



Meet. Share.
Spark Innovation

Dear Colleagues,

We offer these resources to spark conversation and innovation in 15 minutes or less. These “sparks” can be used as food for thought or to engage in meaningful dialogue among peers.

March 2020 – The Importance of Reliability & Accountability

Being responsible and answerable for one’s actions; having the obligation to report, explain, or justify something.

Videos:

	<p>Clip #1: Simon Sinek on How Accountability Partners Keep You Committed (2:00 minutes)</p>
	<p>Clip #2: 5 Leadership Tips for Building A Culture of Accountability (1:55 minutes)</p>
	<p>Clip #3: Brené Brown: The Anatomy of Trust (Begin around 11:35 minutes-14:18 minutes)</p>

Reliability

Clip #4: [Are you reliable?](#)
(3:25 minutes)

Additional Resources:

- [Being Accountable The Real Reason it Pays to be Reliable](#) - Article from Motive in Motion
- [8 Ways to Become the Most Reliable Person in the Room](#) - Article from INC.

Spotlight on Equity & Justice: Student Placement

As schools think about student placement for next year, it makes sense to be aware of the biases that affect our decisions.

- [Study Shows Race, Gender Affect Teachers' Perceptions of Students' Ability](#), *Yale News*, February 12, 2020

We hope these resources provide sparks for conversation.

Regards,

The ISACS Professional Services Committee & the ISACS Professional Development Team

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