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1249(3)(a) Research Base

- → Research and Development of 5 Dimensions of Teaching and LearningTM instructional framework and 5D+TM Teacher Evaluation
- → Research for 5D+ Teacher Evaluation Rubric
- → Teacher Evaluation Research

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1249(3)(b) Identity and Qualifications of Authors

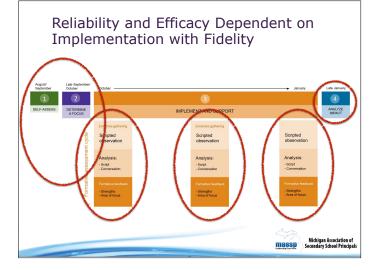
- The University of Washington's Center for Educational Leadership (CEL) Teacher Evaluation System provides research-based methods and instruments to:
 - Plan and implement a growth-oriented teacher evaluation system focused on high- quality learning.
 - → Develop a common language and shared vision for improving teaching and learning using an instructional framework.
 - Analyze and calibrate evaluation ratings across classrooms, schools and districts using an evaluation rubric.
 - Increase the expertise of school leaders to guide and support the professional growth of teachers.
- → About CEL
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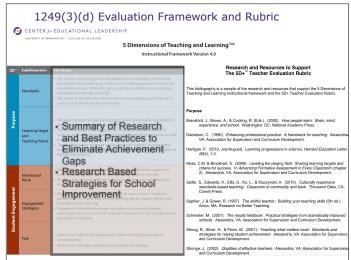
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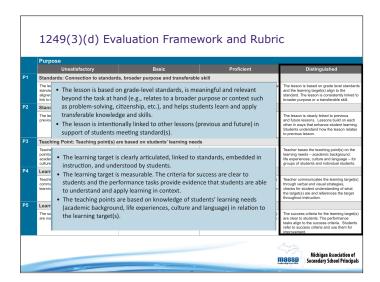
1249(3)(c) Evidence of Reliability, Validity and Efficacy

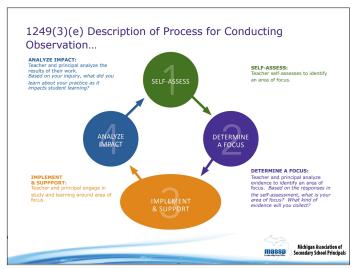
- **Validity**: the accuracy of an assessment -- whether or not it measures what it is supposed to measure.
 - → Does the 5D+ Teacher Evaluation Rubric accurately measure a teachers effectiveness?
 - Yes, when a teacher's professional practice rating is derived from the entire 5D+ Rubric (all indicator ratings, leading to dimension ratings, leading to a professional practice rating)
- Reliability: the degree to which an assessment tool produces stable and consistent results.
 - → Does the 5D+ Teacher Evaluation Rubric and 5D+ Inquiry Cycle produce stable and consistent results?
 - Yes, if an evaluator accurately scores each indicator based on the preponderance of evidence (considering growth over time) from 4-6 observations that are approximately 15 minutes in length.
- Efficacy: capacity to produce a desired result or effect; effectiveness
 - Does the 5D+ Teacher Evaluation Rubric and Inquiry Process improve teachers professional practice and impact student learning?
 - Yes, if an observer and/or evaluator provides the particular type of leadership articulated in the framework training through the 5D+ Inquiry Process.

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1249(3)(e) Description of Process for Conducting Observation, Collecting Evidence.... (Step 3)

- Script Collect specific and descriptive evidence.
 - The purpose of scripting is to create a data log/running record of what the teacher said and did, what students said and did, classroom layout/postings on the walls, etc.; all connected to the instructional core.
- Code Align evidence from script to specific indicators that will be evaluated
 - → The purpose of coding is to identify and label evidence of practice for each rubric indicator. When an observer finds an example of an indicator, s/he writes that indictor code (i.e., CEC1) next to the script that is evidence of that indicator.
- Notice / Wonder Identify/highlight evidence and pose questions related to a teacher's area of focus.
 - → The purpose of noticings/wonderings is to initiate (serve as the basis of) conversation with a teacher around their area of focus, in order to collect additional evidence needed for formative feedback.
- **Analyze** Sort evidence of practice into three categories: what the teacher "can do", is on the "verge of", and "far from."
 - → The purpose of analyzing evidence is to to identify a teacher's zone of proximal development in preparation to provide formative feedback.
- → Feedback Provide teacher formative feedback
 - → The purpose of formative feedback is to recognize/affirm practices in place based on what the teacher "Can do" from across the rubric and provide short-term coaching points based on what the teacher is on the "Verges of" being able to do specific to the teacher's area of focus.

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1249(3)(e) Description of Process for ... Conducting Evaluation Conferences... (Step 4)

- At the conclusion of the first inquiry cycle (typically in January), each teacher and his/her evaluator will meet for a mid-year inquiry conference. As part of the mid-year review, the teacher and evaluator will:
 - → Review the growth plan (IDP, PDG, etc.)
 - → Examine student and teacher data
 - → Analyze the impact of the data.
 - → Discuss teacher growth using the 5D+ rubric.
 - Decide whether to continue the same inquiry and/or identify new area(s) of focus for the next inquiry cycle.
 - Note: For teachers with an IDP, Michigan law requires that the evaluator set specific performance goals for the remainder of the year and write an improvement plan, in consultation with the teacher, that includes any recommended professional development, instructional support and/or coaching to achieve performance goals.

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- At the conclusion of the second inquiry cycle (typically in May), evaluators will meet with each teacher for an evaluation conference. As part of the end-of-year inquiry conference, the teacher and principal will:
 - → Review the growth plan (IDP, PDG, etc.)
 - → Examine student and teacher data
 - Analyze the impact of the data.
 - Discuss teacher growth using the 5D+ rubric.
 - Decide whether to continue the same inquiry and/or identify new area(s) of focus for the next inquiry cycle.
 - Note: Michigan law requires that evaluators draft an IDP for the next school year for a teacher rated ineffective or minimally. This IDP must include specific performance goals and any recommended professional development, instructional support and/or coaching to achieve performance goals. This may not be necessary if the evaluator recommends the teacher not continue.



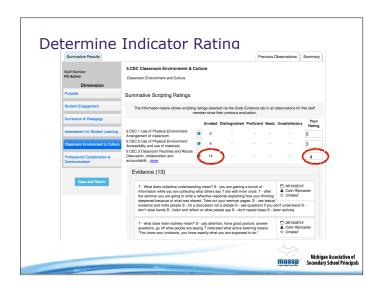
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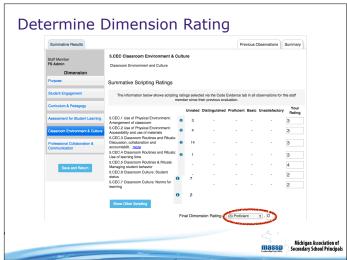
1249(3)(e) Description of Process....Developing Performance Ratings....

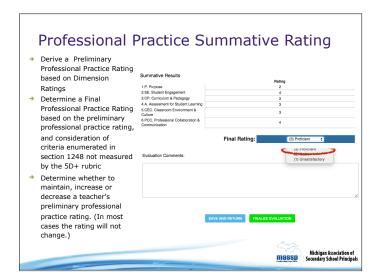
- Step 1 Determine an Indicator Score (Process one indicator at a time)
- Step 2 Determine a Dimension Rating
- Step 3 Determine a 5D+ Summative Rating
- Step 4 Determine a Professional Practice Rating
 - Based on the preliminary professional practice rating, and consideration of criteria enumerated in section 1248 not measured by the 5D+ rubric, an evaluator uses professional judgment to determine whether to maintain, increase or decrease a teacher's preliminary professional practice rating.
 - The teacher's inability to withstand the strain of teaching, attendance and/or disciplinary record, if any, may reduce the professional practice rating.
 - Relevant accomplishments and contributions, if any, may increase the professional practice rating.
 - Special training, if any, may increase the professional practice rating.
 - Note: This factor shall be based on completion of relevant training other than the professional development or continuing education that is required by the employer or by state law, and integration of that training into instruction in a meaningful way.
- Step 5 Determine Student Growth Rating: Examine multiple measures of student growth, and derive a student growth rating.
- Step 6 Determine Effectiveness Rating: Aggregate Professional Practice (75%) and Student Growth (25%) ratings to calculate a raw score.

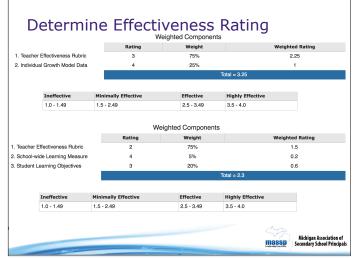


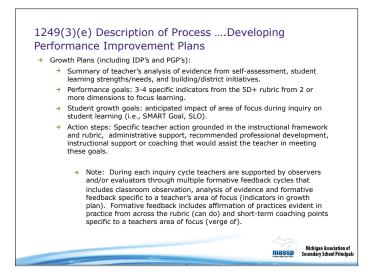
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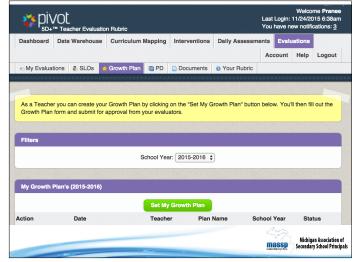


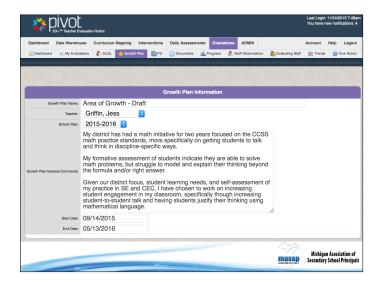


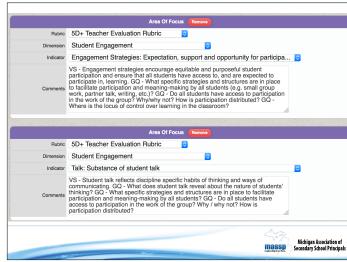


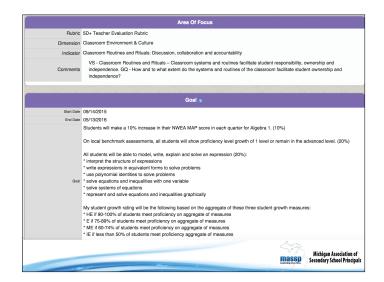


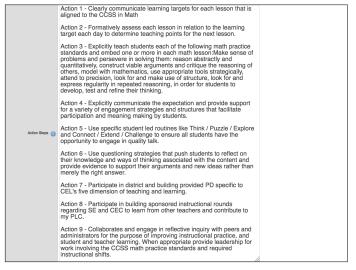


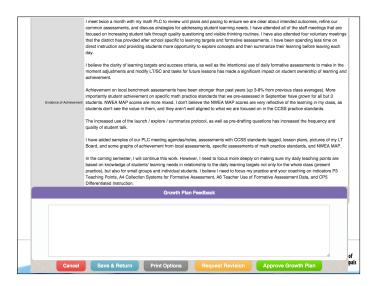












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Following the Webinar

- → PDF of Presentation
- → Link to Web Posting
- → Review Copy of Web posting for internal use only
- → In the coming month:
 - → Side by Side of Statute and CEL Teacher Evaluation System
 - → Draft Model Teacher Evaluation Handbook
 - → Sample ISD Training Grant Service Agreement for CEL and MASSP Training Services



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Questions and Reminders

- The purpose of evaluation goes beyond quality control.
- The overarching mission should be to promote professional growth and inquiry that leads to improved practice and student achievement.
- Joint MASA/MASSP Educator Effectiveness Conference on April 29 @Lansing Radisson (8 am-4 pm)



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