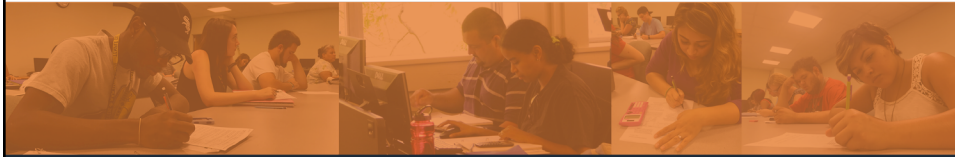




Harness the Waves of Change with Innovation Configuration Maps

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Lights! Camera! Action!

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Nearly **1,000 Louisiana teacher-leaders and mentors** received **capacity-building support** from our professional learning facilitators.

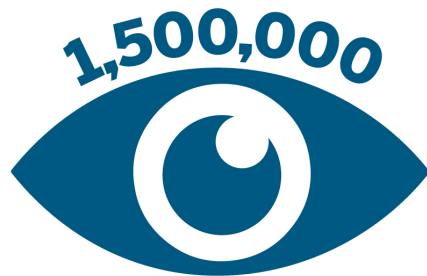


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Downloads of **free resources** for elementary and secondary classrooms from **Inside Mathematics**.

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People who viewed **MathCuts**—**quick, engaging strategies** for K–6 classroom teachers—on Facebook.

Learning Objectives



Explore NCTM's *Principles to Actions* Mathematics Teaching Practices.



Examine Innovation Configuration maps.



Complete a Virtual Classroom walk-through using www.insidemathematics.org.

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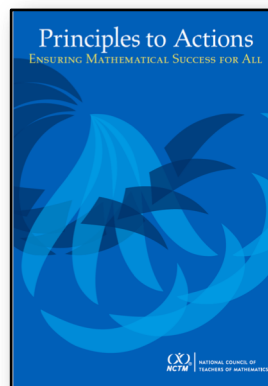
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Effective Teaching and Learning

An excellent mathematics program requires effective teaching that engages students in meaningful learning through individual and collaborative experiences that promote their ability to make sense of mathematical ideas and reason mathematically.



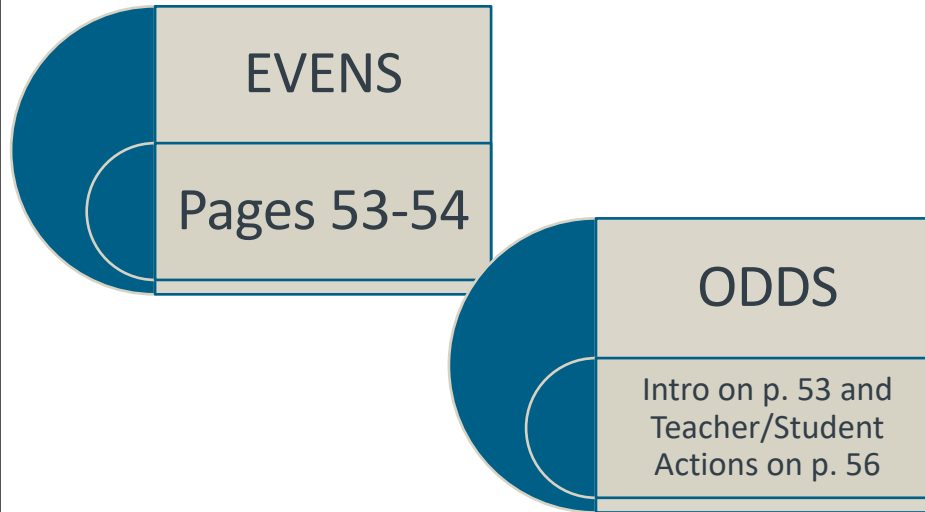
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Effective Mathematics Teaching Practices

- Establish mathematics **goals** to focus learning.
- Implement tasks that promote reasoning and problem solving.
- Use and connect mathematical representations.
- Facilitate meaningful mathematical discourse.
- Pose purposeful questions.
- Build procedural fluency from conceptual understanding.
- Support productive struggle in learning mathematics.
- Elicit and use evidence of student thinking.

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Look at MTP 8: Elicit and Use Evidence of Student Thinking



Mathematics Teaching Practices - Jigsaw

- Independently read your assigned pages.
- Discuss with your colleagues what seems critical about that practice.
- Be prepared to share your findings with the other group and to learn from the other group.

These teaching practices represent the kind of instruction that supports greater student achievement.

Elicit and Use Evidence of Student Thinking

Effective teaching of mathematics uses evidence of student thinking to assess progress toward mathematical understanding and to adjust instruction continually in ways that support and extend learning.

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Innovation Configuration

Change...

...is a **PROCESS**, not an event.

...is accomplished by **INDIVIDUALS** first, then systems.

...is a highly **PERSONAL** experience.

...requires **GROWTH** in feelings and skills.

Individuals implement change in different configurations – or operational forms.

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Innovation Configuration Maps

An IC map presents carefully developed word-pictures of selected components of an innovation, or change, and the different **operational forms** that may exist.

IC maps are for shared learning.

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Innovation Configuration Maps



Innovation Configuration Maps

Innovation Configuration Maps: Clarifying Teaching

Principles to Actions Mathematics Teaching Practice 8

Elicit and use evidence of student thinking. (Elicit evidence of student thinking; Interpret evidence of student thinking; Respond to evidence of student thinking.)

| Level 1 | Level 2 | Level 3 | Level 4 | Level 5 |
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Innovation Configuration Maps: Clarifying Learning

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Elicit and use evidence of student thinking. (Explicitly communicate their own mathematical reasoning and methods; Adjust methods and reasoning; Explicitly respond to mathematical reasoning and methods of others.)

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| <p>Students attend to their own learning as they:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explain, represent, and justify math understanding, reasoning, and methods—verbally, in written work, or using concrete models. Reveal understanding by making revisions to methods. | <p>Students attend to their own learning as they:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explain and represent math understanding, reasoning, and methods—verbally, in written work, or using concrete models. Reveal understanding by making revisions to methods. | <p>Students attend to their own learning as they:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explain or represent solutions verbally, in written work, or in concrete models. | <p>Students attend to their own learning as they:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explain or represent solutions verbally, in written work, or in concrete models. Represent solutions verbally, in written work, or in concrete models. | <p>Students attend to their own learning as they:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Represent solutions verbally, in written work, or in concrete models. |

Students contribute to the learning of their classmates as they:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ask and answer clarifying and advancing questions in response to the mathematical reasoning and methods of others. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ask clarifying questions and/or respond to methods of others. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ask for correct answers or methods. |
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Evaluates any current mathematical understanding, both correct and incorrect.

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Innovation Configuration Maps

Elements of Innovation Configuration Maps: Components

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Elements of Innovation Configuration Maps: Dimensions

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Elements of Innovation Configuration Maps: Variations

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Elements of Innovation Configuration Maps: Footnotes

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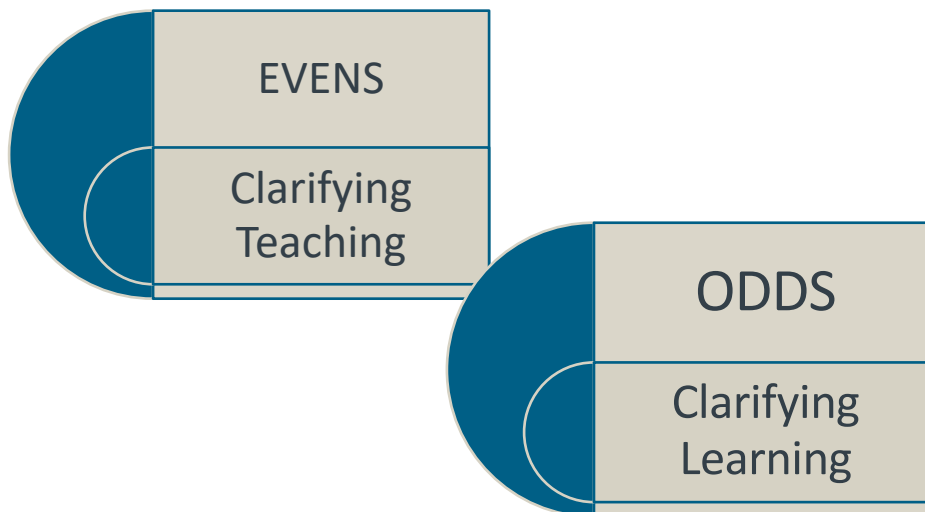
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Virtual Walk-Through: Inside Mathematics

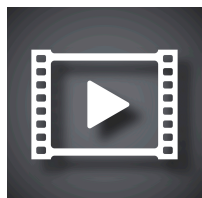


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What IC map descriptors do you see evident in the video?

Be specific in your observations.

IC Maps

Clarifying Learning

What did you notice about...

- how students revealed their mathematical understanding and reasoning?
- how students reflected on their mistakes and misconceptions?
- Assessed and monitored their own progress?

Clarifying Teaching

What did you notice about...

- how the teacher elicits evidence of student thinking at strategic points during the lesson?
- how the teacher made in-the-moment decisions on how to respond to students?

Applications of Innovation Configuration Maps

How could you and your staff apply IC maps as part of your ongoing efforts to improve teaching and learning?

- Build shared learning
- Support peer observations
- Clarify classroom observations for leaders
- Plan implementation supports
- Facilitate coaching conversations
- Support self-reflection

How can IC maps improve our teaching practices and support equity for students?

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