Preparing Teachers to Design 5D Tasks to Support and Assess Science Learning

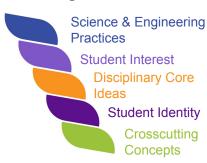
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Supporting secondary rural science teachers to shift to 5D instruction & assessment through an online, co-adapted course

5D Science Teaching & Learning involves



INITIAL FINDINGS

Unique Aspects of Rural Science Teaching

- 1. Community, small classes, outdoor resources
- 2. Limited resources, changing population, conservative climate

Reported 5D Instruction

- 3. Broad efforts to align
- 4. Less attention to student interest & identity

Curricular & Assessment Resources

- 5. Autonomy in generating "aligned" resources
- 6. Less familiar with 3D assessment

PL Experiences & Preferences

7. Desire science-specific PL with knowledgeable facilitators, sensitive to local context

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PROJECT PHASES

- 1) Teacher Survey, Focus Groups
- 2) Course Design & Pilot
- 3) Experimental Impact Study





COURSE DESCRIPTION

Developing 5D Vision for Science Teaching and Learning

- 1: Vision for meaningful science learning
- 2: What does 5D science learning look like in classrooms?
- 3: Reflect on current practice 4: Guidance from the standards

Choosing phenomenon to frame instruction and assessment

- 5: Using phenomena
- 6: Choosing phenomena
- 7: Developing assessment scenarios

Developing & using tasks to assess student 5D understanding

- 8: Developing prompts
- 9: Assessing student learning
- 10: Accessibility
- 11: Application to practice



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