

**WEEK 1: INTRODUCTION** 

THE EVOLVING LEARNER
CYCLE OF INQUIRY:
FOCUS, LEARN, REFINE
REFLECT





HOW CAN YOU USE
THE EVOLVING
LEARNER INQUIRY
CYCLE?

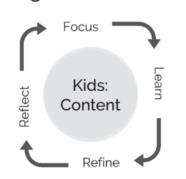


WE DO NOT NEED TO WAIT FOR A COMPLETE SYSTEMIC CHANGE IN ORDER TO SIGNIFICANTLY ALTER THE WAY WE RUN SCHOOLS AND CLASSROOMS. WE ALL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE INQUIRY-DRIVEN, CONSTANTLY LEARNING FROM KIDS, PEERS, AND THE WORLD (PAGE 12)

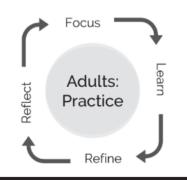


#### (ONSIDER THIS:

Kids are engaged in a cycle of inquiry for deeper learning of the content.



Adults are engaged in a cycle of inquiry to improve their practice.





ORGANIZATION OF THE BOOK:

LEARNING FROM KIDS,

LEARNING FROM PEERS,

AND LEARNING FROM THE WORLD



WEEK 2: CHAPTER 1 PAGES 15-31

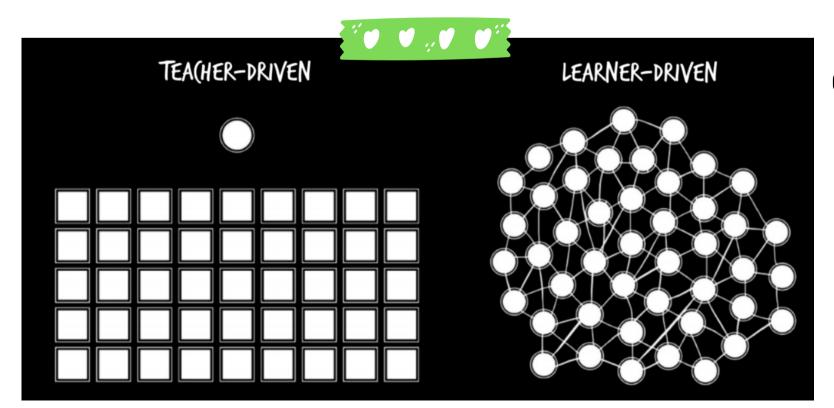


TAKEAWAY
WHAT'S ONE
WAY YOU CAN
LEARN FROM
KIDS?

KIDS TRULY ARE THE MOST PRECIOUS, ABUNDANT, AND UNDERUTILIZED RESOURCE IN EVERY CLASSROOM.

THEY ARE ALSO CRITICAL TO PERSONALIZING LEARNING FOR TEACHERS.





"As children, we have a tenuous idea of love; we often try to quantify it with how much we feel seen and heard" - Adora (14 years old)





WEEK 3: CHAPTER 1 PAGES 32-50

We believe that all kids can learn, and all kids can teach.



SHIFTING FROM STUDENTS WHO CONSUME CONTENT TO LEARNERS WHO CREATE CONTENT.



#### TAKEAWAY

PICK ONE LESSON TO LET THE KIDS TEACH. SHARE YOUR EXPERIENCE.



WEEK 4: CHAPTER 1 PAGES 51-67

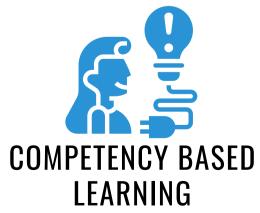
Personalizing the Learning

#### WHAT DO KIDS HOPE TO FEEL AT S(HOOL?

Energized and motivated
Empowered and inspired
Happy and excited
Passionate and purposeful
Respected and valued









#### **TAKEAWAY**



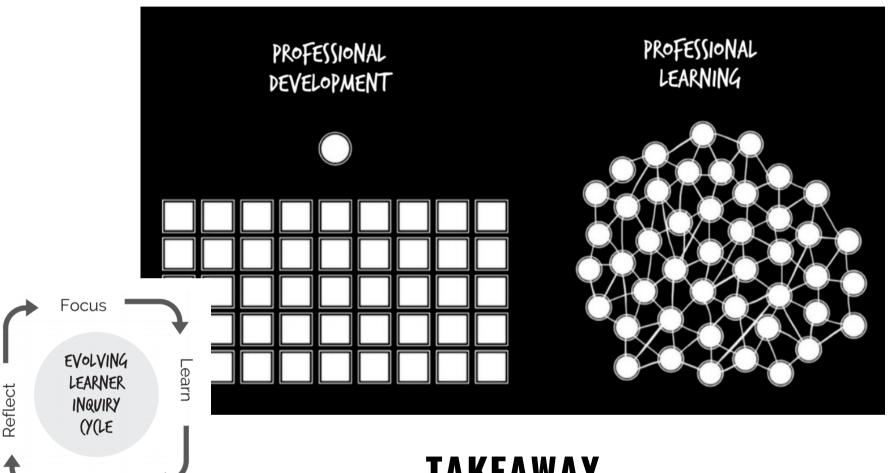


Refine

## **EVOLVING LEARNER**

WEEK 5: CHAPTER 2 PAGES 68-82

Teaching is all about responding to your **learners' needs** and professional learning should be about responding to **teachers' needs**.



#### TAKEAWAY

WHAT IS YOUR PROFESSIONAL LEARNING NEED? SUPPORT ON WORKING WITH A STUDENT WITH BEHAVIORS? SUPPORT ON TEACHING A NEW CONCEPT? SUPPORT IN GETTING STUDENTS TO PROGRESS?

PICK ONE AND ASK A PEER FOR SUPPORT (TEAMMATE, TEACHER, COACH, ADMIN, SOCIAL MEDIA).



# **EVOLVING LEARNER**WEEK 6: CHAPTER 2 PAGES 83-98

TEACHERS HAVE TO BE ABLE TO TRUST EACH OTHER TO

BE VULNERABLE ABOUT THEIR KIDS' LEARNING, AND THEY

HAVE TO BE WILLING TO GET PAST THE IDEA OF "MY KIDS"

AND TRUST THAT IT IS THE TEAM'S KIDS.

#### **Professional Learning Communities**

- Create a trusting environment by starting each meeting with a mindfulness activity
- Ground the meeting in inquiry
  - Focus, Learn, Refine, Reflect





#### Instructional Coaching

- Why: Builds self-efficacy
- How: Relationship, Inquiry, Choice
- Get creative: Video coaching, Micro-credential process



#### **TAKEAWAY**

WHEN ENTERING ANY MEETING -

START IT WITH A MINDFULNESS ACTIVITY (EVEN IF IT IS BY YOURSELF).





WEEK 7: CHAPTER 2 PAGES 99-123

social emotional learning

identify feelings

**AFFIRMATIONS** 

mindfulness

CALM CALENDAR GETTING (ONNE(TED)

and

BEING HEARD

calm jars

THE STORY I'M MAKING UP

5-2-5 breathing

zones of regulation

**BRAIN BREAKS** 

**Empathy** 

# TAKE A MOMENT TO PLAY



TAKEAWAY

FLIP TO PAGES 106 - 112

PICK ONE NEW THING TO TRY.



WEEK 8: CHAPTER 3 PAGES 125-140



DEVELOP YOUR TRIBE

**SOCIAL MEDIA** 



**SHARING YOUR STORY** 

**CONNECTING** 

#### **TAKEAWAY**

GO TO THE EVOLVING LEARNER WEBSITE TO TAKE THE QUIZ "WHAT TYPE OF TEACHER ARE YOU?"





WEEK 9: CHAPTER 3 PAGES 141-156

# NAVIGATING IT ALL







**FILTER** 

**EDIT** 

# HOW CAN WE EVAPORATE SOME OF THE SOCIAL MEDIA OCEAN INTO A MANAGEABLE PROFESSIONAL LEARNING POND?

**FOCUS** 

BALANCE



TAKEAWAY

TURN TO PAGES 146-147 AND EXPLORE ONE #.