Caring Beyond the Curriculum to Promote Student Success

The Many Hats of an Educator

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Team
Player

Sorry NY attendees
Belbin’s Nine Team Roles

Shapers
Implementers
Completers
Coordinators
Team Workers

Resource
Investigators
Plants
Evaluators
Specialists

https://www.belbin.com/about/belbin-team-roles/
Students as the Seeds

- Be patient - seeds take time to grow
- Foster change - seeds change in order to grow
- Enjoy the bloom - seeds become a thing of beauty
Magician
Construction Worker
How to Reflect

- Ask questions to yourself
- Videotape and observe
- Start a teacher’s only club or meeting
Greeter
Welcome to the Class!

- Smile and make eye contact
- Say student’s name
- Nod or handshake, wave
- Short greeting
- Pre-corrective statement and bell-ringers
Herder
Proactive Measures

- Talk to students one-on-one privately
- Try to offer differential instruction opportunities
- Move them away from in-class distraction
- Talked to other teachers
Cook Smart!

- Make your own stuff
- Start with good “desserts”
- Go with quality “main courses”
- End with a variety of assessment “desserts”
Event Planner
Work Hard, Play Hard.

- Activities during school
- Activities after school hours
- Activities that tie into careers
Friend/Family
Cheerleader
Therapist
Let’s Chat
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