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Who are you?

- Where is home for you?
- What is the traditional territory where you live?
- What are some of your roles?
- What are some of your identities?
- What are your interests and hobbies?
- What is important to you?
- What is a life event that shaped who you are?
- What is something that you want others to know about you?





WHAT DOES

inclusion

MEAN?



WHAT DOES inclusion LOOK LIKE?

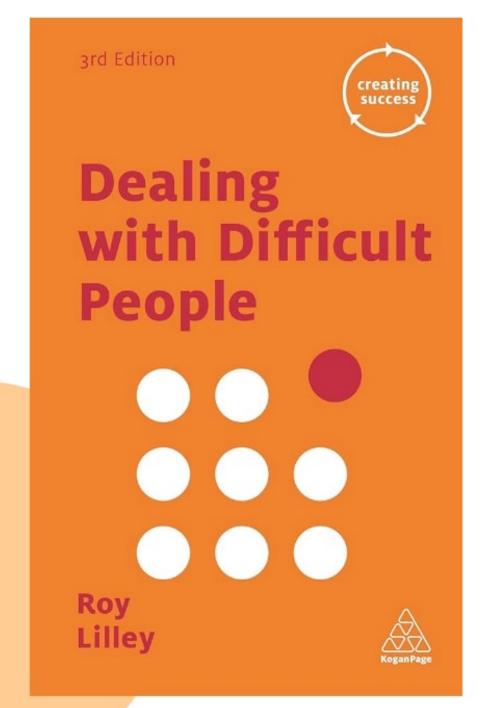


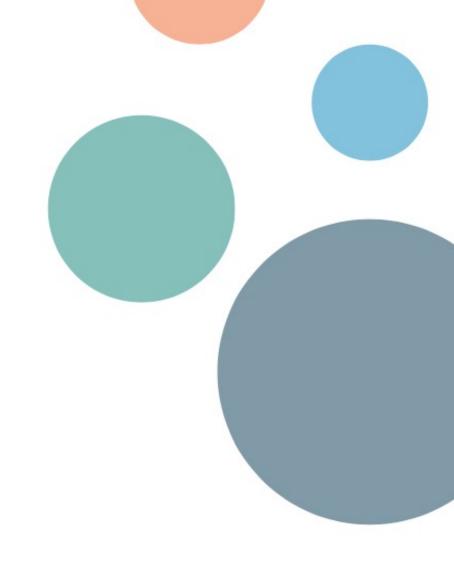
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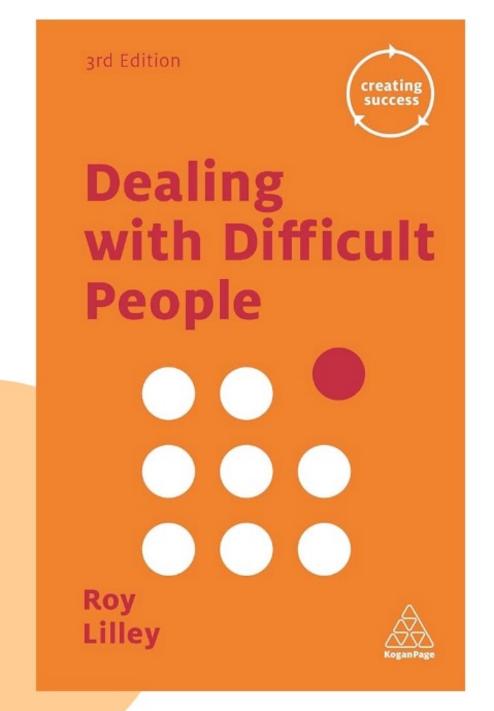


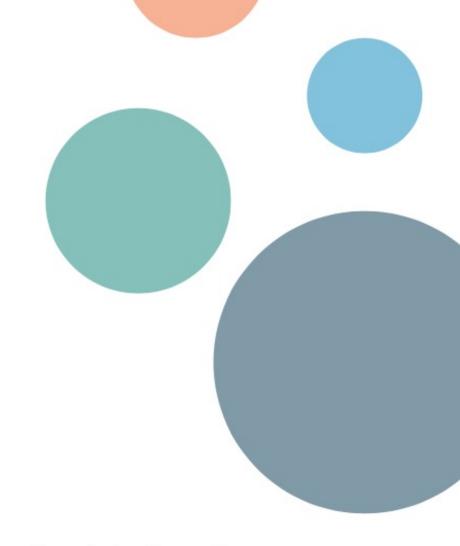






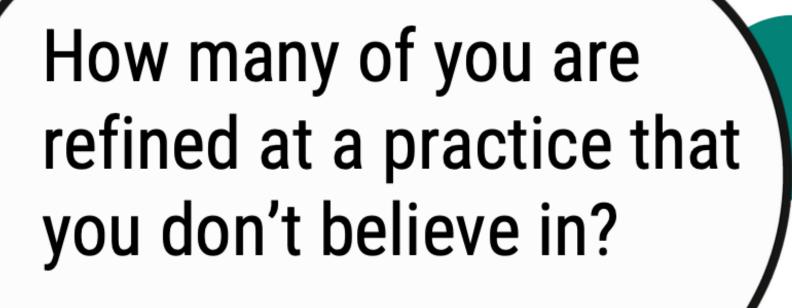






"If you bought this book....you are the difficult person."





Barrie Bennett



My educational philosophy & beliefs

My educational practices





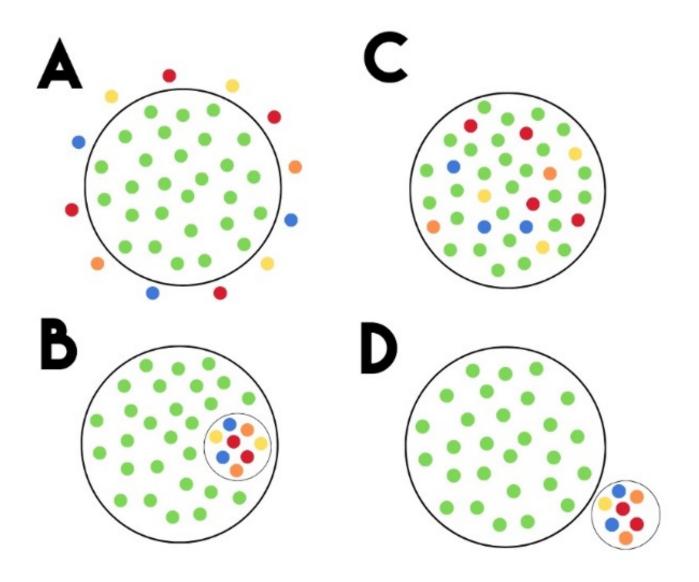


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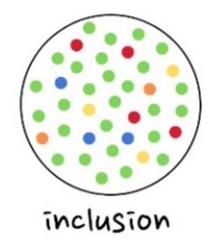


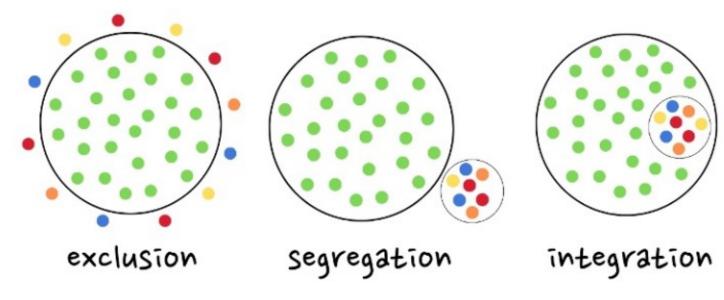
WHAT IS Inclusion?



exclusion integration inclusion congregation segregation

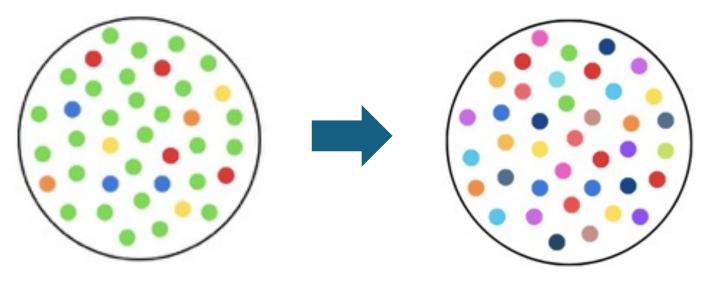
WHAT IS inclusion?







WHAT IS inclusion?



How do we include people with disabilities?

How do we teach to diversity?

How do we "do" inclusion?



do we shift our thinking?

do we shift our practice?







Useful take aways so far

Reducing Barriers



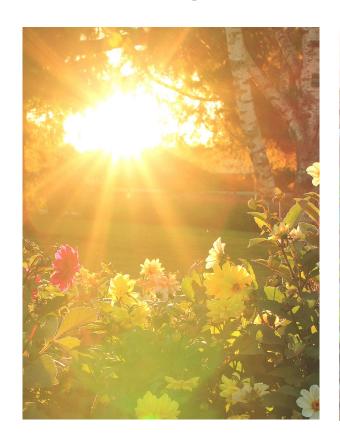




"When a flower doesn't bloom, you fix the environment in which it grows, not the flower."

-Alexander den Heijer

FIRST! Reduce or eliminate barriers in place by reducing or eliminating barriers for everyone in the community



All plants need light

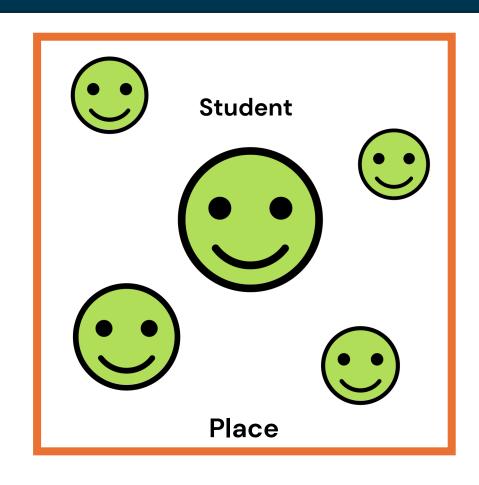


All plants need moisture



All plants need space

Shifting the Paradigm: SOCIAL MODEL OF DISABILITY

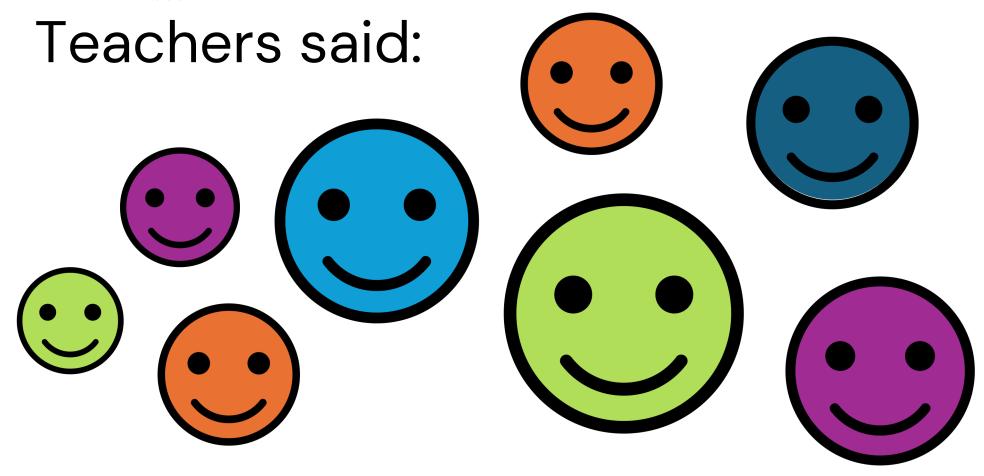


Social Model

If a **student** isn't successful:

- Diagnose the barriers in the place
- Target the place
- Support EVERYONE in the place

BUT WAIT...

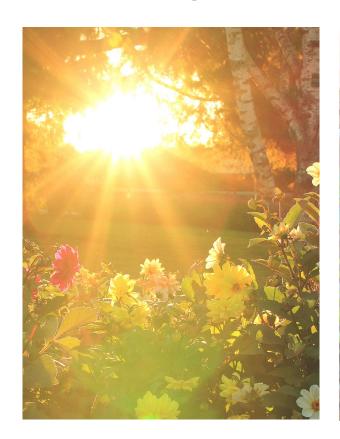


"What about all the different individual needs in a shared place?"

WEHAVE diverse GARDENS!



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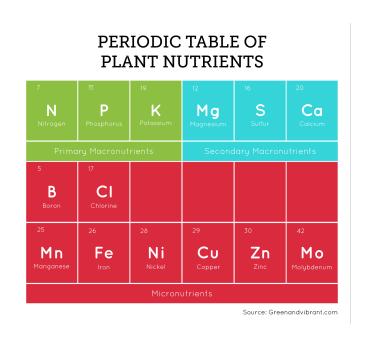


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NEXT! Determine the needs of individuals and anticipate the supports & strategies that they will require in universal ways



Some plants need added nutrients



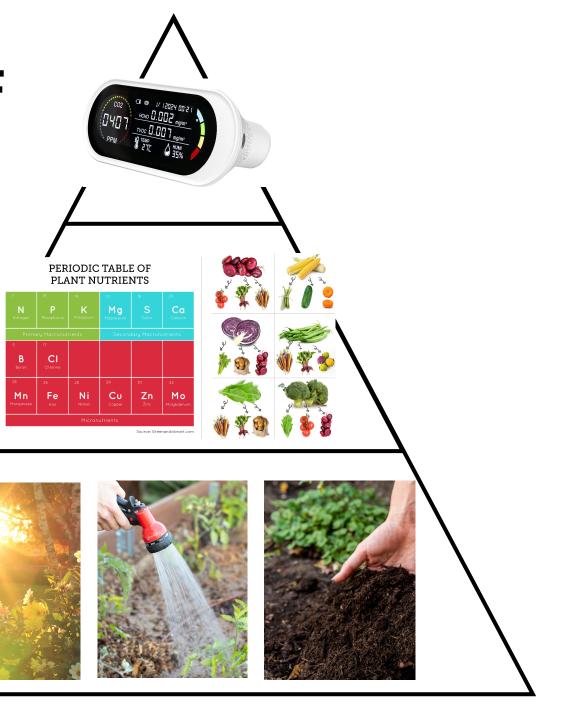
Some plants need companions

THEN! Determine the needs of individuals and anticipate the supports & strategies that they will require in individualized ways

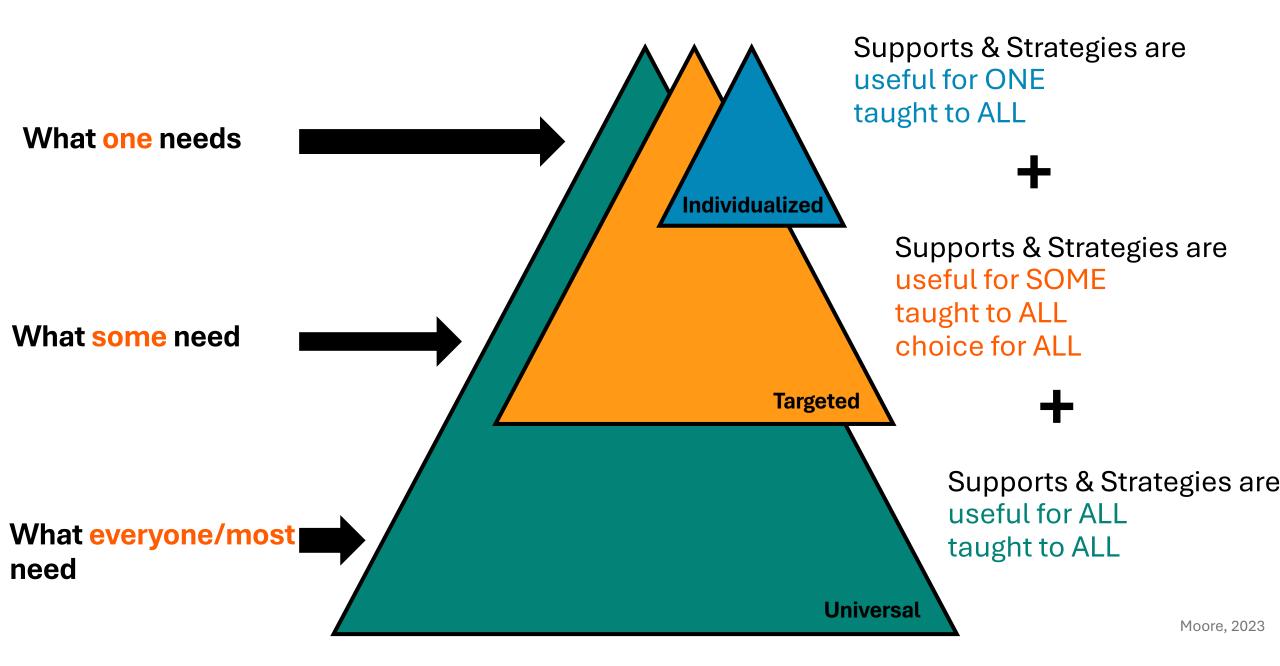


A few plants may need very specific temperatures and humidity levels

MULTIPLE LAYERS OF SUPPORT



Multiple Layers of Needs Based Support





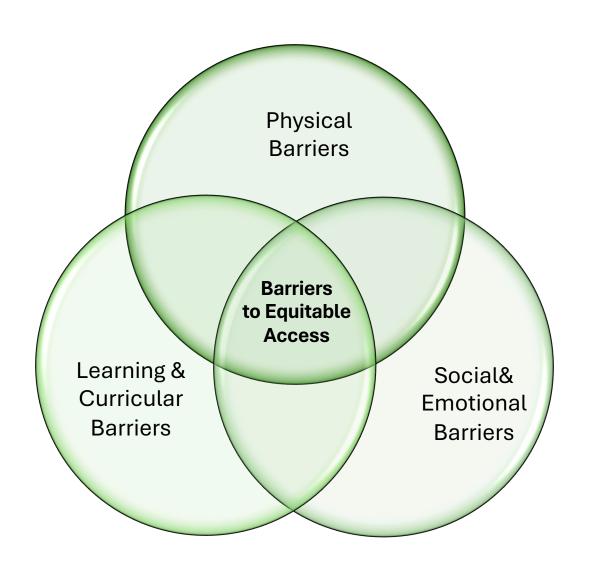
How do we plan for the disabilities needs of students?

First, we reduce barriers

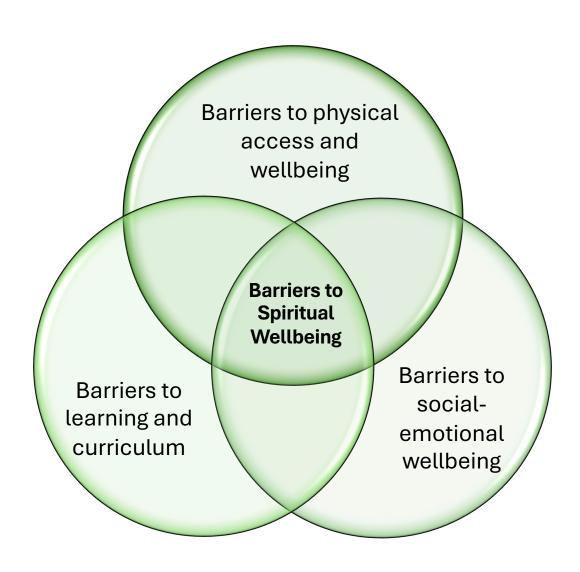




Adding Ramps to Learning



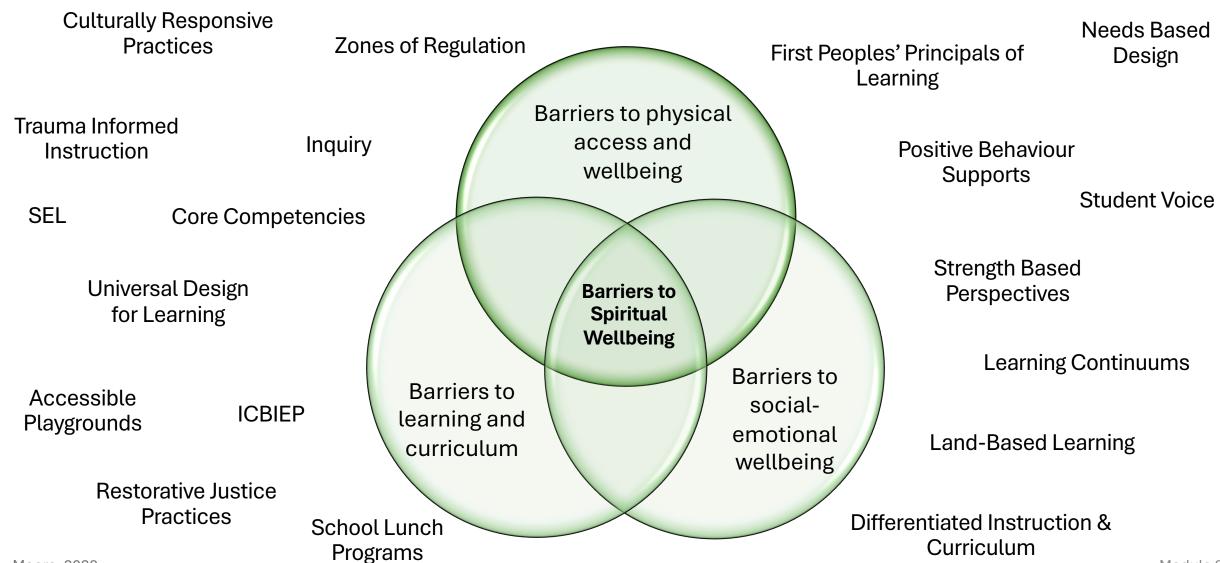
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Student Self Determination & Agency

Examples of Initiatives that Reduce Barriers for ALL

Standards Based Assessment

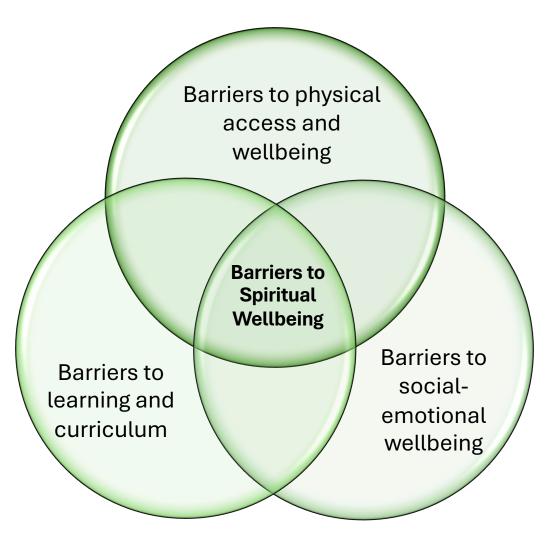


Then, we look at needs



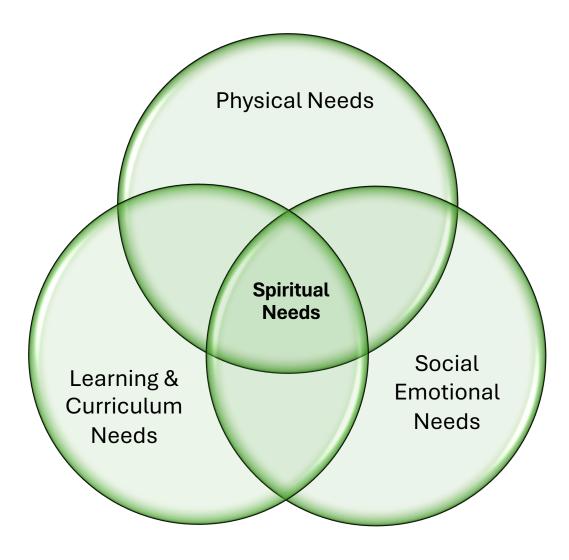


Increasing Inclusive & Equitable Access by Designing for Individual Needs



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- Attention
- Anxiety
- Communication (receptive)
- Communication (expressive)
- Eating/Food
- Engagement/Motivation
- Executive functioning
- Family/community and/or identity
- Frustration/ Anger
- Grief/ Trauma
- Gross and/or Fine motor
- Intellectual ability (access)
- Intellectual ability (challenge)



- Language
- Literacy (decoding)
- Literacy (understanding)
- Literacy (written output)
- Literacy (Speaking/ oral language)
- Medical
- Memory
- Numeracy
- Personal Care
- Physical/Mobility
- Self Advocacy
- Self Regulation (emotional)
- Self Regulation (behavioural)
- Self Regulation(learning)
- Self Esteem
- Self Harm
- Sensory
- Social Skills
- Spiritual
- Transitioning
- Vision and/or hearing

Classroom Support Planning: Collaborative Needs Based Reflection

Target Classroom: Classroom Teacher(s): Support Teachers/Staff: Date:

- 1. Look at the following areas of need as a team
- 2. Record needs for students who have IEPs (Individual education plan) and/or LSPs (learning support plan)
- 3. You can refer to individual assessments and recommendations as well as specialists to determine needs if useful
- 4. Record needs for students in class who do not have IEP or LSP
- 5. Look for clusters of need and reflect on community impact
- 6. Determine priority classroom needs to develop Classroom Support Plan

Areas of Need	Students who have this need (underline students who have IEP/LSPs)	This need impacts the community and/or there is a cluster of students who have this need	This need can be managed over time and/or not critical	This is an individual need area and/or community does not need support in this area
Addiction				
Attendance/ Lateness				
Attention				
Anxiety/ Depression				
Bullying				
Communication (receptive)				
Communication (expressive)				
Eating/Food/Allergies				
Engagement/Motivation				
Executive Functioning				
Family/Community/Identity				
Frustration/ Anger				
Greif/ Trauma				
Gross/Fine Motor Skills				
Intellectual Ability (access)				

Priority Community Needs	Specialists/Individuals to connect to	Priority Individual Needs	Specialists/Individuals to connect to

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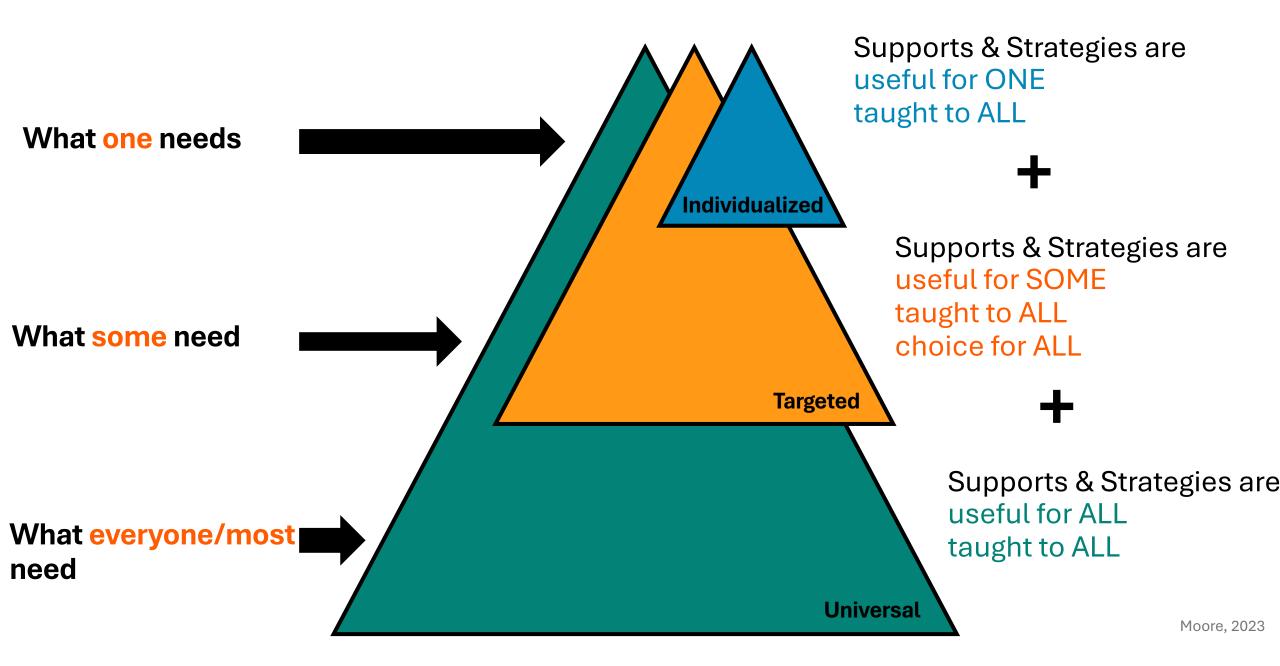
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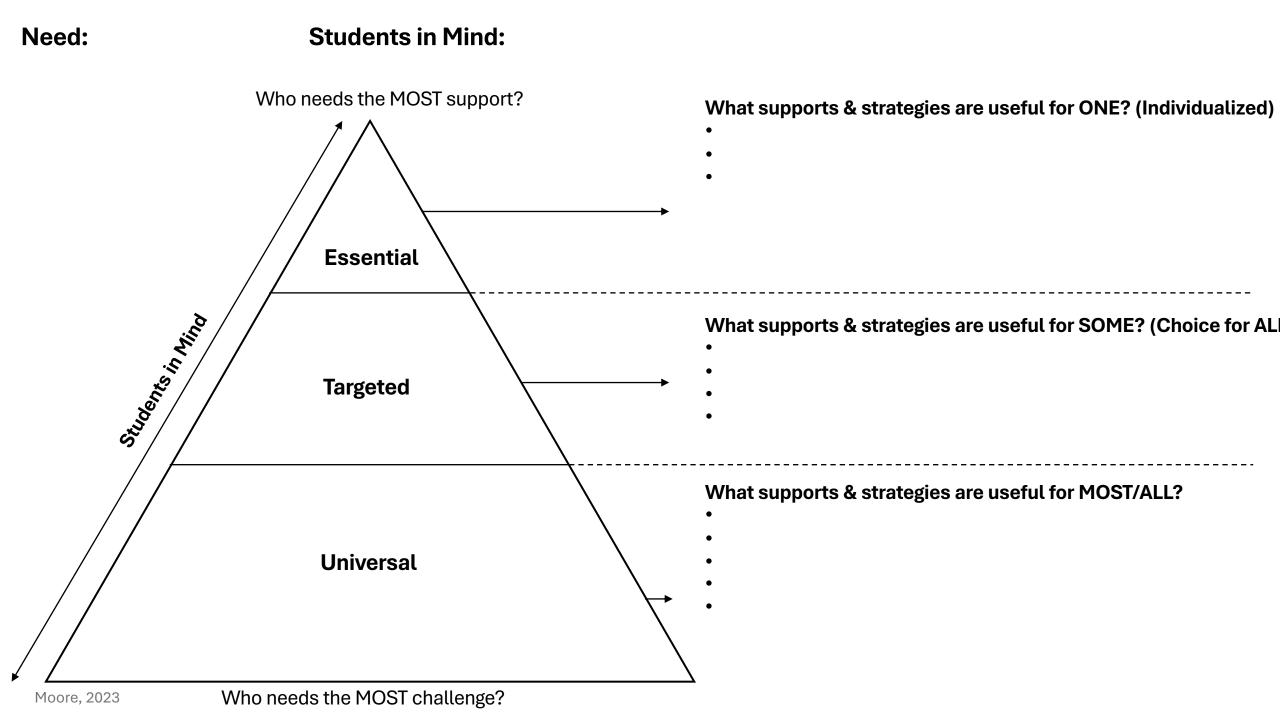
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Attendance/ Lateness	JA			x
Attention	JA, RM		x	
Anxiety/ Depression	GA, LB, JA, ES, KR, GS	x		
Bullying				
Communication (receptive)				
Communication (expressive)	GA, LB		х	
Eating/Food/Allergies	LB			x
Engagement/Motivation	LB, JA, ES, NS	x		
Executive Functioning	MA, LB, JA	x		
Family/Community/Identity	JA, ES, JK, LE	x		
Frustration/ Anger	JA, ES		х	
Greif/ Trauma	GA, LB, JA, ES, KK	x		
Gross/Fine Motor Skills	LB, BB			х
Intellectual Ability (access)	GA, MA		х	
Intellectual Ability (extend)	BW, IM, MB		х	

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Language				
Literacy (decoding)	MA, KR, TP, AD		х	
Literacy (understanding)	GA, MA, KR, TP, AD		x	
Literacy (written output)	MA, LB, KR, TP, AD		x	
Literacy (oral language/speaking)	GA		x	
Medical				
Memory				
Mental Health				
Numeracy	ES, KR			
Personal Care	GA			x
Personal Safety				
Physical/Mobility				
Self-Advocacy	LB			x
Self-Regulation (emotional)	GA, JA, ES	x		
Self-Regulation (behavioural)	ES	x		
Self-Regulation (learning)				
Self Esteem	LB, JA, ES	x		
Self-Harm/ Self Injurious				
Behaviour				
Sensory				
Social Skills	GA, LB, JA, ES	х		
Transitioning	JA, ES	х		
Other:				
Other:				

Priority Community Needs	Specialists/Individuals to	Priority Individual	Specialists/Individuals to
	connect to	Needs	connect to
Anxiety/ emotional self- Regulation	Counsellors - Jessica		
Family support/ trauma	Counsellors – Jessica,		
	Community Schools - Diana		
Literacy	Title – Kori, Mica, Melissa		
Engagement/ Motivation	Sarah, Shelley, Jasmine, Kim		

Multiple Layers of Needs Based Support





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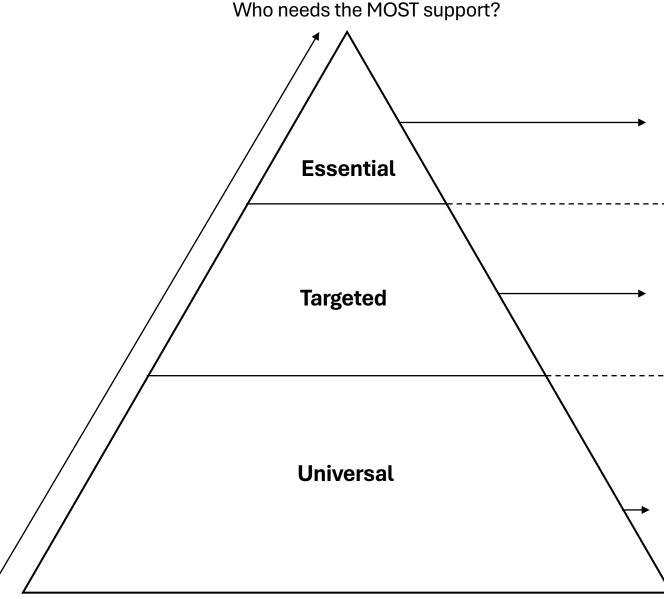
Who needs the MOST challenge?

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Need: Multilingual Learners

Students in Mind: HP, LG, AF, LD, LD, SS, WR



What supports & strategies are useful for ONE? (Individualized)

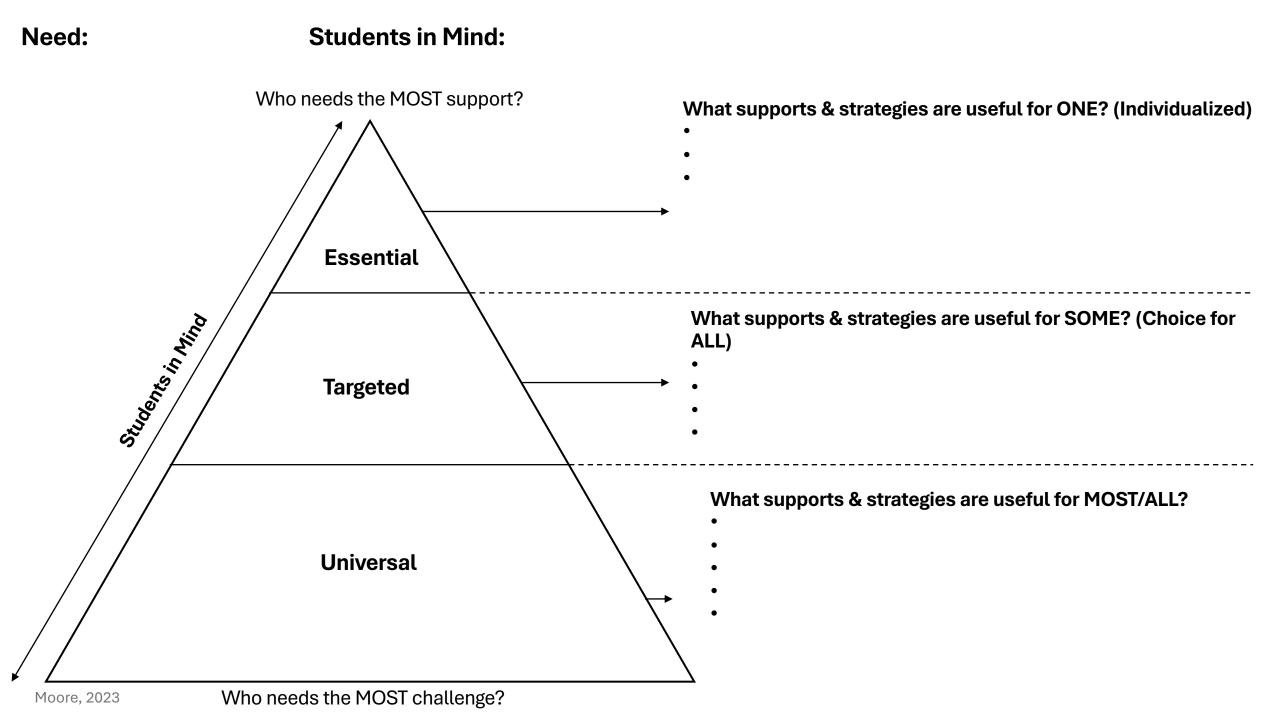
- Individual student co-developed language goals
- Individual conferencing/direct instruction during work time (not lesson time)

What supports & strategies are useful for SOME? (Choice for AL

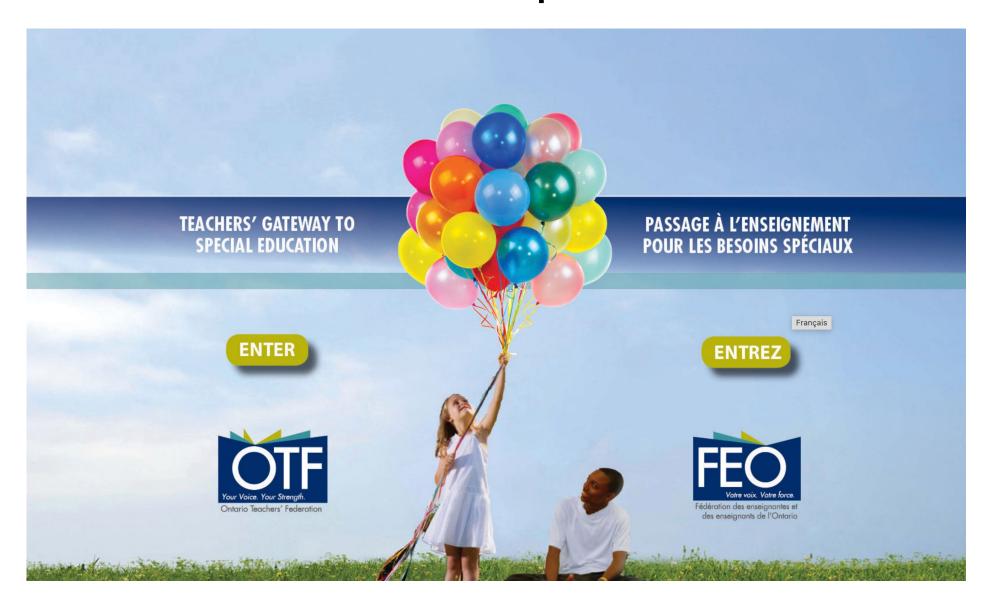
- iPad for visual translation/communication support
- Sentence frames
- Visuals/ objects
- Strategic Pairings
- QSSSA strategy (question, signal, stem, share, assess
- Allow previewing of information in home language

What supports & strategies are useful for ALL?

- Relationships with student, families and caregivers
- Multi-lingual word/picture wall
- Books with diverse characters
- Everyone learns words in a new language words
- Learn language across all curricular areas
- Speak clear, slow and allow for wait time
- Multiple ways to show learning (visual, oral, written)
- Celebrate language diversity in class/school



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Supports & Strategies

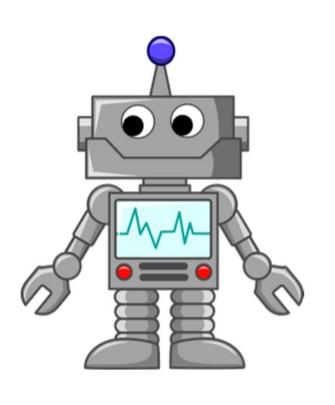


AI – CHAT GPT





"AI" Assistant - Dale



Can you give me some tools and strategies to support (who) to manage (need) needs?

Can you give me some tools and strategies to support Grade 11 students, to manage anxiety needs?

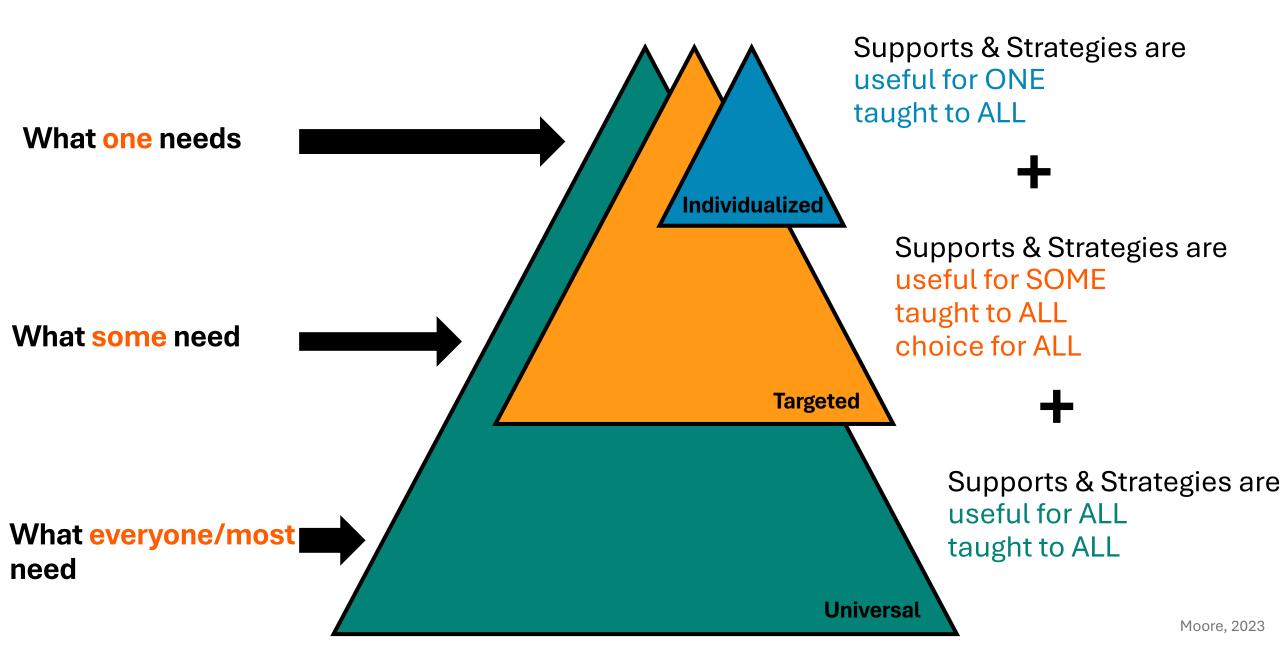
And then ask yourself: Is this a tool or strategy:

- Universal: useful for everyone

Targeted: a choice for everyone

- Individualized: an individualized strategy?

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Who needs the MOST challenge?

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Strategy:



Strategy: taking a 2 min break

Instruct

- What is a 2 min break?
- Why is a 2 min break useful?
- How do I use a 2 min break as a tool or an action?
 - What does a 2 min break look like when I use it?
 - What does a 2 min break sound like when I use it?
 - What does a 2 min break feel like when I use it?

Practice (1 – 2 weeks)

Reflect

- Was taking a 2 min break useful for me?
- How will I know when I need a 2 min break?
- How will I know when I don't need a 2 min break?



Strategy: chunking text

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Quiet space

Loud space

Visuals

Schedule/ agenda

Standing desks

Access points

Sensory tools

Snacks/ water

Hats

Vocabulary lists





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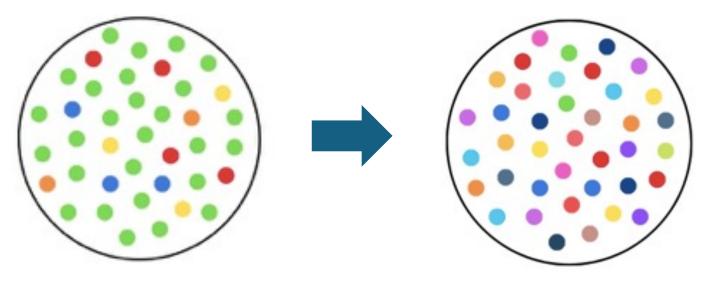
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What strategies work for you?



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