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Reflection Protocol

Presenting Teacher

Critical
Friend review

As the Presenting Teacher (SBA Designer)...

- Present a summary of your SBA to the group.
- Identify the focus for the discussion.

After you, as presenting teacher, have shared this information with the group, you DO NOT participate in the discussion. Listen to the discussion and take notes on the most significant comments. It may be helpful to turn your chair away from the group.

- Reflect aloud on team member discussion.

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Reflection Protocol

Moderator

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The Moderator...

- Your main job as moderator is to ensure that the group follows the protocol process.
- Make sure all team members stay on topic and provide the type of feedback needed for the discussion.

Steps in Critical Friends Protocol:

- Presentation (*presenting teacher*)
- Clarification (*all - no feedback at this time*)
- Think time and Feedback (*non-presenting teachers*)
 - "I like"
 - "I wonder"
- Reflection (*presenting teacher*)
- "I have" (*all - share additional ideas*)

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Reflection Protocol Team Member

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The Team Members ...

- Listen to the presenting teacher(s).
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