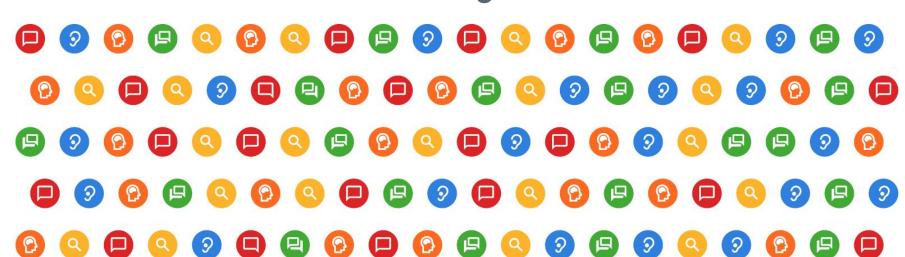
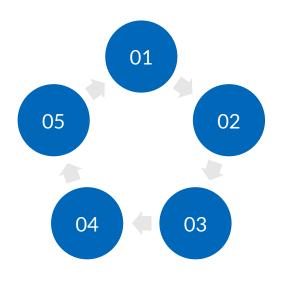
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Team Meeting Facilitation Guide Protocols for Looking at Student Work



Protocol #1: Learning from Student Work

Adapted from National School Reform Faculty Atlas Learning From Student Work Protocol



Presenter Selects Student Work

Choose an assignment that involves a lot of student thinking and gives students freedom as how they approach the task.

Share and Discuss Student Work

Facilitator structures the dialogue with guided, pointed questions and time guidelines.

Reflect: Looking for Evidence of Student Thinking

Facilitator Guides: What did you learn about the student and how he or she thinks/learns? What did you see in the student work that was interesting or surprising?

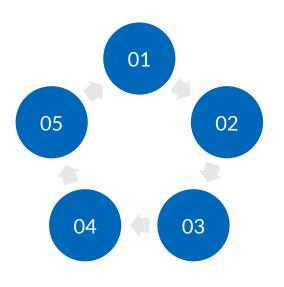
Reflect: Listening to Colleagues

Facilitator Guides: What new perspectives did you learn from your colleagues? How can you make use of your colleagues' perspectives?

Reflect: Thinking About Your Own Thinking
Facilitator Guides: What questions about your teaching and assessing do you have? What will you try based on what you learned?

Protocol #2: Consultancy

Adapted from National School Reform Faculty Consultancy Protocol



Present Student Work

The presenter shares an overview of the student work and highlights concerns. The presenter poses a framing question for the group.

Examine and Clarify Student Work

The participants examine the student work and ask clarifying questions only to the presenter.

Ask Probing Questions

The participants ask probing questions of the presenter so that the presenter can better understand their initial question and goals of the session.

Discuss Student Work

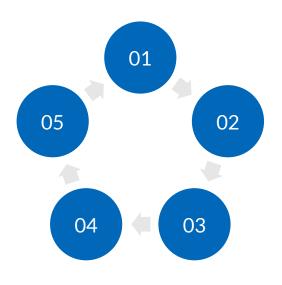
The participants discuss the student work in light of the questions and answers. The presenter is silent but listens to commentary from the group, while taking notes.

Respond and Reflect

The presenter shares major themes heard from the group and reflects upon the commentary as it relates to his or her practice.

Protocol #3: Tuning Protocol

Adapted from National School Reform Faculty Tuning Protocol



Present Student Work

The presenter shares student work and the question or problem of practice that they have.

Ask Clarifying Questions

The participants ask clarifying questions.

Examine Student Work

The participants look closely at the student work, silently, and take notes based on the context that the presenter shared.

Provide Warm/Cool Feedback

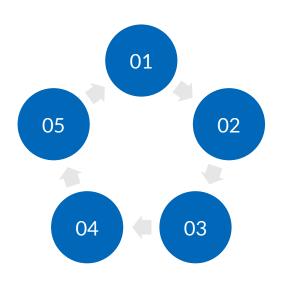
The participants pause to take notes of warm and cool feedback and then share out to the whole group.

Reflect

The presenter shares his or her thoughts based on the feedback and commentary by the participants.

Protocol #4: Slice

Adapted from National School Reform Faculty Slice Protocol



Determine the Purpose of the Slice (small piece of data)

What is a common problem or practice? What is the piece of data (or slice) that you are focusing on?

Create a Guiding Question

Formulate a guiding question for your slice analysis.

Determine the Sampling and Methodology of the Slice

How will you sample? What methods will you use to analyze the slice to address the guiding question?

Interrogate the Slice

Once you have your data, interrogate the slice. Some suggestions are: lead a Socratic Seminar; have a discussion based on guiding questions; split up the components of the slice for small group discussion.

Respond and Reflect

What has the group learned and what will they do next?