

Agenda for Supporting Classroom Teachers
April 24, 2014

9:00-10:00 – SAS Overview

- I. SAS Overview – Increasing Student Achievement Through the Six Circles
 - A. Standards
 - 1. PA Core Standards
 - 2. Connections to Assessment and Materials and Resources
 - B. Assessment
 - 1. Formative vs. Summative
 - 2. Webbs Depth of Knowledge
 - 3. Keystone Exams
 - 4. Assessment Creator
 - C. Curriculum Framework
 - D. Instruction
 - 1. PDE Professional Development on the Danielson Model
 - 2. Instructional Strategies
 - E. Materials and Resources
 - F. Safe and Supportive Schools

10:00-10:15 - Break

10:15-11:30 – Classroom Instruction

- II. Literacy Design Collaborative (LDC)
 - A. Components of the LDC Framework <http://www ldc org/how-ldc-works/overview>
 - 1. Task template/prompt
 - 2. Rubric
 - B. Review the "Does Social Class Determine Destiny?: An Analysis of 'Of Mice and Men'" Argumentative/Persuasive Writing on the Standards Aligned System (SAS)
<http://pdesas.org/module/content/resources/25189/view.ashx>

11:30-12:30 – Classroom Instruction

- III. Classroom Instruction
 - A. Instructional Strategies
 - 1. Explicit instruction
 - 2. Structured lesson plans
 - 3. Scaffolding lessons and chunking
 - B. Classroom Management Techniques
 - 1. K-W-L Charts and visual organizers
 - 2. Brainstorming and Mapping

3. Think-Pair-Share and RAPS & LAPS

IV. Cooperative Learning Strategies

- A. Round Robin
- B. Roundtable
- C. Write-Around
- D. Numbered Heads Together- Math or Reading
- E. Team Jigsaw
- F. Tea Party or Virginia Reel

V. Differentiated Instruction

- C. Utilizing Data
- D. Access to General Education Curriculum for all Students
- E. ELL, Students with Disabilities, Low Achievers

12:30-1:30 – Lunch break

1:30-2:30 – Technology

IV. Technology Integration

- A. IU1 Wikispace for Language Arts:
<http://literacyresources.iu1.wikispaces.net/Building+Language+Base+d+Activities>
- B. Voki
- C. Google Docs and Forms
- D. ThingLink

2:30-3:00 – Action Planning