

General Education Classroom

- Differentiation & Enrichment: learning is tailored to students based on their performance
- Gradual Release of Responsibility: more teacher modeling and guided practice before independent practice
- Student-led questioning and inquiry
- Real-world problem solving
- Grade-level standards taught and assessed

All of this +

Enriched Classroom

- Core Plus More: students explore grade-level standards to greater depth with increased complexity
- Student-directed projects

All of this +

Accelerated Classroom

- Gradual Release of Responsibility: students move to independent practice more quickly
- Analysis of texts at a higher text complexity
- Next grade level's standards taught and assessed
- Content is moved through at a quicker pace