Personalized Learning

Enriching and enhancing the needs of ALL learners within a classroom



Personalized learning is intended to facilitate the academic success of each student by first determining the learning needs, interests, and aspirations of individual students, and then providing learning experiences that are customized—to a greater or lesser extent—for each student.

https://www.edglossary.org/personalized-learning/







Differentiation and Small Group Personalized Learning



Our Journey

Past Practice of Teaming Approach

Shift in Thinking

Positive Results to a New Approach



Outcomes of Small Groups

- Focus
- Accountability
- Confidence
- Kids challenging each other respectfully
- More instructional time less formative assessment
 time
- Opportunity and need for differentiation amongst groups

- Increase in retention and understanding
- Improvement in behavior
- Develop leadership skills
- Increase in grades and standardized test scores



Planning

- Groups are being enriched at all levels
 - Approaching Grade Level: Understanding moving to Applying/ What?
 - On Level: Applying moving to Analyzing/ How?
 - Exceeding: Analyzing moving to Evaluating, Validating/ Why?
- Differentiation / Breaking down components of lesson
- Parallel Teaching
- A true partnership letting go, trust, no lead teacher

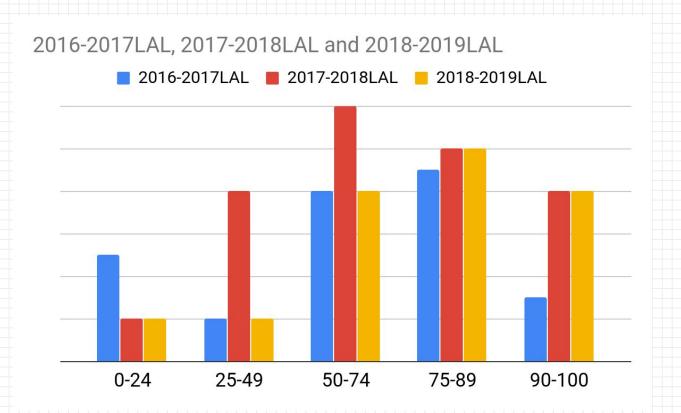


Environment

- High expectations for all learners
- All students are held accountable
- Student needs and learning styles within groups are met through differentiated approaches
- Flexility (Time, Seating, Pace)
- Patience

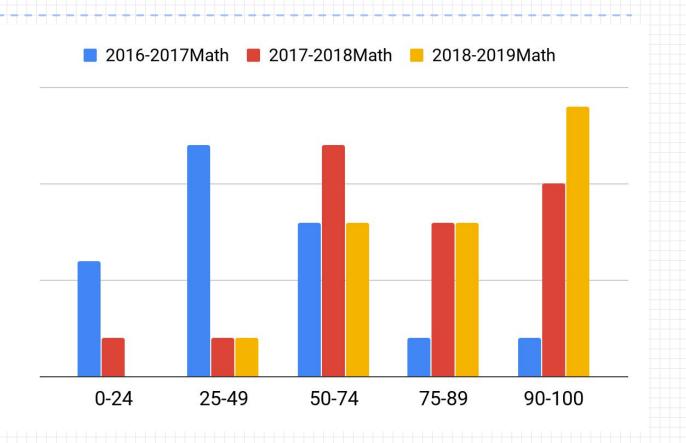


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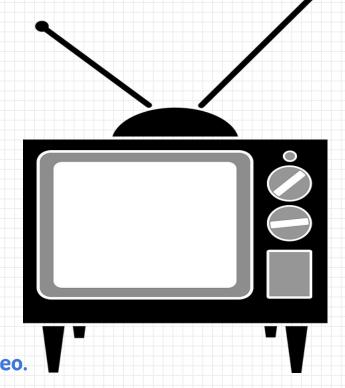


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A little tidbit from our young humans.





Personalized Learning at CDMS

Promote active engagement for all students

Create flexible pathways based on individual needs

Encourage student autonomy

Develop learning experiences that are meaningful and relevant



What is Personalized Learning?

Personalization

The Learner...

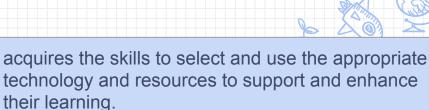
drives their learning.

connects learning with interests, talents, passions, and aspirations.

actively participates in the design of their learning.

owns and is responsible for their learning that includes their voice and choice on how and what they learn.

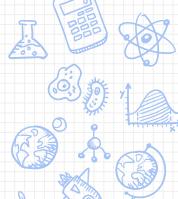
identifies goals for their learning plan and benchmarks as they progress along their learning path with guidance from the teacher.



builds a network of peers, experts, and teachers to guide and support their learning.

demonstrates mastery of content in a competency-based system.

becomes a self-directed, expert learner who monitors progress and reflects on learning based on mastery of content and skills.



Tech Support

LMS - Learning Management System

Personal Devices

Anytime Access



Personalized Learning Time

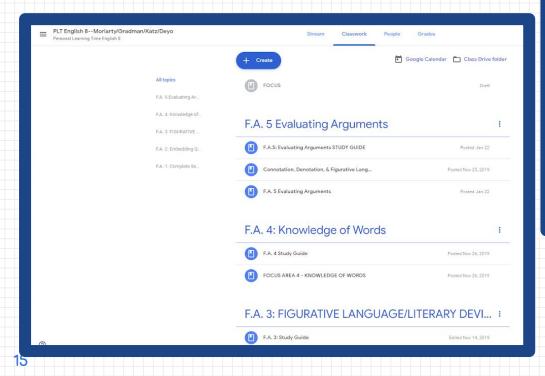
Students acquire content knowledge by studying Power Focus Areas at their own pace.

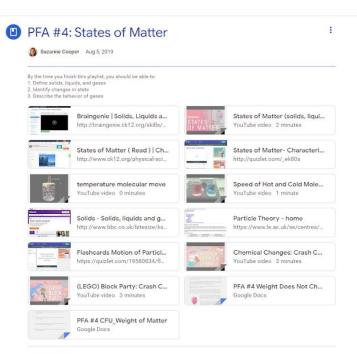
Students have access to a variety of resources to support their learning.

Mentoring



Teacher Samples

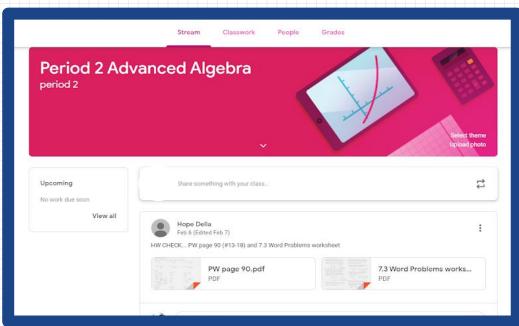


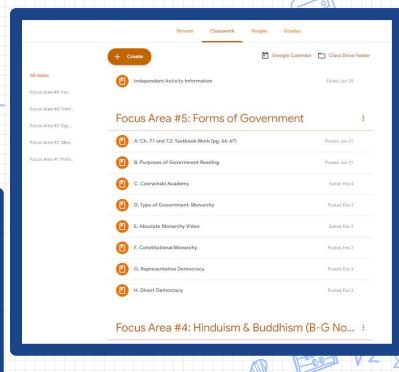


Class comments



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Final Thoughts:

Habits for Success

Fluid not fixed

Increased Autonomy

Student Empowerment

