EMBEDDED COACHING REFLECTION

Complete each section that represents the session you attended.

SCHOOL Ingram Pye Elementary School	
DATE 11-3-17	
VISIT FOCUS	
☑Collaborative Team Time	
(Principal Collaboration)	
☐ Leadership/Guiding Coalition Meeting	
Team Focus	Leadership/Guiding Coalition Focus
Circle Grade: PreK K 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	
□Math	
□Reading	□Data Analysis
□Intervention	⊠□PD Planning
☐Common Formative Assessments	□ Team Reflections
□Data Analysis	□Other
⊠ Instructional Practices	
□ Other _especially engagement	
strategies	
Team Discussions	Leadership/Guiding Coalition Discussion
Discussions with first grade were and the	Discussions with admin team centered around
beginning level because both teachers observed	lack of consistency of practice with engagement
were brand new teachers. Many of the strategies	practices. We also noted during observations of
mentioned were brand new to those teachers.	collaborative planning that common assessment
	formation is still at the beginning stages. Basic
	question is how to support this work to yield our
	desired results.
Next Steps	Next Steps
	1) Shift from asking open-ended questions to
	asking engagement questions
	2) Continue asking how can 100% of students
	be engaged 100% of the time. Lead teams
	to school wide commitment of high impact
	strategy use and recording effort in lesson
	plans.
	3) Create, administer and analyze 1 common
	formative assessment
	4) For each to share at least 5-minute video
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	of their classroom instruction and have

REFLECTION: What did I learn? Based on what I learned, what will have the greatest impact on student learning?

What I learned was that we have multiple practices in place such as instructional framework, engagement strategies, learning assessment cycle, higher order thinking questions, differentiation etc. The challenge is that we have learned about the strategies but we are not implementing them well. There is clearly a knowing-doing gap. The greatest impact on student learning is for the teachers to increase their efficacy in a few areas and do them well. We have decided to implement a school wide focus on the same engagement strategies and developing common assessments.

NEXT STEPS: What are the actions needed before next coaching meeting?

Actions needed are to determine school wide engagement strategies. Increase knowledge of those determined strategies and implement monitoring plan to make sure strategies are documented in lesson plans and used as tools during instruction.

AGENDA ITEMS: Topics for next coaching visit.

Topics for next coaching visit are:

- Using engagement strategies as formative assessments, linking engagement strategies to assessment types.
- Developing common assessments based upon scaffold learning targets.
- Data analysis of CA's.