

Teacher Team Self-Assessment

Rating	Components
Prepare for Success	
	We meet regularly (e.g., weekly) to discover key opportunities for improvement and solutions
	Roles and responsibilities are assigned to team members
	Agreed-upon norms and protocols are implemented to ensure productivity and build trusting relationships
	We use an agenda so that the focus is clear and the team remains on target throughout the meeting
Set Goals	
	We defined clear mastery and growth goals by which to gauge progress throughout the year
Develop Standards-Aligned Assessments	
	We identify and create timely, relevant, and valid interim and formative assessments to determine each student's proficiency on standards, the strengths and weaknesses of the team's instructional approaches, and progress toward goals
Analyze Assessment Results	
	Data being analyzed (both qualitative and quantitative) is relevant to the school's strategy and priorities
	Data is being used appropriately given the assessment (e.g. benchmark assessments used to show mastery, not growth)
	Data we examine are timely and allow us to look forward (e.g. analyzing Scantron data immediately after test completion to understand which skills may need to be revisited and which skills students already mastered)
	Key questions are structured in advance of meetings and help us systematically consider root causes
	Questions focus on factors in sphere of control, determining what teacher actions led to student outcomes to identify root causes
Adjust Instruction	
	Our action items clearly address specific root causes of key performance issues
	Action items focus on improvements to the instructional core by reviewing curriculum and enhancing instruction as part of a process of continuous improvement
	Action items have an owner who has the ability, time, resources, and authority to execute the item
	Action items have a reasonable deadline given the complexity and scope of the proposed activity
Monitor Impact	
	We have a process for monitoring action items generated from our meetings
	We have an efficient tool for tracking success of action items
Transparency	
	All adults in the building, as well as parents, are informed of key school and student data regularly during the school year
	We know how each others' students are doing (based on student data) and the practices we have used to get these results
Collaborative Learning	
	We confront low student performance with a professional tone that is focused on helping students learn
	We celebrate small wins and improvements in student achievement
	All team members are engaged in asking questions and actively participating in meetings
	All team members "own" their data and openly accept insights from others