



Los Angeles Unified School District  
Nimitz Middle School  
School Wide Professional Development Agenda  
September 6, 2016  
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**Please sit with your 2016-2017 PLC Team**

Topic	Time	Presenter/s	Guiding Question/s
Welcome & Inclusion	1:20-1:30	Lorenzo Garcia Carlos Garibaldi	Welcome What question will you answer?
Paper Folding Inquiry Activity <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Timed Pair Share</li> <li>Rally Coach</li> <li>Quiz Quiz Trade</li> </ul>	1:30-2:00	Amy Uyeshima	What does it look like to facilitate a strategy in a lesson?  How might Kagan strategies support student understanding & engagement?  When might a Kagan strategy be used?
Analyze the Strategies	2:00-2:10	Amy Uyeshima	What did the teacher do? What did the student do? What does it look like? What does it not look like?
The Golden Circle Video	2:10-2:16	Simon Sinek	How does the "golden circle" support success? Why might it be important to consider our beliefs, values and purpose?
Individual & Collective Why	2:16-2:25	Mentimeter	Why do <u>you</u> believe student discourse supports learning? Why do <u>we</u> believe student discourse supports learning as a school community?
Five Practices for Improving Schools <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>PLC Cycle</li> <li>Communities of Practice –Kagan Training &amp; Coaching</li> </ul>	2:25-2:38	Amy Uyeshima	What framework might we consult to help guide our actions this year? How might our work look to this month?  What support will we receive to help us grow, develop and improve as teaching professionals?

**Educator Development & Support for Teachers (EDST) Important Dates:**

(for teachers being evaluated this school year)

- Initial Planning Sheet Due- September 23, 2016
- Initial Planning Conference Deadline- October 7, 2016

**Communities of Practice Cycle 2016-2017**

For new teachers to Nimitz and/or folks who missed Day 1 and Day 2 of Kagan Training in June... please save the following dates for:

Kagan Cooperative Learning Training Day 1- **Saturday, October 29<sup>th</sup>** 8am-3pm  
Kagan Cooperative Learning Training Day 2- **Saturday, November 5<sup>th</sup>** 8am- 3pm