improve the quality of discourse in math classrooms (small group, whole class)
 - Student surveys



Intended users

- District leaders (e.g., mathematics leaders)
 - Inform professional development plans and curricular revisions
 - Inform allocation / focus of coaches
- Coaches
 - Inform coaching cycles and PD designs
- Teachers
 - Inform daily practice

Process to design surveys



Sample items: Small Group Discussion

1. What did you need to do in order to be successful in your math class today?
(Choose **one** item that best describes your experience.)

- Solve problems using the steps the teacher showed me
- Listen to and make sense of other students' reasoning
- Finish all of my work
- Other

2. Was there one right way to solve the problem(s) today?

- Yes No

Assess the
nature of
mathematical
activity

3. What was the purpose of discussion in your math class today? (Choose one.)

- Make sure I did the problem the way the teacher taught me
- Check to see if our answers are correct
- Learn different ways that work to solve a problem
- Other

Sample items: Small Group Discussion

4. How comfortable were you sharing your thinking in your small group today?
(Choose one.)

- Not comfortable
- Somewhat comfortable
- Very comfortable

6. In your small group, did listening to other students help you make your thinking better?

- Yes No

7. In your small group, did you have trouble understanding your group members' explanations?

- Yes No

Is the talk supporting students' learning?

Sample items: Small Group Discussion

8. What was the purpose of working in a small group today? (Choose one.)

- Work together to solve a problem using the steps our teacher taught us
- Check with my group members to see if my answers were correct
- Investigate a mathematical idea
- Share the different ways students in my group were solving a problem
- Other

9. What was the purpose of your teacher asking questions during small group time? (Choose one.)

- Tell us we had a problem wrong
- Help us work together as a group
- Help us figure out how to solve a problem
- Find out how we were thinking about a problem
- Remind us of the right steps for solving a problem
- My teacher did not talk to my group today

Role of the teacher

Examining classroom data

- Look at the classroom data.
 - Teacher 1, 7th grade (n = 17)
 - Teacher 2, 8th grade (n = 31)
- What do you notice?
 - For a given class?
 - Across classrooms?
- What questions do these data raise for you? (as a coach? teacher?)

Small Group Discussion Survey: Sample Data

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Where we are & moving forward

- Designed initial surveys (5 pilots)
- SFUSD/SERP coaches have been using the measures with teachers; JCPS will start this coming year
- Over the next year ...
 - Investigate routines for supporting users to make sense of the data / act on it
 - Investigate technology for data collection, data representations, and analyses
 - Investigate how data can interface with existing data platforms

Moving forward: Research questions

- How can practical measures of the **quality of classroom instruction** be used so that they serve as *levers for* as well as *assessments of* instructional improvement?
- How can practical measures of the **quality of supports for teacher learning** be used to inform the improvement of supports for mathematics coaches' and/or teacher leaders' learning?
- How can **data visualizations** of the practical measures support teachers, professional development facilitators, and district leaders to make instructional improvement decisions?

BUILDING CAPACITY FOR THE NEXT GENERATION SCIENCE STANDARDS THROUGH NETWORKED IMPROVEMENT COMMUNITIES

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Improvement of practice in an RPP

Year 1

Supporting shifts in discourse & scientific modeling

Windschitl, Thompson, Braaten, & Stroupe, 2012;
Thompson, Windschitl & Braaten, 2013

Year 5- 2 schools

Job-embedded PD & supporting teams of teachers in
working on practice Horn & Little, 2010; Lave & Wenger;
Kazemi & Hubbard, 2008; Kazemi, Franke, & Lampert 2009

Year 7- 5 schools

Developing coaches, naming and testing “bite size”
teaching practices within and across schools Bryk, Gomez,
& Grunow, 2011; Hiebert & Morris, 2012; Lampert, 2010

Year 8- 8 schools

Involving students & ELL coaches, developing hybrid
Science-ELL practices Bunch, 2014; Gibbons, 2007 & 2015

Year 10- 17 schools

Data days & supporting principals Bryk et al. 2015; Stein &
Coburn, 2008; Spillane & Thompson, 1997

This body of water is a dynamic ecosystem and is affected by the amount of rainfall received

How does the size compare

Complex Scenario

What inference could you make about the amount of rainfall received in 2004?

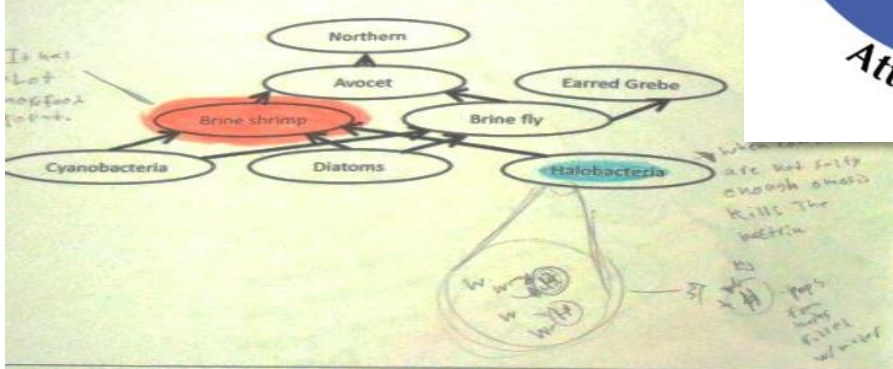
Question #5



How and why did the North Arm of the lake change?

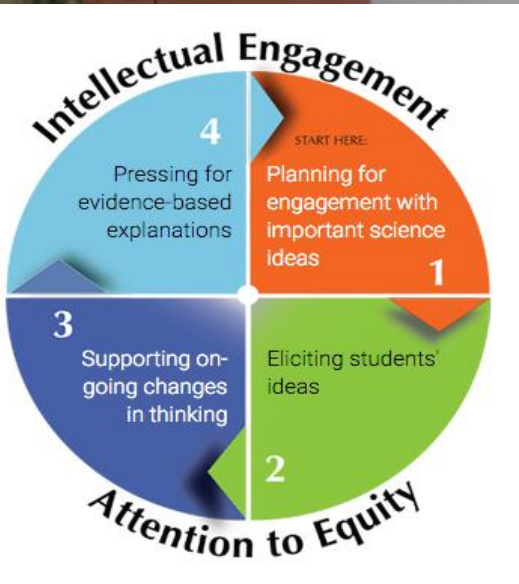
For the food web for the North Arm of the lake BEFORE and AFTER the causeway was built. Think something dies, increases or decreases in population – draw or explain WHY or HOW this happened. For each food web, explain what you think made the changes to it. Be sure to refer to any evidence from the picture of the osmosis that occurs with the halobacteria for both pictures. Color the nodes of the organisms that do photosynthesis green. Color the nodes of the organisms that do not photosynthesize purple. Use a different color for nonliving factors (oxygen, carbon dioxide, salt, acidity, UV light, temperature, and light) affecting the ecosystem.

North Arm of the Lake – BEFORE the causeway (like the South arm)



Paragraphs explaining how and why the North arm ecosystem (living and nonliving) changed over time? What is the difference between the North and South arm of the lake? What is living things (Halo, shrimp, etc.)? What change occur? Cite evidence from investigations. The causeway affect the great salt lake by separating the two sides so letting salt flow more on one side so the food web show which arm of the lake. What is being affected there?

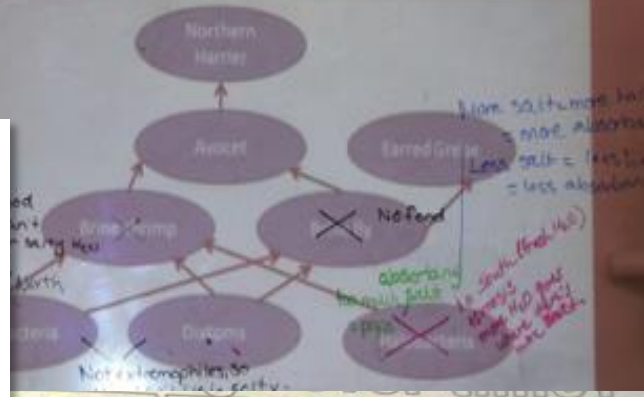
Tools that scaffold



4/24 for Per. 2, 3, 5, and 6

Modeling

If the lake gets too salty the food web will be affected



Purposeful talk

GOAL:

Improve all students' written and spoken science explanations, arguments & models for all students and for EL students in particular



PRIMARY DRIVERS:

Making the language of science explicit

Equitable talk for how/why explanations

Using evidence to construct and revise explanations

Revising models with evidence

SECONDARY (ACTIONABLE) DRIVERS:

Using language functions as lens for reading, writing, and modeling

Yr2: 1 school

Structured talk for how/why reasoning

Yr 1: 1 school
Yr 2: 4 schools
Yr 3: 3 schools

Peer feedback to deepen written explanations

Yr 3: 3 schools

Revising lists of student generated hypotheses with evidence

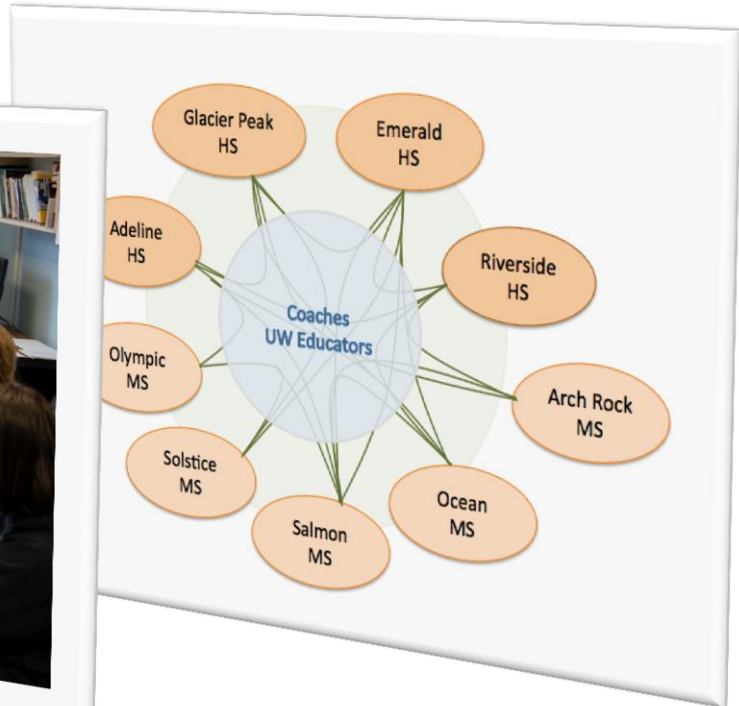
Yr 2: 1 school

Sequenced share-out of models

Yr 2: 2 schools
Yr 3: 2 schools



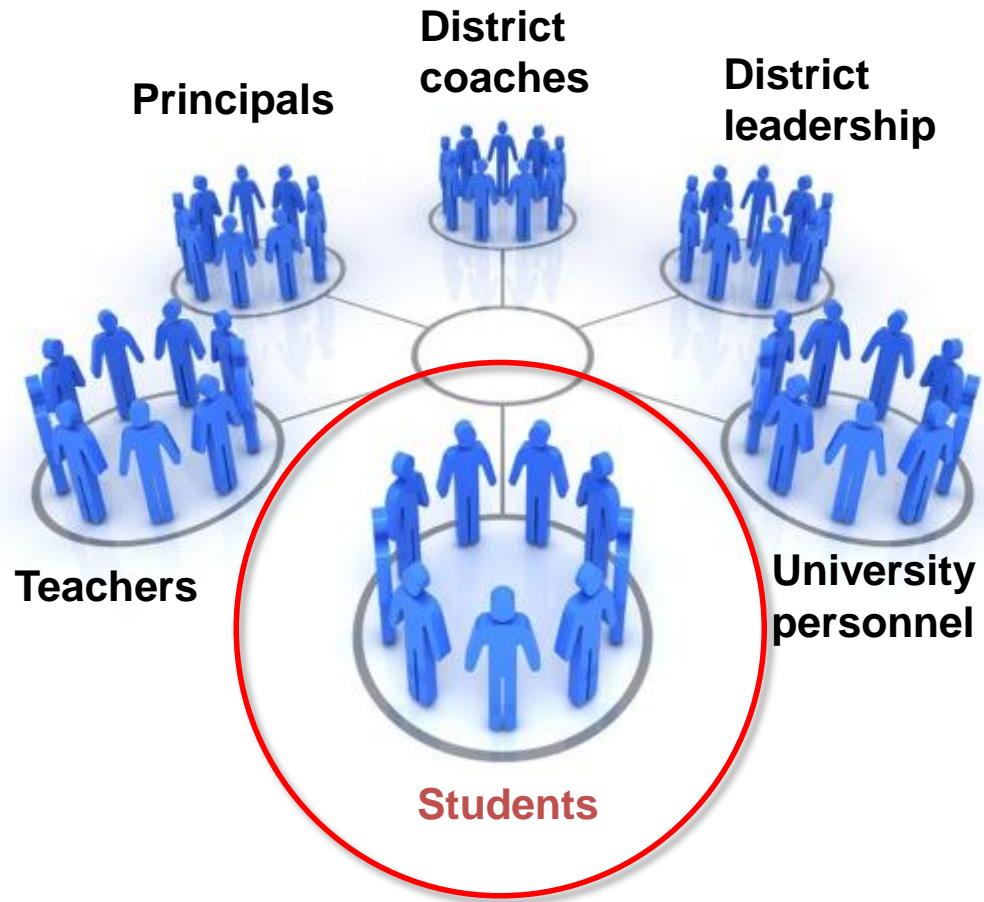
Our Aim: generate practice-based evidence by investigating how the science teaching practices work, under which conditions and for whom



NICs & Practical Measurements

Networked Improvement Communities:

Across institutions, a commonly shared set of core **practices**, along with its **tools**, could evolve over time to improve and innovate within the work of teaching



Structured talk
for how/why
reasoning

When you engaged in structured talk with a partner, which of the following did you try? (check ALL that apply)

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I shared my idea | <input type="checkbox"/> I could revoice my partner's idea |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I listened to my partner's idea | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> My partner and I looked for similarities and differences in our ideas |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I agreed with my partner's idea | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I used a sentence stem to explain my idea |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I added on to my partner's idea | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I disagreed with my partner's idea | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I used scientific evidence to support my idea | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I asked a clarifying question | |

What did you and your partner talk about? Be specific.

~~my~~ my partner and I talked about our own thinking about a hypothesis on our lab and what are the optimal ranges of an enzyme

What went well in your discussion? What could have gone better?

Everything went well in my discussion because we both listened to each other and was able to build off our ideas.

Explain one thing in this unit that you understand better or differently after talking with your partner today.

Now, understanding ~~the~~ about how enzymes catalases works and how they are affected by different variables.



Recent Activity

Soo-Yean test class

4th period biology class
(2016)

Integrated Science

1st Per Integrated Science
2015-20163rd Per Integrated Science
2015-20164th Per Integrated Science
2015-20165th Per Integrated Science
2015-2016ELL 6th Per Integrated
Science 2015-2016

Ambitious Science Teaching

As a network of elementary, middle and high school science teams, we are aiming to improve students' written and spoken scientific explanations, models and arguments.



Exit Tickets

Basic AST Exit Ticket

[Preview](#)[Create](#)

Modeling Exit Ticket

[Preview](#)[Create](#)

Student-facing

Sequenced
share-out of
models

Welcome, Anonymous

Modeling Exit Ticket

Question #4

How much do you agree with this statement?

In class today, we helped each other improve our science ideas.

1: Not at all

2

3

4: A lot

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Submit

Student-facing

Sequenced
share-out of
models

Welcome, Anonymous

Modeling Exit Ticket

Question #5

Which of the following happened in class today?

*Check **only** the ones that happened for you. This will help us see what we are doing as a class and where we can improve.*

(To teachers) Feel free to add your own items about classroom interaction.

- I felt like my ideas were valued.
- I asked questions to other students.
- I identified similarities and differences between my ideas and others' ideas.
- I felt like I knew how to participate in all class activities.
- I felt like our class activities today helped me explain more about the phenomenon.

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Teacher-facing

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3. I felt like I knew how to participate in all class activities.

4. I felt like our class activities today helped me explain more about the phenomenon.

5. No response

Question #6

Which of the following happened *when you engaged in the modeling*

0. I used our resources (notebook, checklist, data, rubric, text, others).

1. I used the model to explain my ideas to others.

2. I improved my model based on our discussion.

3. I discussed the strengths of our model in explaining the phenomenon.

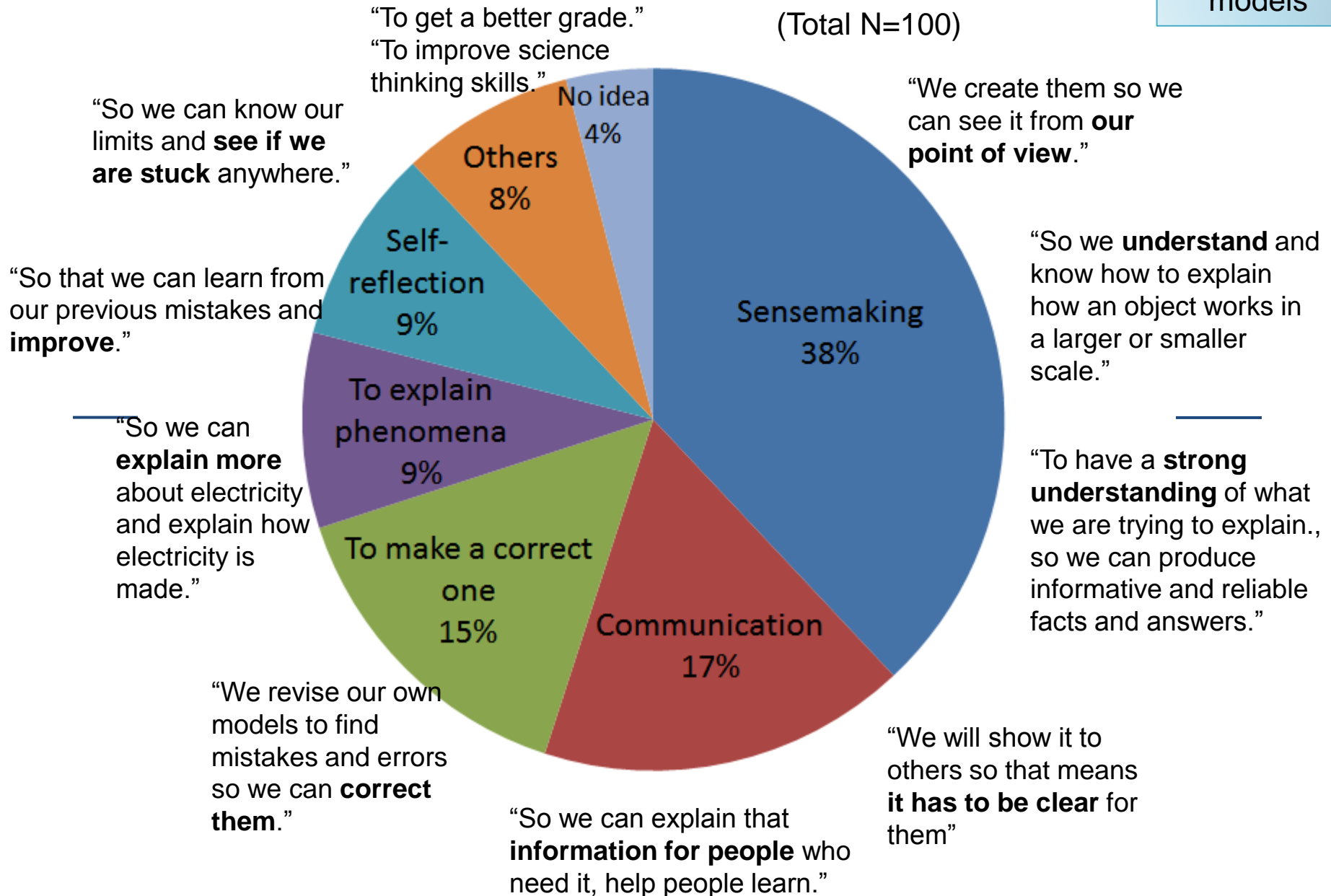
4. I discussed the limitations of our model in explaining the phenomenon.

5. No response



Why do you think we create and revise our own models?

(Total N=100)



Temporal dimensions

- Which practical measures do teachers track over time? Should they be tracked over time?
- How do practical measures co-evolve with teaching practice?
- Which data matter most to teachers, coaches and to school teams, and how does this change over time?
- Which data representations are most useful in the short-term? In the long term?
- How do teachers couple practical measures with assessments?

Practical measures are part of specified improvement cycles that have suites of tools and routines for collaborative professional learning and classroom learning

PDSA/Practice

EVENING DATA MAP TOOL

WHAT HAPPENS?
What happens in the class next or in classroom structure?
What happens in the class next or in classroom structure?

HOW DOES IT WORK?
How does the tool work?
How does the tool work?

WHAT AFTER CLASS?
What are the next steps?
What are the next steps?



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Name: [Redacted]
 Date: 4/24/14
 Class Period: 3rd Period

1) Science lesson topic: Chemical Rxns

2) Who tried the practice?

- Teacher
- Teacher + Coach

3) How often have students used A/B talk in your class?

- This is the first time
- They have tried it 1-2 times before
- They have tried it 3-5 times before
- This is done regularly in my class 1-2x/week
- This is done regularly in my class 3-5x/week
- We practice A/B talk daily

4) PLAN your A/B question(s):

What happens to the atoms and in a chemical reaction?

What happens (if necessary) to how the atoms are bonded?

5) Below are the drivers for supporting ambitious and equitable instruction in small group interactions that you generated from studios. Bubble all that applied to this lesson:

<p>What-how-why: Give them the "what!"</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> as a part of the launch, build in what level observation then as a why <input type="checkbox"/> have students provide modeling keys <input type="checkbox"/> students have readings/videos that help them develop a "targeted why" <input type="checkbox"/> have targeted questions about the why <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ask 2 rounds of structured "why" questions <input type="checkbox"/> remind students about resources (journal etc.) <p>OTHER:</p>	<p>Equity: Structured Turn & Talk- A/B partner talk</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Directions on how to do A/B talk were shared with students <input type="checkbox"/> Directions were specific to this lesson <input type="checkbox"/> Directions were specific to HOW they work on HOW they work on their partner's ideas <input type="checkbox"/> "listening for understanding" <input type="checkbox"/> Be explicit about how much students are talking <input type="checkbox"/> engage them in self-monitoring/ give an exit card about how the AB talk supported their science reasoning <p>OTHER:</p>
<p>Small Group Discourse: Accountability in Modeling</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> have all students participate in written forms of models (using color pencils/pens) <input type="checkbox"/> have students use role cards <input type="checkbox"/> Students were given a "model scaffold" to work on together <input type="checkbox"/> Students had an explanation checklist <p>OTHER:</p>	<p>EL supports- Empowering ELs to share what they know & develop fluency with academic talk</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EL students are identified <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> use sentence stems for EL students <input type="checkbox"/> differentiate questions for different levels of EL students <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> intentionally pair students to support use of language and language development <p>OTHER:</p>

Under which conditions?

2 rounds of structured "why" questions
 whole group sentence stem for building on an idea

DO DURING CLASS

6) Choose 2-4 underserved students (EL or not) and listen in on their conversation and/or look at their student work. List evidence of what / how / why level engagement for each student (use initials):

	What Student describes what happened. Student describes, summarizes, or restates a pattern or trend in data without making a connection to any unobservable/theoretical components.	How Student describes how or partial why something happened. Student addresses unobservable/theoretical components tangentially.	Why Student explains why something happened. Student can trace a causal story for why a phenomenon occurred or ask questions at this level. Student uses important science ideas that have unobservable/theoretical components to explain observable events.
Student 1: Victor <input type="checkbox"/> intermediate EL <input type="checkbox"/> advanced EL <input type="checkbox"/> Not EL		"atoms break/split up, creating new bonds to create H ₂ CO ₃ "	"they form a new molecule H ₂ CO ₃ ... when they come together they break apart & create new bonds so they make a new molecule"
Student 2: Miguel <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> intermediate EL <input type="checkbox"/> advanced EL <input type="checkbox"/> Not EL	"atoms of same kind" "type"	"becoming a diff kind of molecule" "form new bonds"	"double bond... have to separate one bond so that the other atom... combine"
Student 3: <input type="checkbox"/> intermediate EL <input type="checkbox"/> advanced EL <input type="checkbox"/> Not EL			
Student 4: <input type="checkbox"/> intermediate EL <input type="checkbox"/> advanced EL <input type="checkbox"/> Not EL			

**For whom?
Proximal outcome measure**

STUDY AFTER CLASS

7) What parts of the practice seemed to work for these students? What did not?

- Victor built on someone else's idea
- structured talk before share out
- sentence stem + prompt from teacher
- public record of previously shared ideas
- directions for share out
- PTT to think about how to build

8) Did you learn anything that would help address our outstanding questions? What are other outstanding questions you have? (E.g. the following questions arose during SD #4)

- We were wondering if we should start a new learning structure like the structured talk at the "what" level to prevent too much confusion about the process (vs. content).
- all of these ideas

ACT

9) What might you try next time to better support these students? Highlight ideas on the driver diagram on page one/ add to the drivers if needed.

- Use same structure so they get practice
- Make sure each partnership has a chance to build on someone else's idea
- If we want sb to compare ideas that aren't their own -> ask separately

atoms don't Δ
 bonds rearrange & form new molecules
 talk about both bonds of atoms & bonds break & reform

question: out to class

Note: This seems to work well for end of unit or use @ beginning of unit

LT:

Bonds breaking, new bonds forming, atoms stay the same but form different molecules

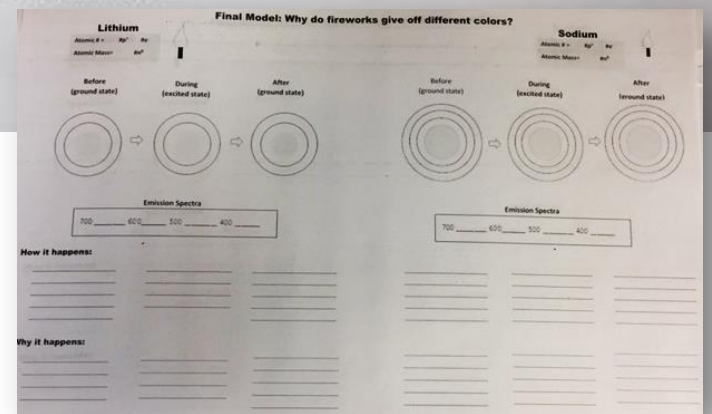
Let's look at some examples...

Peer feedback to deepen written explanations

Peer Feedback Final Model: Why do fireworks give off different colors? **PAGE 1- DO FIRST!!!!**

See the graphic organizer below. Provide feedback to: 1) key concepts/gotta have's and 2) level of explanation. Use sentence starters to ensure you give feedback your peer will use to improve his/her model.

<p>Peer Reviewer:</p> <p>What/How- Modeling and Describing The Parts and Processes. Check off 2 the following you are providing feedback on. I am providing feedback about the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Shows/describes Source of the energy that is absorbed by the electrons. <input type="checkbox"/> Shows Electrons "excited state" and "ground state" <input type="checkbox"/> Shows 3 different versions of electrons in excited state (Li) <input type="checkbox"/> Shows 3 different colors given off by electrons. <input type="checkbox"/> Shows and describes the energy transformations including visible light leaving atoms. <p>Peer Reviewer Feedback: (key concepts) Use AT LEAST 1-2 of the sentence starters below COMPLETELY:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What you <i>show/describe</i> about ____ was <i>clear</i> because you <i>(showed/explained)</i>... I think you can <i>even make it better by</i>... • I think the part you <i>(showed/described)</i> about ____ was either <i>(confusing/not clear/incorrect/missing)</i> because... You can <i>fix this by</i>... 	<p>Author of Model/Explanation:</p> <p>Instructions: Read the Feedback: Key Concepts</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What was the most effective feedback about the key concepts? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The most effective feedback was when my reviewer helped me <i>(add/explain/show)</i>... 2. How will you <i>revise or change</i> your model? - Address the feedback specifically. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I will address this by...
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Practical measures are temporal and co-evolve with practice

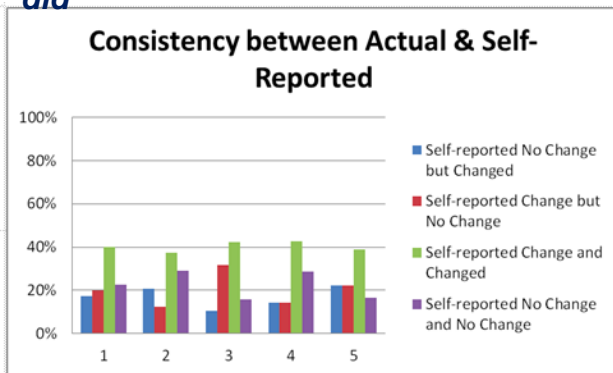


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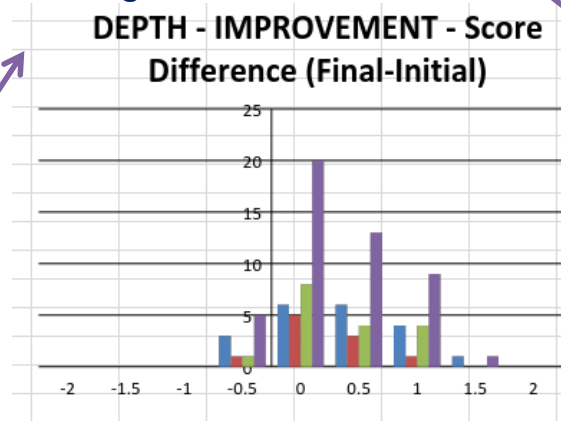
1: Seeing how talk supported students in changing to more "correct" hypotheses

Initially "correct" hypothesis	63	37%
End-of-class "correct" hypothesis	85	49%
Change in Hypothesis	48	28%
Change FROM "correct" hypothesis	13	8%
Change TO "correct" hypothesis	35	20%

2: Considering whether students' self-reports of changes matched what they did



3: Studying the impact of talk on the depth students exhibited in their writing



Peer feedback to deepen written explanations

4: Exploring the kinds of questions students asked each other to deepen thinking

Kinds of Questions	Question Specificity
	31%
Extension	Specific
Evidence	Specific
Press	General
Evidence	General
Press	General
Press	Specific
Press	General
Evidence	General

Questions marked as helping partners most

- What does the hill have to do with water?
- Do you think the fossils are inside the rocks?
- What evidence helps you prove your statement?*

Other questions (somewhat grouped by similarity)

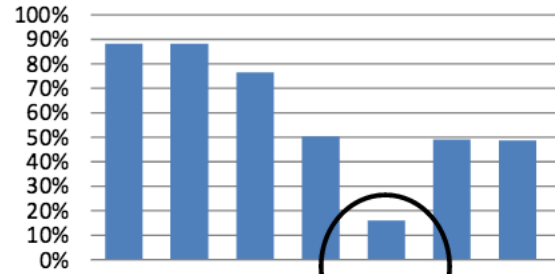
- More evidence. What evidence do you have?*
- What's another letter you would pick? Is there other places you could find fossils? Does any other place have water?
- Explain your model. What is your model about?
- How is the water and rock cycle connected? What is similar from the rock/water cycle?
- Why can't rocks cycle without the water cycle?

Practical measures & networked learning

When you engaged in structured talk with a partner, which of the following did you try? (check ALL that apply)

- I shared my idea
- I listened to my partner's idea
- I agreed with my partner's idea
- I added on to my partner's idea
- I disagreed with my partner's idea
- I used scientific evidence to support my idea
- I asked a clarifying question

- I could voice my partner's idea
- My partner differences
- I used a ser
- Other _____



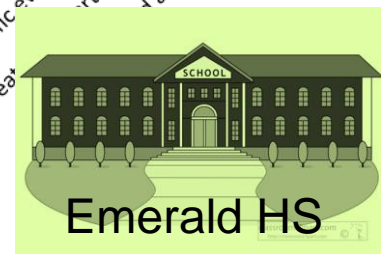
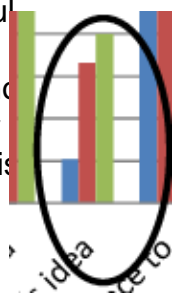
What did you and your partner talk about? Be specific.

My partner and I talked about our hypothesis on our lab and what are the other things went well in my discussion because he other and was able to build off our ideas.

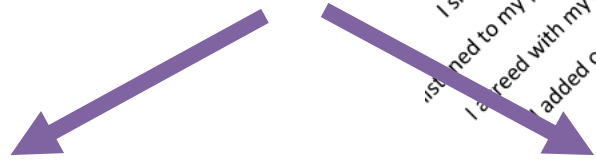
What went well in your discussion? What could have gone better?



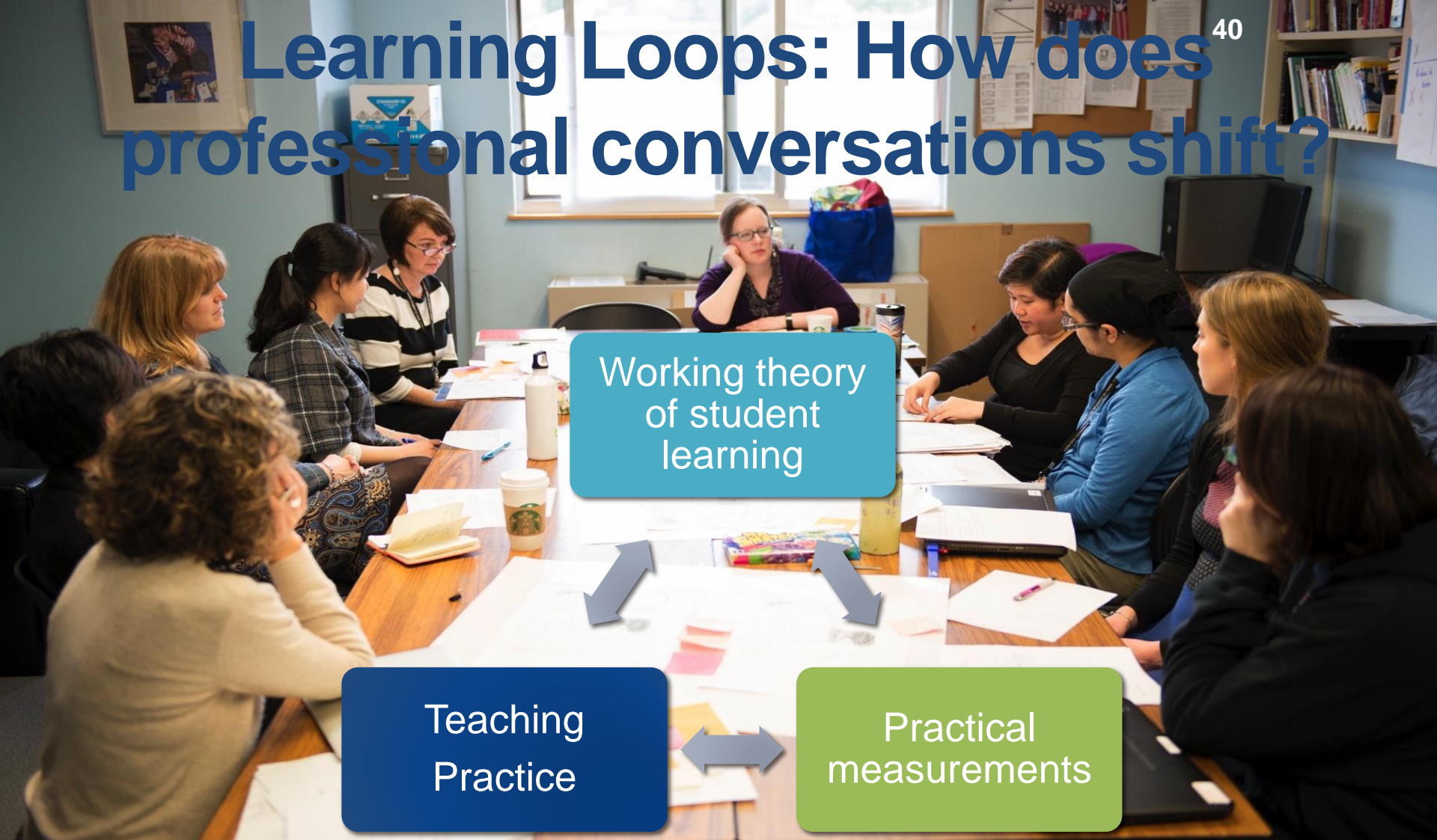
teachers decided to elevate respectful disagreement as a positive thing in science class and to ask students who did so to model their conversation for the class. They continued to track this item over time and saw growth.



teachers dug into why students were not reporting disagreeing with each other's ideas & decided to ask students what they thought disagreeing looked like; students gave a range of responses (e.g., "cursing!"). This gave teachers an entry point for talking about disagreeing in science and in every day terms.



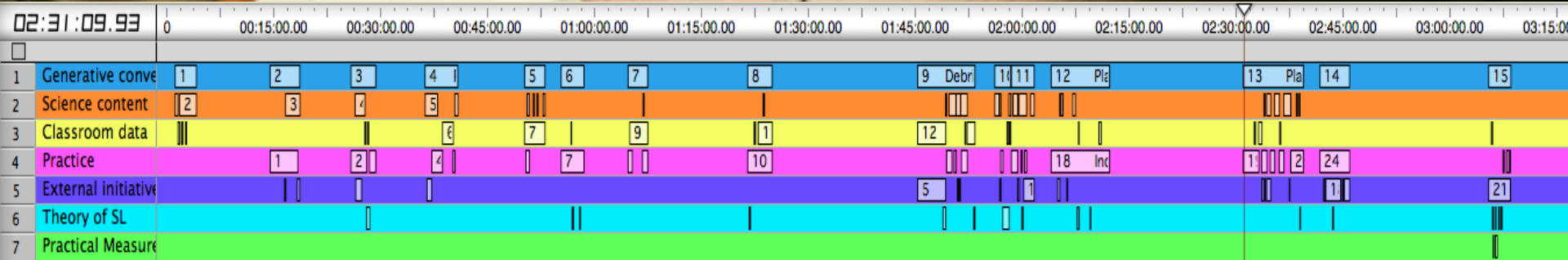
Learning Loops: How does professional conversations shift?



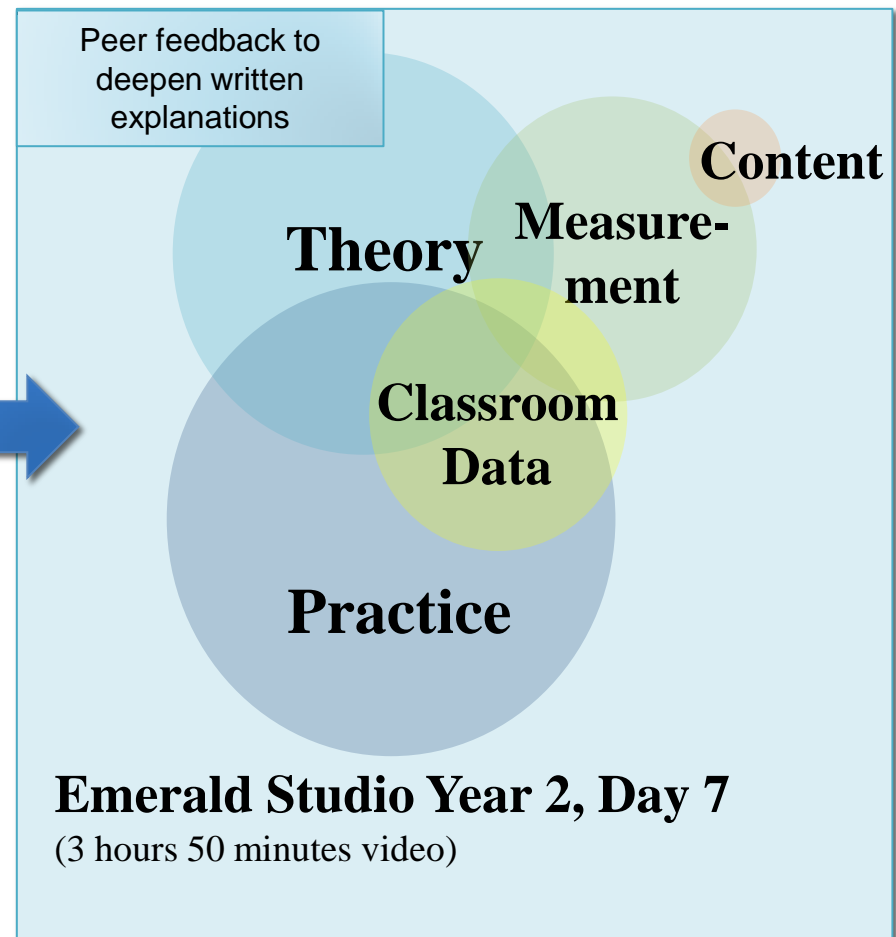
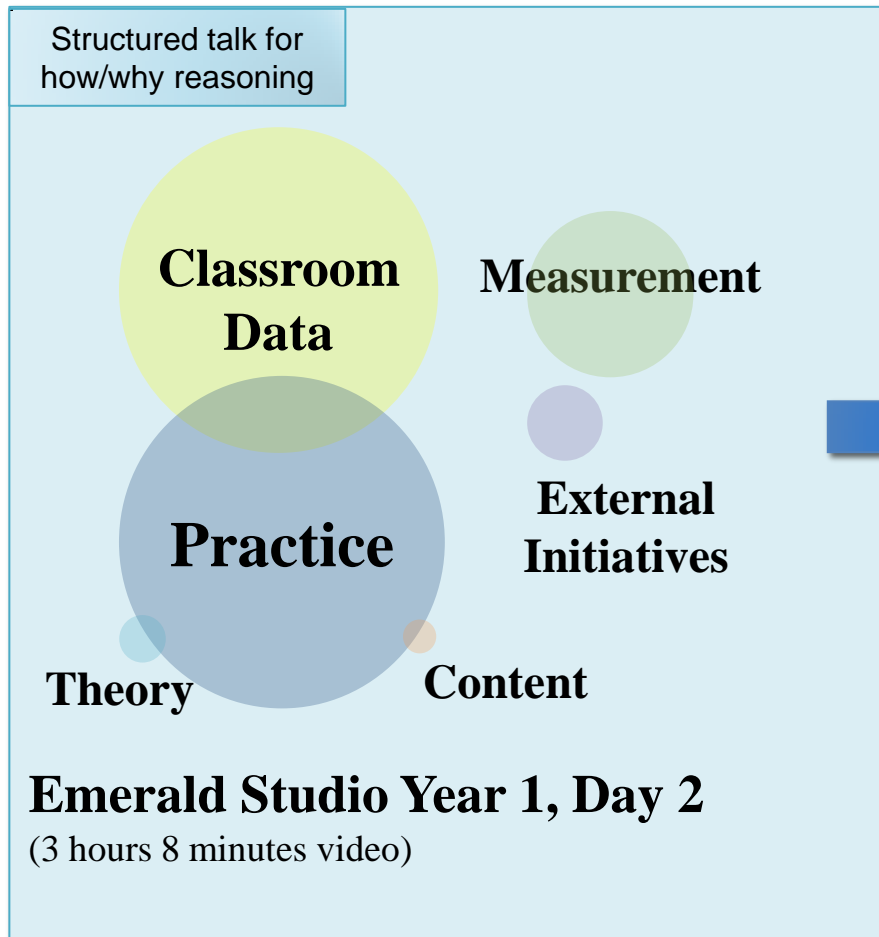
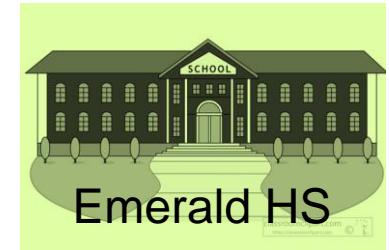
Working theory of student learning

Teaching Practice

Practical measurements



Practical measures, professional conversations & practice development



Practical measures, professional conversations & practice development

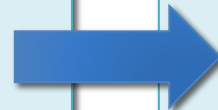


**Classroom
Data**

Practice

Riverside Studio Year 1, Day 1

(3 hrs 15 min of video)



Peer feedback
to deepen
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**Classroom
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Practice

**Measure-
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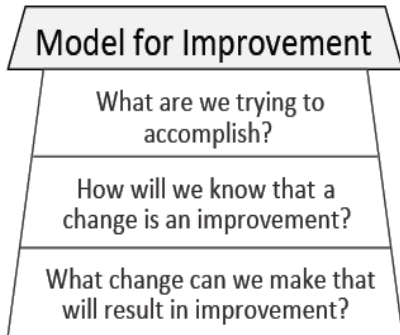
**External
Initiatives**

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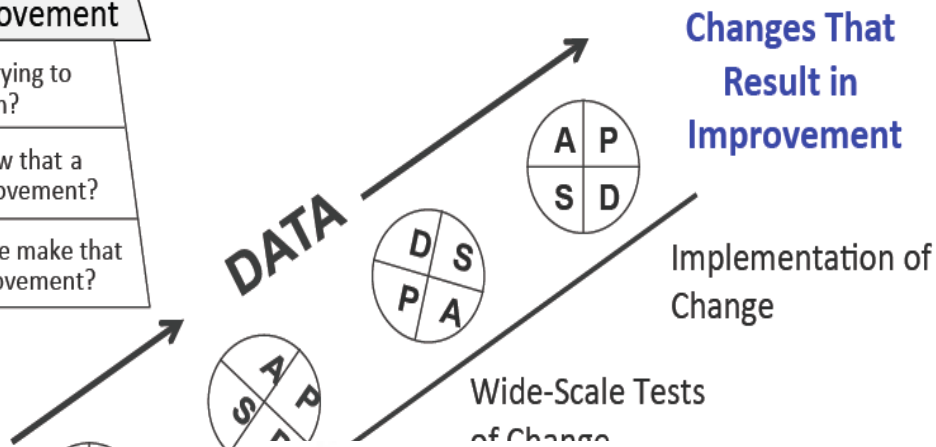
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Concluding thoughts...

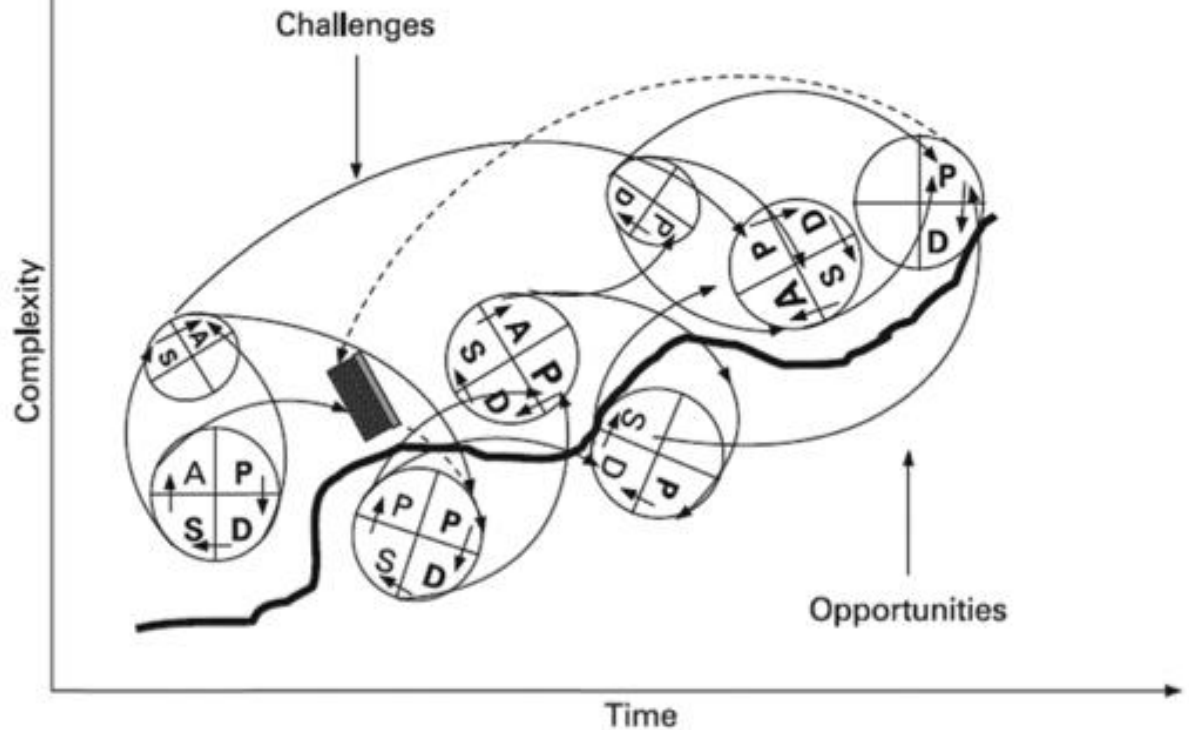
- Balance of multiple aims
 - Temporal dimensions
 - Cognitive, affective dimensions
 - Collective, individual
 - Perspective of multiple role actors
- Studying adaptation
 - Co-evolution of practical measures with practice



Hunches
Theories
Ideas

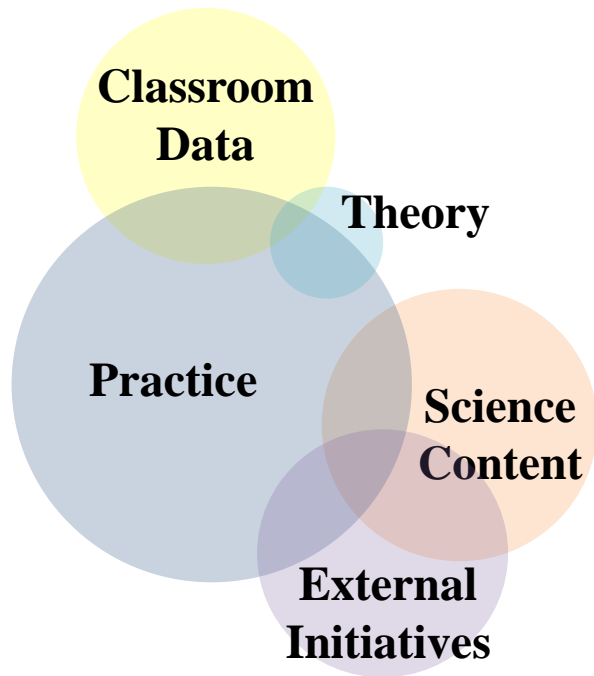


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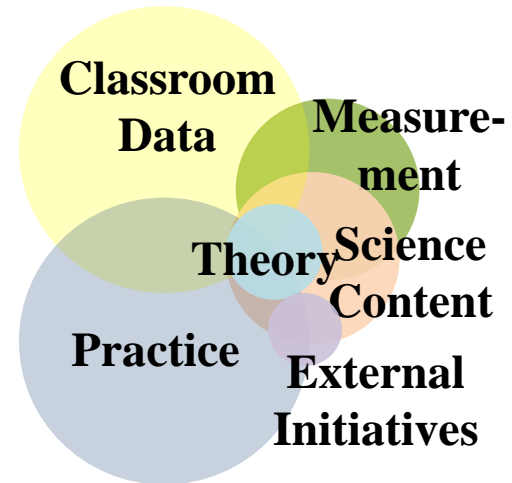


Your participation...

- What are some of the tensions & challenges in developing & using practical measures that you see?



Salmon Studio Year 1, Day 1
(3 hrs 15 min of video)



Salmon Studio Year 2, Day 7
(2 hrs 52 min of video)

Which Hypothesis do you agree with the most?

(You can pick more than one)

- Wolves change themselves to fit the environment.
- Wolves bred with other animals, mixing DNA to make new animals.
- Mutations occurred in the wolf's DNA, causing the differences
- Dogs have two parents so every generation just naturally gets more and more different over time.

Revise/Rewrite the hypothesis you picked based on what you learned

You can combine two or more of the hypothesis.

Pick at least two activities that support your new hypothesis

- dog breeding game
- mating game
- Punnett squares
- Interactive movie
- Other

Explain using science words how these activities supported your hypothesis

