

CRAFTing Better Learning Experiences

Infusing GenAI in Education Effectively and Ethically

Welcome! Please introduce yourself in the chat:

- Name, Role, Institution/Organization
- On a scale of 1-5, how comfortable are you using GenAl in lesson planning?















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Participants will...

#2 Understand the educator's Recognize the potential role in lesson plan design benefits and challenges of using Generative Al integrating Generative Al. Understand how to leverage Learning Sciences and Generative Al to improve lesson plan design and instructional practices.



Why?

We benefit our students when we underpin instructional design with sound pedagogy and human values. Generative AI can help – as long as we actively and critically evaluate the output with care.









Artificial Intelligence in Education: The Digital Promise Approach



Our human-centered approach to Al emphasizes how the increasing capabilities of technology can build on and strengthen human intelligence to improve upon teaching and learning experiences.





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"Many of you in this room, you came by your knowledge of what teaching and learning is honestly, through hard work, through diligence. I do not want you distracted. There is some value in what this new technology can offer us, but only as a servant of this higher ideal about teaching and learning. I don't want those ideals to become servants to the technology. The knowledge you have, the principles you hold onto, I want you to hold on even tighter.

Human-AI Co-creativity

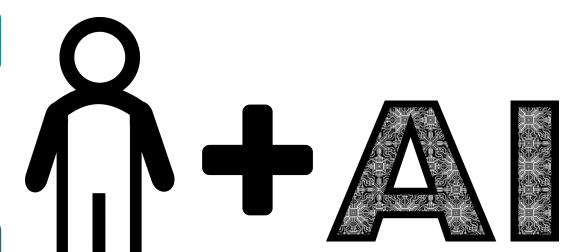
Intuition

Imagination

Core Values

Empathy

Critical Evaluation



Computing Power

Processing Capabilities

Neural Network

(LLM)



The cat likes to sleep in the

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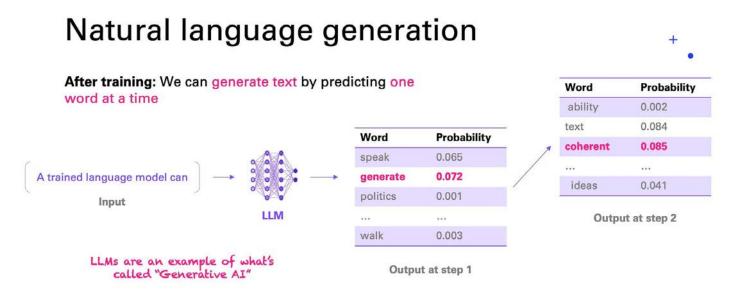
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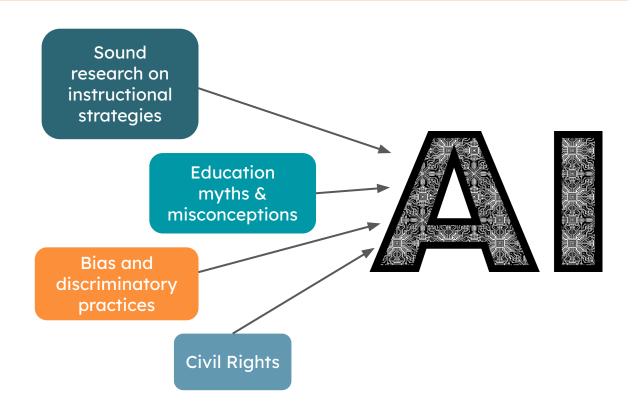
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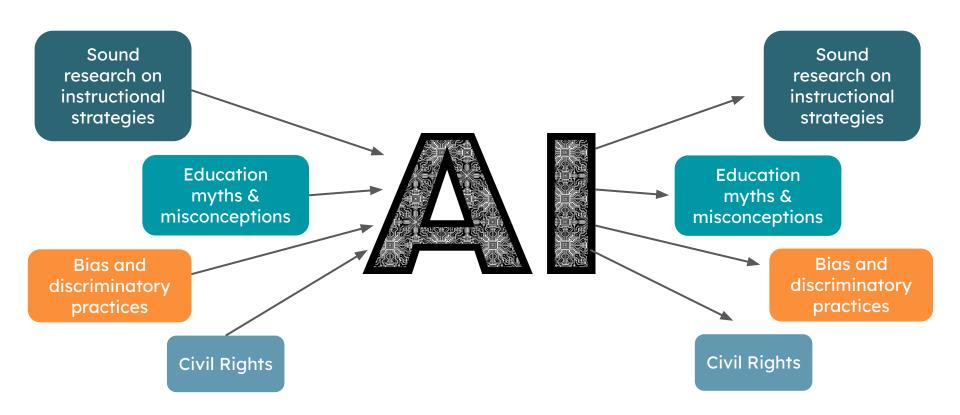
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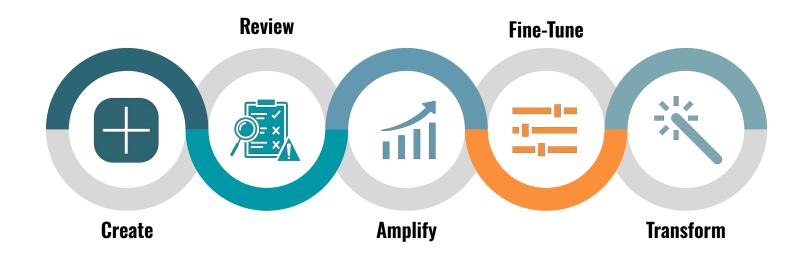








CRAFT







Share your thoughts



What prompt would you use in ChatGPT to create a lesson for teaching main idea and supporting details to third graders?

Basic Prompt



Goal

Create a lesson for teaching main idea and supporting details to third graders.



Prompt

Make a lesson plan for teaching main idea.



Detailed Prompt



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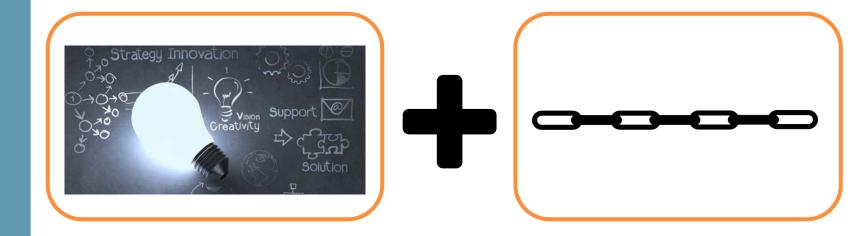
Prompt

You are an expert third grade teacher. Create a 30 minute lesson plan for WV.ELA.3.5
Determine the main idea of an informational text; recount the key details and explain how they support the main idea.



ChatGPT: Detailed Prompt

Learning Sciences + Chain-of-Thought Prompting



Detailed + Learning Sciences + Chain-of-Thought



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I need an evidence-based way grounded in Learning Sciences to teach WV.ELA.3.5 Determine the main idea of an informational text; recount the key details and explain how they support the main idea to third graders. What do you suggest? Please include information about effect size and citations in your response.

(Click conversation link for more prompts as conversation unfolds.)

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<u>ChatGPT: Detailed + Learning Sciences + Chain-of-Thought Prompts</u>

Side-by-Side Comparison of Lesson Plans Produced by Different Prompts

Description	Basic Prompt	Detailed Prompt	Detailed + Learning Sciences + Chain-of-Thought Prompts	
Output	Lesson Plan: Teaching Main Idea Grade Level: 4th-5th Grade Subject: Reading/Language Arts Duration: 60 minutes Objectives: 1. Students will understand the concept of the main idea. 2. Students will be able to identify the main idea in a paragraph or passage. 3. Students will practice summarizing the main idea in their own words. Materials: • Whiteboard and markers • Chart paper and markers • Chart paper and markers • Printed short passages or paragraphs • Highlighters • Main idea graphic organizers • Example texts (short stories, articles) • Exit tickets	Lesson Plan: Determining the Main Idea and Supporting Details Grade Level: 3rd Grade Duration: 30 minutes Objective: Students will learn to determine the main idea of an informational text, recount key details, and explain how these details support the main idea. Materials Needed: A short informational text (e.g., a one-page article suitable for third graders) Chart paper or whiteboard Markers Sticky notes Main Idea and Supporting Details graphic organizer (one per student) Pencils Standards: WV.ELA.3.5: Determine the main idea of an informational text, recount the key details and explain how they support the main idea.	Lesson Plan: Close Reading to Determine Main Idea and Key Details Objective: Students will be able to determine the main idea of an informational text about the Okapi and identify key details that support it. Grade Level: Third grade Time: 30 minutes Materials Needed: • Text passage about the Okapi (provided below) • Copies of the text for each student or displayed on a projector/screen • Highlighters or pencils for annotating text • Whiteboard or chart paper	



Side-by-Side Comparison of Lesson Plans





Create

Teachers use Generative AI to develop a lesson plan grounded in Learning Sciences based on a specific standard, age group, and time frame using chain-of-thought prompting.





Review

Using the CARE framework (Clarity, Accuracy, Relevance, Ethics), teachers assess the initial Al-generated lesson plan.

Dear [Parent/Guardian's Name],

I hope this communication finds you in excellent health and spirits. I am writing to convey my growing concern regarding a recurrent issue involving [Student's Name] and their persistent use of a mobile phone during class sessions.

Over the past several weeks, it has come to my attention that [Student's Name] has exhibited a pronounced difficulty in abstaining from using their mobile device during instructional periods. This behavior is proving to be a significant impediment to their engagement and active participation in our educational activities, which are of paramount importance for their cognitive development and academic achievement.

While I fully recognize that mobile phones have become an indispensable component of modern life and possess the potential to serve as valuable educational tools when harnessed appropriately, their use during class time can constitute a considerable distraction. This distraction not only affects [Student's Name]'s focus and attention but also has the potential to disrupt the learning environment for their fellow students.

Despite my concerted efforts to address this issue directly with [Student's Name] and to reiterate our institution's policy concerning mobile phone use during instructional periods, the behavior has persisted unabated. I am increasingly concerned about the potential deleterious effects this may have on [Student's Name]'s academic performance, as well as their overall learning experience and intellectual growth.

Clarity

A study by Dr. Evelyn Harper titled "The Cognitive Costs of Multitasking: Implications for Classroom Learning" (Journal of Educational Psychology, 2022) found that students who frequently use their phones in class exhibit diminished cognitive performance. The study suggests that the act of switching between tasks, such as listening to a lecture and checking social media, impairs the brain's ability to process and retain information. This cognitive overload hinders students' ability to engage deeply with the material, resulting in poorer comprehension and retention.

Moreover, research conducted by Professor Leonard Montgomery, "Distraction or Learning Aid? An Analysis of Mobile Phone Use in High School Classrooms" (Educational Review Quarterly, 2023), highlights that the majority of students who use their phones during class time are not engaging in educational activities. Instead, they are more likely to be distracted by non-academic content, which detracts from their focus and participation in classroom discussions. This diversion of attention not only affects the individual student's learning but also disrupts the classroom environment, making it challenging for teachers to maintain a conducive learning atmosphere.

Accuracy

How many rs are in the word strawberry?

There are 2 Rs in the word "strawberry."

That's not right.

Apologies for the mistake. There are actually 3 Rs in the word "strawberry."



Are you sure?

- Yes, I am sure. Let's count the Rs in "strawberry":
 - Strawberry

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Write a 3 question quiz for evaluating expressions using the order of operations in which each expression evaluates to 110.

Sure, here's a quiz with three expressions where each evaluates to 110:

1.
$$25 + 5 \times 5$$

2.
$$\frac{100}{2} + 10$$

3.
$$(9+1)^2$$

In each case, applying the order of operations (PEMDAS/BODMAS) correctly will yield the result of 110.

Evaluate the three expressions you just created.

Accuracy

Second Let's evaluate each expression:

1.
$$25 + 5 \times 5$$

 $25 + 5 \times 5 = 25 + 25 = 50$

2.
$$\frac{100}{2} + 10$$

 $\frac{100}{2} + 10 = 50 + 10 = 60$

3.
$$(9+1)^2$$

 $(9+1)^2 = 10^2 = 100$

It seems I made a mistake in creating the expressions as each did not evaluate to 110

Make a lesson about systems of equations

ensive lesson on systems of equations can be engaging and effective by ety of teaching methods and technologies. Here's a structured lesson plan that ur classroom technology and needs:

stems of Equations

stand how to solve systems of equations using graphical, substitution, and s. They will learn how to apply these methods to solve real-world problems.

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ators or computer software (like GeoGebra or Desmos)

Relevance

Here is the first piece:

When I prepare to do my homework and study for exams, I have a little routine that really helps me get in the mood. First, I make sure my desk is clean and organised because I can't focuz if there's a mess. I like to have all my suplies ready, like my textbooks, notebooks, and favrite pens. Then I need to get energised, so I just walk around a bit – usually with some rap music playing. I always grab a snack, like some fruit or chips, to keep my energy up. I start by review my notes and then work on practice problems or flashcards. Sometimes, I even make little quizes for myself. I take short breaks to stretch or check my phone, but I try not to get too distracted. It's all about finding a balance, keeping up the energy and make studying as enjoyable as possible!

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Ethics

Note 1: Data from different generative Al models given one of the two passages and the prompt: "This passage was written by a 7th grade student. Give highly personalized feedback and a score from 0-100"

		Average Score		Average Flesch-Kincaid Grade Level of Feedback		
Model	N (total)	Classical	Rap	Classical	Rap	
ChatGPT 3.5-Turbo	100	84.72	82.52	8.91	8.61	
ChatGPT 4-Turbo-2024-04-09	100	78.96*	77.22*	8.89	8.75	
ChatGPT 4o	100	84.70	83.50	8.04	7.93	
Claude-Opus-2024-02-09	100	80.96	80.84	9.23***	8.32***	
Gemini (default model; 2024-05-24)	100	81.43	81.02	10.48	10.91	



Please note that in each and every case the the essay that mentions classical music gets a higher score than the essay that mentions rap music. Further, the same pattern is visible in each case of the grade level of the feedback provided by these models.

Study: Algorithms Used by Universities to Predict Student Success May Be Racially Biased

Predictive Algorithms Underestimate the Likely Success of Black and Hispanic Students

July 11, 2024

These models incorrectly predict failure for Black and Hispanic students 19 percent and 21 percent of the time, respectively, compared to false negative rates for White and Asian groups of 12 percent and 6 percent. At the same time, the models incorrectly predict success for White and Asian students 65 percent and 73 percent of the time, respectively, compared to false negative rates for Black and Hispanic students of 33 percent and 28 percent.



"Our findings reveal a troubling pattern—models that incorporate commonly used features to predict success for college students end up forecasting worse outcomes for racially minoritized groups and are often inaccurate," said co-author Hadis Anahideh, an assistant professor of industrial engineering at the University of Illinois Chicago. "This underscores the necessity of addressing inherent biases in predictive analytics in education settings."



give me a picture of a nurse







give me a picture of a doctor

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Breakout Rooms

Work in teams for 5 minutes applying the CARE framework to the assigned generated lesson.

Evaluating AI with CARE				
CLARITY - How clear is the output? Is there something you can modify to make it clearer for the intended audience?	Select an Option			
ACCURACY - How accurate is this response? Did you check an additional source to make sure the claims are accurate?	Select an Option •			
RELEVANCE - How well did the response answer your question? Does the prompt need revision to make the output match your intent?	Select an Option			
ETHICS - Is this response ethical? Are there any biases or equity concerns in the response?	Select an Option -			





Amplify

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2024 National Ed Tech Plan

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"Edtech tools sometimes claim (without independent, research-based evidence) that student assessment results will soar if school systems adopt a given digital resource. Such claims are not only misleading, but they can undermine the true potential of edtech. Reliance on a specific tool to accelerate learning or deliver a comprehensive and rigorous education for every student places all responsibility on the content. It ignores educators and students and the relationships between all three."

SAMR Framework

Rationale



What is it? Why use it?

Amplify



Adjust lesson design

Review



Evaluate the Output

Substitution

Technology acts as a direct substitute, with no functional change.

Augmentation

Technology acts as a direct substitute, with functional improvement..

Modification

Technology allows for significant task redesign.

Redefinition

Technology allows for the creation of new tasks, previously inconceivable.

Enhancement

Transformation



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Adapt

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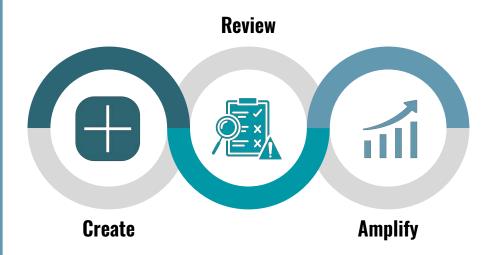
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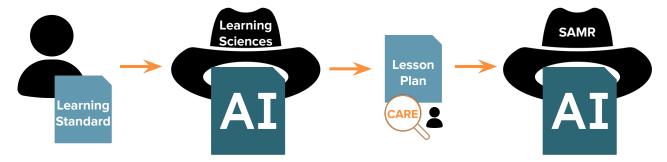
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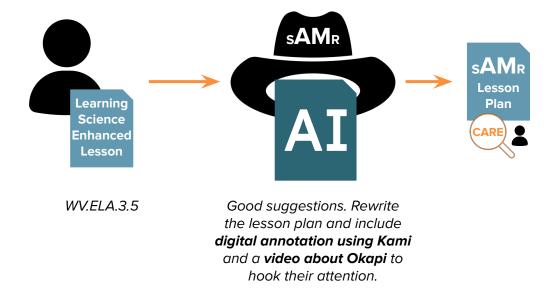
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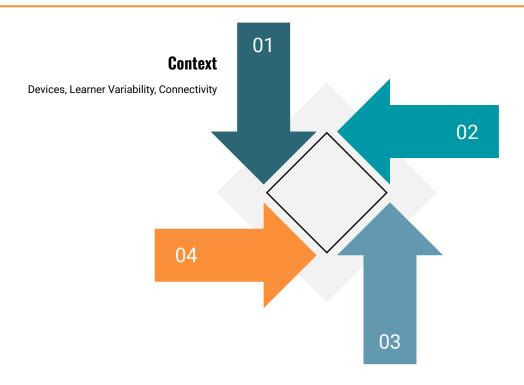
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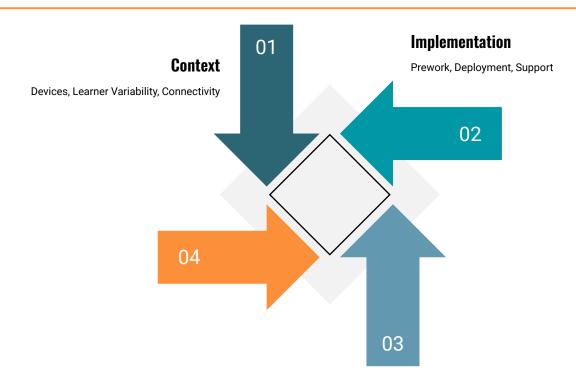
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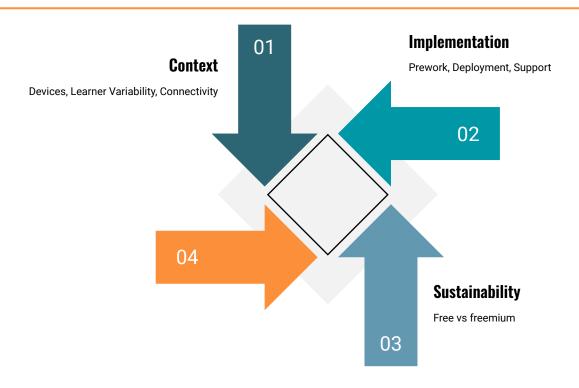




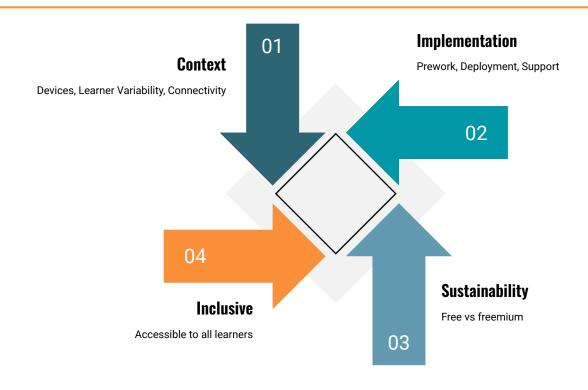




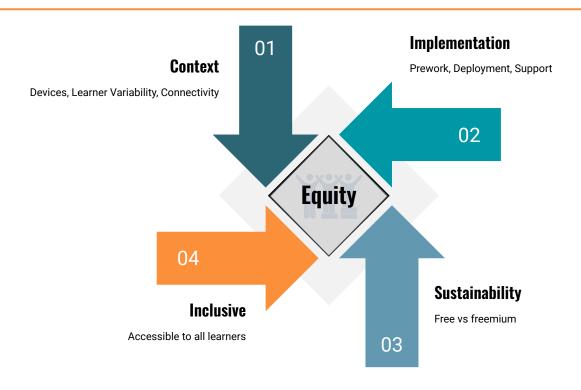
















Fine-Tune

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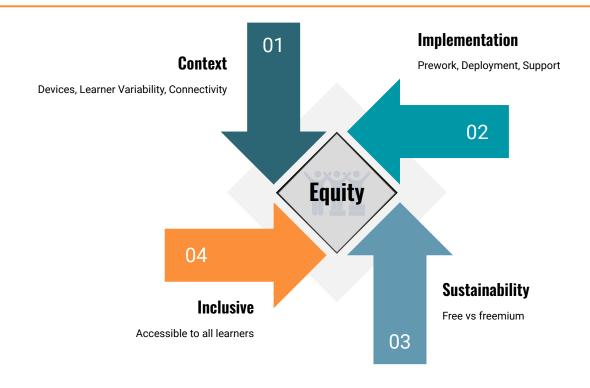
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Fine-Tune: Technology Considerations



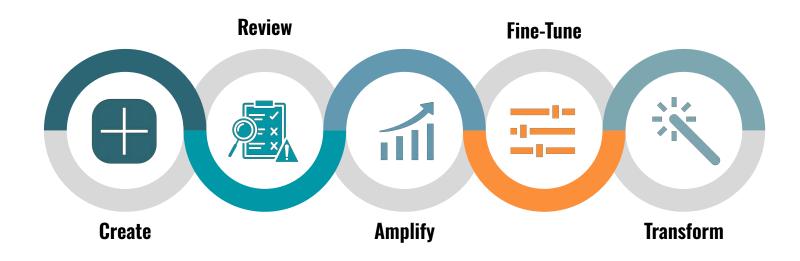




Transform

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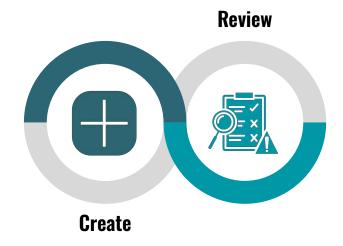
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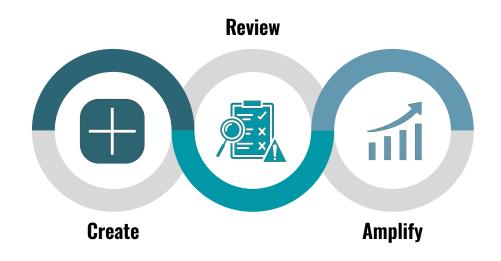
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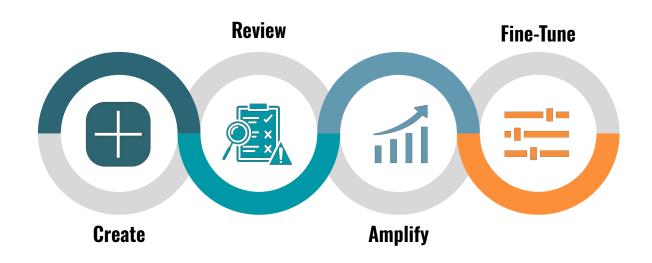
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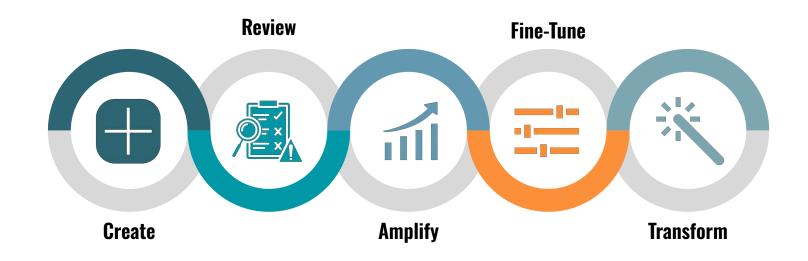
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Your Turn to Create a Lesson with CRAFT

1 Breakout Rooms



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CRAFT Framework







Share your thoughts

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I used to think _____.

Now I think _____.

Slides

Handout



Resource Links

<u>Lesson</u> <u>Comparison</u>

References

Upcoming Educator CIRCLS Sessions:

Navigating Ethical Al: Interactive Lessons and Equitable Practices for Educators

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