Ethnic Studies Pilot Work Team

2022 - 2023

Wednesday, October 12

Please find a comfortable seat, grab some treats and enjoy time with each other IN PERSON!
Please jot your thoughts to this prompt on a post-it and be ready to share.

When it comes to Ethnic Studies,...
I used to think...
And now I think...
Agenda

● Welcome & Celebration
● Understanding the Pilot Plan
● How to teach new teachers of Ethnic Studies how to use the NSD Ethnic Studies Framework by Grade Band and Theme
  ○ Logistics
  ○ Instructional Practices
  ○ Content Considerations
  ○ Pilot Evaluation
● Monthly Learning Sessions
● Student, Family, and Community Partnerships
Pilot Plan

October - February: Use the framework to guide the integration of enduring understandings into your core content.

- **Apply to at least one lesson per week.**

- **Document lesson plan**, including your reflections, using one of the templates provided, or your own format.
  - Oct 19-Nov 8 - Identity
  - Nov 9 - Dec 6 - Add Power and Oppression
  - Dec 7 - Jan 17 - Add History of Resistance and Liberation
  - Jan 18 - Feb 1 - Add Healing and Futurity

- **During this time, collect student work samples and gather feedback**
Close Reading

Start reading the framework by band or by theme that resonates with your grade level or assignment. With the lens of a new Ethnic Studies teacher:

● What would excite you?
● What would prompt you to be courageous?
● What would you wonder or need to know?
Preparing for Ethnic Studies Pedagogy

Charting: What do we want our pilot teachers to...

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- by the end of next week after training
- by the end of the pilot.
Application

● What could it look like to plan introductory support for pilot teachers?
● What format should be considered?
● What resources will they need next week? Beyond?
● What will students need to engage meaningfully in lessons next week? Beyond?
● What will families need to know and understand to support our pilot work next week? Beyond?

When I was first starting out with this work, I wish I would have known….or done…..to inform my practice?
Consolidation and Closure

- What did we accomplish?
- What is still needed?
- Who will/can engage in our next steps?