

Reflective conversation protocol

Tell me about the highlights of your lesson.

In what ways was this lesson different from what you planned? What accounted for that difference?

As you taught this lesson, you observed students and used other information to help you know if students understood. What evidence was available to you in this lesson that helps you know if your students achieved the lesson's goals?

Teachers make many decisions as they teach. I am interested in the decisions you made during this lesson. Tell me about some of them and share your decision-making process. How did you arrive at those decisions?

What learning will you take away from this lesson that you will apply to a future lesson?



After a teaching episode, coaches engage teachers in a reflective conversation in which they:

- **Review what occurred in the lesson;**
- **Form conclusions about what the teacher learned; and**
- **Identify how that learning might influence future teaching.**