

Collaborative Conversations DVD

Collaborative Conversations with Iowa School Administrators and Teachers was produced by the Iowa Department of Education through Iowa Valley Continuing Education in Marshalltown. This video in DVD format provides interviews with administrators and teachers from seven Iowa schools that have been implementing the collaborative and consultative teaching model for years. The DVD can serve two purposes: 1) to provide viewers with information about how Iowa schools implement collaborative teaching; and 2) to provide those who have viewed the DVD a range of schools which they can visit to learn more about a particular model or approach. Contact names for setting up the visits are provided in the video.

Scene Segments

The interviews are divided into scene segments so viewers can get information about specific topics by going to the menu. Segments include:

1. Descriptions of collaborative teaching models
2. Implementation of collaborative teaching models
3. How do you know this model is working for students?
4. Impact on curriculum
5. How to schedule collaborative teaching models
6. Planning time for teachers
7. Addressing conflicts in the classroom
8. Communication needs
9. System supports
10. Additional considerations

Schools featured

Special appreciation is extended to the schools who welcomed Iowa Department of Education representatives into their schools, and whose staff gave many hours of their valuable time answering questions and contributing to the production of *Collaborative Conversations with Iowa School Administrators and Teachers*.

Cedar Falls High School, Cedar Falls, Iowa
Holmes Junior High, Cedar Falls, Iowa
Miller Middle School, Marshalltown, Iowa
Mount Ayr High School, Mount Ayr, Iowa
Norwalk High School, Norwalk, Iowa
Ottumwa High School, Ottumwa, Iowa
Washington High School, Washington, Iowa

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