Mathematics and the Institutional Setting of Teaching Vanderbilt University

Teacher Survey

Welcome to the Vanderbilt University study of Middle School Mathematics and the Institutional Setting of Teaching (MIST) Survey!

This survey will take approximately 45 minutes to complete. For each of the following questions, unless otherwise directed, please mark the one answer that best describes your experiences as a teacher during the current school year (including last summer). Please answer every question unless directed otherwise.

The first four questions pertain to ALL TEACHERS at your school.

1)	Regarding all teachers in your school, how well does each of the following statements describe conditions in your school?	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
a.	Teachers design instructional programs together	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
b.	Teachers at this school make a conscious effort to coordinate their teaching with instruction at other grade levels	0	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	0
c.	The principal, teachers, and staff collaborate to make this school run effectively	0	\bigcirc	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
d.	Most teachers at this school are cordial	\bigcirc	0	0	\bigcirc	0
e.	Many teachers openly express professional views at meetings no	0	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	0
f.	Teachers are willing to question one another's views	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	0

2)	This question concerns how <u>teachers</u> interact in your school. Please indicate about how many teachers in your school do each of the following:	No Teachers	Some Teachers	Most Teachers	All Teachers	Don't Know
a.	Work together to develop curriculum and instructional materials	\bigcirc	0	\bigcirc	0	\bigcirc
b.	Observe each other teaching	0	0	0	0	\bigcirc
c.	Offer advice or help to each other	\bigcirc	0	\bigcirc	0	\bigcirc
d.	Share ideas on teaching	0	0	0	0	\bigcirc
e.	Promote innovative teaching practices	0	0	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc

3)	In the past 12 months, did you do any of the following?	Yes	No
a.	Participate in regularly scheduled collaborations with other teachers on issues of instruction	0	\bigcirc
b.	Observe, or be observed, by other teachers in your classroom (for at least 10 minutes)	0	0

4) This school year, how often have you received	Never	1-2 Times	3-5 Times	6-10 Times	More than 10 Times
colleagues?	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	0	\bigcirc

5) What is the PRIMARY text you use in	Connected Mathematic s Project (CMP)	Connected Math Project 2 (CMP2)	Glencoe	Other
your mathematics instruction:	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	0	0

6) What is the SECONDARY text you use in your mathematics instruction (if	Connected Mathematic s Project (CMP)	Connected Math Project 2 (CMP2)	Glencoe	Other
applicable)?	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	0	0

The next few questions pertain to your interactions with other MATHEMATICS teachers.

7)	Now consider conditions of mathematics teaching. How well does each of the following statements describe conditions in your school?	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
a.	Teachers in this school regularly share ideas about mathematics instruction	0	0	0	0	0
b.	There is a lot of disagreement among teachers about how to teach mathematics	0	0	0	0	0
c.	I work regularly with other teacher(s) on mathematics curriculum and instruction	0	0	0	0	0
d.	I feel supported by other teachers to try out new ideas in teaching mathematics	0	0	0	0	0

8) How many hours per week are scheduled for you to collaborate with other mathematics teachers?							
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○ 3	\bigcirc 3.5	◯ 4	○ 4.5	\bigcirc 5	○ 5.5		
$\bigcirc 6$	○ 6.5	○ 7	○ 7.5	○ 8	○ 8.5		
○ 9	○ 9.5	$\bigcirc 10$	\bigcirc more than 1	0			
9) How many	of those scheduled ho	urs per week do you	typically spend collab	orating with other n	nathematics		
teachers?							
$\bigcirc 0$	\bigcirc 0.5	$\bigcirc 1$	○ 1.5	\bigcirc 2	\bigcirc 2.5		
○ 3	\bigcirc 3.5	◯ 4	○ 4.5	\bigcirc 5	○ 5.5		
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10)	So far this school year (including last summer), how often have the following events occurred?	Never	1-2 Times	3-5 Times	6-10 Times	More than 10 Times
a.	A mathematics teacher observed my teaching (for at least 10 minutes)	0	0	0	0	0
b.	I observed a mathematics teacher teach in a classroom (for at least 10 minutes)	0	0	0	0	0
11)	Indicate the number of teachers about whom the following statements are true:	None		Some		All
a.	I have detailed knowledge of the <i>instructional methods</i> used by other middle school mathematics teachers at my school	0		0		0
b.	I have detailed knowledge of the <i>mathematics content</i> covered by other middle school mathematics teachers at my school	0		0		0
12)	So far this school year (including last summer), how often have you done the following with another mathematics teacher?	Never	1-2 Times	Quarterly	Monthly	At least weekly
a.	Discussed administrative tasks and how to fulfill them	0	0	0	0	0
b.	Discussed/clarified the key mathematical ideas in a particular lesson or unit	0	0	0	0	0
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particular lesson or unit	Ú,))	0	
c. Discussed different ways in which students solve a particular problem	\bigcirc	0	0	0	
d. Discussed why certain mathematical ideas are difficult for students to understand	\bigcirc	0	0	0	
e. Discussed approaches to teaching mathematical ideas that are usually difficult for students to understand	\bigcirc	0	0	0	
f. Jointly planned for instruction	\bigcirc	0	0	0	
g. Shared materials related to mathematics instruction	\bigcirc	0	0	0	
h. Discussed how to manage classroom routines and	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	

h.	Discussed how to manage classroom routines and procedures (e.g.; collecting homework)	\bigcirc	0	\bigcirc	0
i.	Discussed the behavior of specific students	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	0
j.	Matched the curriculum to the standards	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	0

13) Does your school have a school-based mathematics coach?	Yes	No
15) Does your school have a school-based mathematics coach?	0	0

The next three questions pertain to your interactions with your school-based mathematics coach.

14) So far this school year (including last summer), how often have the following events occurred?	Never	1-2 times	3-5 times	6-10 times	11-20 times	More than 20 times
a. A mathematics coach observed my teaching (for at least 10 minutes)	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
b. A mathematics coach reviewed my students' work	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
c. I discussed my teaching with a mathematics coach	0	0	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
d. I observed a mathematics coach demonstrate teaching in a classroom (for at least 10 minutes)	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc

15) So far this school year (including last summer), to what extent has your mathematics coach assisted you with the following?	Not at all	To a small extent	To a moderate extent	To a great extent
a. Clarifying the key mathematical ideas in a particular lesson or unit	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
b. Understanding different ways in which students solve a particular problem	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
c. Clarifying why certain mathematical ideas are difficult for students to understand	\bigcirc	0	0	\bigcirc
d. Teaching mathematical ideas that are usually difficult for students to understand	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
e. Planning for instruction	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
f. Acquiring materials related to mathematics instruction	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
g. Establishing classroom routines and procedures (e.g., collecting homework)	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
h. Managing the behavior of specific students	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
i. Matching the curriculum to the standards	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc

(#15 continued)	Not at all	To a small extent	To a moderate extent	To a great extent
j. Using state test scores to improve your instruction	\bigcirc	0	0	0

16)	To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?	Strongly Disagre e	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagre e	Agree	Strongly Agree
a.	My mathematics coach communicates a clear vision for mathematics instruction.	0	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	0
b.	My mathematics coach possesses a thorough knowledge of the curriculum and related instructional materials	0	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	0
c.	My mathematics coach understands the challenges involved in using the curriculum effectively	0	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	0
d.	The purpose of the mathematics coach visiting my classroom is to directly assist me in improving my teaching	0	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	0
e.	The purpose of the mathematics coach visiting my classroom is to evaluate my teaching in terms of job performance	0	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	0

The next four questions pertain to your interactions with your school principal (or assistant principals).

17) So far this school year (including last summer), how often have the following events occurred?	Never	1-2 times	3-5 times	6-10 times	11-20 times	More than 20 times
a. I discussed my teaching with a school principal or an assistant principal	\bigcirc	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
b. A school principal or an assistant principal observed my teaching (for at least 10 minutes)	0	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
c. A school principal or an assistant principal provided me with feedback to improve my instruction after observing my teaching	0	0	0	\bigcirc	0	\bigcirc
d. A school principal or an assistant principal reviewed my students' work with me	0	0	0	\bigcirc	0	\bigcirc

18) So far this school year (including last summer), to what extent has your principal (or assistant principal) assisted you with the following?	Not at all	To a small extent	To a moderate extent	To a great extent
a. Planning for instruction	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
b. Acquiring materials related to mathematics instruction	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	0

	(#18 continued)	Not at all	To a small extent	To a moderate extent	To a great extent
c.	Acquiring materials related to mathematics instruction	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
d.	Establishing classroom routines and procedures (e.g., collecting homework)	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
e.	Managing the behavior of specific students	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
f.	Matching the curriculum to the standards	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
g.	Using state test scores to improve your instruction	0	0	\bigcirc	0
h.	Identifying individuals who can share their expertise in mathematics (and/or mathematics teaching)	0	0	0	0
i.	Understanding the central mathematical ideas in the curriculum	0	0	0	0

19)	To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?	Strongly Disagre e	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagre e	Agree	Strongly agree
a.	The purpose of my school principal (or assistant principal) visiting my classroom is to directly assist me in improving my teaching	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
b.	The purpose of my school principal (or assistant principal) visiting my classroom is to evaluate my teaching in terms of job performance	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
c.	My principal (or assistant principal) possesses a thorough knowledge of the curriculum and related instructional materials	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
d.	My principal (or assistant principal) appreciates the challenges involved in using the curriculum effectively	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc

20) To what extent do you agree or disagree that your principal (or assistant principal) does the following?	Strongly Disagre e	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagre e	Agree	Strongly agree
a. Makes clear to the staff his or her expectations for meeting instructional goals in mathematics	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
b. Sets high standards for mathematics teaching	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc

c. Understands how children learn mathematics	0	0	0	\bigcirc	0
(#20 continued)	Strongly Disagre e	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagre e	Agree	Strongly agree
d. Sets high standards for student learning in mathematics	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
e. Presses mathematics teachers to implement what they have learned in professional development	0	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
f. Carefully tracks student academic progress in mathematics	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	0	\bigcirc
g. Knows what's going on in my classroom	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	0	\bigcirc
h. Actively monitors the quality of mathematics teaching in this school	0	0	\bigcirc	0	\bigcirc
i. Communicates a clear vision for mathematics instruction	0	0	0	0	0

21) To what extent do your principal (or assistant nrincipal) and mathematics coach share a	Don't know	Not at all	To a small extent	To a moderate extent	To a great extent
vision for mathematics instruction?	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc

22) To what extent do your principal, other teachers, and your mathematics coach expect you to do the following things? (not at all, to a small extent, to a moderate extent, to a great extent)	Principal	Other Teachers	Math Coach
		\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all
a.	Adhere to a prescribed pacing in	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
	my instruction	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
		\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent
		\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all
b.	Make sure that my students' test	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
	scores are high	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
		\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent
		\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all
с.	Address the state/ district	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
	objectives and standards	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
		\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent

		\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all
d.	Have whole classroom	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
	ascussion in which students	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
	explain now mey solved tasks	\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent
	(#22 continued)	Principal	Other Teachers	Math Coach
	(#22 continueu)	1 i incipai	Other reachers	Wiath Coach
	Have small group discussion in	\bigcirc Not at all	○ Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all
e.	which students explain how they	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
	solved tasks	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
		\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent
£	Lize the adopted surriculum as a	\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all
1.	basis for my classroom	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
	instruction	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
		\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent
a	Keen my students guiet and	\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all
g.	disciplined during classroom	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
	instruction	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
		\bigcirc To a great extent	O To a great extent	O To a great extent
		\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all
h.	Use challenging, problem-	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
	solving tasks with my students	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
		\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent	O To a great extent
i	Use students' current	\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all
1.	mathematical thinking to inform	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
	my instruction	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
	-	\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent
		\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all
j.	Collaborate with other	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
	mathematics teachers	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
		\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent	O To a great extent
		\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all
k.	Observe other mathematics	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
	teachers instruction	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
		\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent
1.	Use him/her/them as a resource	\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all
	when instructional problems	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
	arise	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
		\bigcirc 10 a great extent	\bigcirc 10 a great extent	\bigcirc 10 a great extent
		\bigcirc Not at all \bigcirc To a small surtant	\bigcirc Not at all \bigcirc To a small surtant	\bigcirc Not at all \bigcirc To a small suffer
m.	wake my lesson plans available	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
	101 101100	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
		\bigcirc 10 a great extent	\bigcirc 10 a great extent	\bigcirc 10 a great extent
n.	Assist other mathematics	\bigcirc INOT at all \bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc Not at all \bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc Not at all \bigcirc To a small extent
	teachers in improving their	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
	instruction	\bigcirc To a modelate extent	\bigcirc To a model at extent	\bigcirc To a modelate extent

23) To what extent do you try to satisfy your principal's expectations?	Not at all	To a small extent	To a moderate extent	To a great extent
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24) To what extent do you try to satisfy other	Not at all	To a small extent	To a moderate extent	To a great extent
mathematics teachers' expectations?	0	0	0	0

25) To what extent do you try to satisfy your math coach's expectations?	Not at all	To a small extent	To a moderate extent	To a great extent
	0	0	0	0

The next set of questions pertains to the school or district professional development you have received so far this school year (including last summer).

26) So far this school year (including last summer), how much time in total hours have you spent in professional	0	Less than 6	6-15	16-35	More than 35
development workshops or seminars in mathematics or mathematics education?	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc

27) To what extent were the following topics addressed in professional development sessions, and, if they were addressed, to what extent have they impacted your instruction? (Mark one choice for each: If the topic was not addressed, you can leave the second part blank.)	Topic Was Addressed	Impacted My Institution
	○ Not at all	○ Not at all
a Maating state standards or assessment requirements	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
a. Meeting state standards of assessment requirements	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
	\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent
	\bigcirc Not at all	○ Not at all
h Managing the alaggroom and/or student disainline	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
b. Managing the classioon and/or student discipline	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
	\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent
	○ Not at all	○ Not at all
a Analyzing students' mathematics work	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
c. Analyzing students mathematics work	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
	\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent

d. Deepening my knowledge of mathematics	 Not at all To a small extent To a moderate extent 	 Not at all To a small extent To a moderate extent
	\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent

(#27 continued)	Topic Was Addressed	Impacted My Institution
	\bigcirc Not at all	○ Not at all
e. Leading discussions where students have to justify their	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
mathematics solutions	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
	\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent
	\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all
f. Understanding the central mathematical ideas in the	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
curriculum	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
	\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent
	\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all
a Using challenging, problem solving tasks	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
g. Using chanenging, problem-solving tasks	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
	\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent
	○ Not at all	
h. Using strategies to engage all students in challenging,	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
problem-solving tasks	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
	\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent
	\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all
i. Effectively using the adopted curriculum	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
1. Effectively using the adopted curriculum	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
	\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent
	\bigcirc Not at all	\bigcirc Not at all
j. Understanding how student mathematical reasoning	\bigcirc To a small extent	\bigcirc To a small extent
develops	\bigcirc To a moderate extent	\bigcirc To a moderate extent
	\bigcirc To a great extent	\bigcirc To a great extent

28) To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about school and district professional development sessions this school year (including last summer)? The professional development sessions	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
a. Included opportunities to work productively with other teachers	0	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
b. Advocated practices I do not believe in	0	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
c. Led me to try new instructional approaches with my students	0	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	0
d. Led me to use strategies that engaged all my students in challenging, problem-solving tasks	0	0	0	\bigcirc	0
e. Made me question my beliefs and assumptions about which teaching methods work best with students	0	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
f. Focused on too many topics	0	0	0	0	0

(#28 continued)	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
g. Were successfully linked to each other to form a coherent program (and not just a bunch of disjointed sessions)	0	0	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
h. Were consistent with the way my teaching performance was evaluated	0	0	0	\bigcirc	0
i. Were consistent with my own goals for instruction	0	0	0	0	0

29) To what extent have you made efforts to change your teaching based on your experience in the professional development sessions this school year (including last summer)?	Not at all	To a small extent	To a moderate extent	To a great extent
	0	0	0	0

30) What has been the response of the following people to your efforts to change your teaching based on your experience in the professional development sessions?	Strong resistance	Resistance	Neither resistance nor support	Support	Strong support
a. School administrators	0	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
b. Other teachers	0	0	\bigcirc	0	0

31) So far this school year (including last summer), how much emphasis have you given each of the following?	Little or no emphasis	Moderate emphasis	Heavy emphasis
a. Developing reasoning and analytical ability to solve unique problems	0	0	0
b. Learning how to communicate ideas in mathematics effectively	0	0	0
c. Developing an appreciation for the importance of mathematics	0	0	0
 Learning skills and procedures needed to solve routine problems 	0	0	0

32) S h	So far this school year (including last summer), how often have your students done each of the following?	Never or hardly ever	Once or twice a month	Once or twice a week	Almost every day
a. W pi	Written a few sentences about how to solve a mathematics problem	0	0	0	0
b. D st	Discussed solutions to mathematics problems with other atudents	0	0	0	0
c. S pa	Solved mathematics problems in small groups or with a partner	0	0	0	0
d. T	Talked to the class about their mathematics work	0	0	0	0

33)	To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the primary mathematics curriculum at your school?	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagre e	Agree	Strongly agree
a.	It contains useful information for me about underlying mathematical ideas	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
b.	It provides me with useful information about how to teach particular mathematical ideas and procedures	0	\bigcirc	0	\bigcirc	0
c.	It provides me with useful information about what students typically know, can do, or have difficulty with	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc

34) To what extent is the primary mathematics curriculum at your school consistent with each of the following?	Not at all	To a small extent	To a moderate extent	To a great extent
a. My personal beliefs about effective teaching methods	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	0
b. Ways of teaching mathematics promoted in professional development sessions	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
c. Mission of your school	0	0	0	0

35) During this school year (including last summer), is	Yes	No
there a person you have turned to for advice or information about teaching mathematics?	0	0

If you answered 'No' to question 35, please skip to question 60.

36) During this school year (including last summer), to whom have you turned for advice or information about teaching mathematics? Please write full first and last names (if known), and give a brief description of that person's role or position.

Name:

Role:

37)	What type(s) of advice or information do you seek from this person? Please check all options that apply.
\bigcirc	Doing mathematics problems together with discussions of different solution strategies
\bigcirc	Discussing different ways students are likely to solve tasks
\bigcirc	Discussing why some students didn't learn as expected in a lesson in order to pan for future instruction
\bigcirc	Analyzing examples of student work in order to adjust instruction
\bigcirc	Analyzing examples of student work to understand the different ways that students solve problems
\bigcirc	Analyzing student work to see if students "got it"
\bigcirc	Discussing how to make use of student solution strategies in whole class mathematical discussions
\bigcirc	Discussing pacing
\bigcirc	Discussing what materials to use for a lesson
\bigcirc	After a lesson, sharing whether students "got it"
\bigcirc	Sharing materials or activities
\bigcirc	Updating one another on a student or students' progress in mathematics
\bigcirc	Other

	 Daily or almost daily
38) How often do you seek advice or information from	Once or twice per week
this person?	\bigcirc Once or twice per moth
	\bigcirc A few times per year
	\bigcirc Not at all
39) How influential is his/her advice on your work?	○ Somewhat
	○ Very
40) During this school year (including last summer), is there another person you have turned to for advice or information about tacabing mathematics?	 Yes No
or miorination about teaching mathematics:	

If you answered 'No' to question 40, please skip to question 60.

	Name:
	Role:
2)	What type(s) of advice or information do you seek from this person? Please check all options that apply.

- O Discussing why some students didn't learn as expected in a lesson in order to pan for future instruction
- Analyzing examples of student work in order to adjust instruction
- \bigcirc Analyzing examples of student work to understand the different ways that students solve problems
- Analyzing student work to see if students "got it"
- \bigcirc Discussing how to make use of student solution strategies in whole class mathematical discussions
- \bigcirc Discussing pacing
- \bigcirc Discussing what materials to use for a lesson
- After a lesson, sharing whether students "got it"
- \bigcirc Sharing materials or activities
- \bigcirc Updating one another on a student or students' progress in mathematics
- O Other

43) How often do you seek advice or information from this person?	 Daily or almost daily Once or twice per week Once or twice per moth A few times per year
44) How influential is his/her advice on your work?	 Not at all Somewhat Very
45) During this school year (including last summer), is there another person you have turned to for advice or information about teaching mathematics?	○ Yes○ No

If you answered 'No' to question 45, please skip to question 60.

46)	During this school year (including last summer), to whom have you turned for advice or information about teaching mathematics? Please write full first and last names (if known), and give a brief description of that person's role or position.
	Name:
	Role:
47)	What type(s) of advice or information do you seek from this person? Please check all options that apply.
0	Doing mathematics problems together with discussions of different solution strategies
\bigcirc	Discussing different ways students are likely to solve tasks
\bigcirc	Discussing why some students didn't learn as expected in a lesson in order to pan for future instruction
\bigcirc	Analyzing examples of student work in order to adjust instruction
0	Analyzing examples of student work to understand the different ways that students solve problems
Ο	Analyzing student work to see if students "got it"
\bigcirc	Discussing how to make use of student solution strategies in whole class mathematical discussions
\bigcirc	Discussing pacing
\bigcirc	Discussing what materials to use for a lesson
\sim	

- \bigcirc Sharing materials or activities
- O Updating one another on a student or students' progress in mathematics
- O Other _____

48) How often do you seek advice or information from this person?	 Daily or almost daily Once or twice per week Once or twice per moth A few times per year
49) How influential is his/her advice on your work?	 Not at all Somewhat Very
50) During this school year (including last summer), is there another person you have turned to for advice or information about teaching mathematics?	○ Yes○ No

If you answered 'No' to question 50, please skip to question 60.

51)	During this school year (including last summer), to whom have you turned for advice or information about teaching mathematics? Please write full first and last names (if known), and give a brief description of that person's role or position.
	Name:
	Role:
52)	What type(s) of advice or information do you seek from this person? Please check all options that apply.
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- Analyzing examples of student work to understand the different ways that students solve problems
- Analyzing student work to see if students "got it"
- O Discussing how to make use of student solution strategies in whole class mathematical discussions
- \bigcirc Discussing pacing
- \bigcirc Discussing what materials to use for a lesson
- After a lesson, sharing whether students "got it"
- Sharing materials or activities
- O Updating one another on a student or students' progress in mathematics
- O Other

53) How often do you seek advice or information from this person?	 Daily or almost daily Once or twice per week Once or twice per moth A few times per year
54) How influential is his/her advice on your work?	 Not at all Somewhat Very
55) During this school year (including last summer), is there another person you have turned to for advice or information about teaching mathematics?	○ Yes○ No

If you answered 'No' to question 55, please skip to question 61.

teaching mathematics? Please write full first and last names (if known), and give a brief description of that person's role or position.					
	Name:				
	Role:				
57)	What type(s) of advice or information do you seek from this person? Please check all options that apply.				
С	Doing mathematics problems together with discussions of different solution strategies				
C	Discussing different ways students are likely to solve tasks				
C	Discussing why some students didn't learn as expected in a lesson in order to pan for future instruction				
$\sum_{i=1}^{n}$	Analyzing examples of student work in order to adjust instruction				
$\sum_{i=1}^{n}$	Analyzing examples of student work to understand the different ways that students solve problems				
)	Analyzing student work to see if students "got it"				
Ç	Discussing how to make use of student solution strategies in whole class mathematical discussions				
)	Discussing pacing				
Ç	Discussing what materials to use for a lesson				
C	After a lesson, sharing whether students "got it"				
C	Sharing materials or activities				
C	Updating one another on a student or students' progress in mathematics				
С	Other				

58) How often do you seek advice or information from this person?	 Daily or almost daily Once or twice per week Once or twice per moth A few times per year
59) How influential is his/her advice on your work?	 Not at all Somewhat Very

Please continue to the next page.

Lastly, we would like to ask you for some demographic/biographic information.

60) What is your gender?	O Male O Female		
61) What is your ethnicity/race? Choose all that apply.	 African American or Black Asian American Caucasian or White Hispanic Latino/Latina Native American Pacific Islander Other (please specify) 		
62) In what year were you born? Write your response in the box to the right (example: 1972).			
	O Full certification (including advanced professional, regular/standard, probationary)		
63) Which of the following most accurately describes the type of teaching certificate/license/credential that you currently hold? Choose all that apply.	O Partial certification (including temporary, provisional, or emergency state certificate)		
	O No state certification (including certificate not from the state and no certificate)		
	∩ Elementary		

	O Elementary
64) Please select all the grade levels for which you are	O Middle Grades
certified. Choose all that apply.	O Secondary (7-12)
	O Other (please specify)

65)	If you have any additional endorsements, please list them below.
a.	
b.	
c.	
d.	

66) Considering all of your college and graduate education, how many college or university courses have you completed in the following subject areas? Each course should be counted only once. (Check the box in each row that corresponds to the correct number.)	0	1	2	3	4	5 or more
a. Methods of teaching mathematics	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
 Mathematics content courses for teachers (e.g., middle school mathematics for teachers) 	0	0	0	0	0	0
c. Calculus and other advanced mathematics courses for which calculus was a prerequisite	0	0	0	0	0	0

67) Next to each type of postsecondary degree you have received, type in the full name of the college or university from which it was obtained, your major field(s) of study, and minor field(s) of study (if applicable).

Type of degree (Mark all degrees you have received)	Full name of college or university	Major field of study	Minor field of study, if applicable
O Associate's degree			
O Bachelor's degree #1			
O Bachelor's degree #2			
O Master's degree #1			
O Master's degree #2			
O Other (please describe)			

68) Counting this year, how many years in total have you taught mathematics?	
69) How many years in total have you taught any subject?	
70) In what year did you begin teaching in this school? If you have had a break in service of one year or more, please report the year that you returned to the school. Do not include time spent	
as a student teacher.	

You have completed the survey. Thank you very much for your time.

Notes

Questions 1, 2a, 4, 16, 20, and 21 are based on items from the Consortium on Chicago School Research (2003) Elementary School Teacher Survey.

Questions 2b and 30 are based on items from the Eisenhower Professional Development Program (2000) Teacher Activity Survey: Mathematics Version.

Questions 2c, 9 and 28f are based on items from the Study of Instructional Improvement (2001) School Leader Questionnaire.

Questions 2d, 5, 6 and 7a are based on items from Horizon Research (2000) National Survey of Science and Mathematics Education Mathematics Questionnaire.

Questions 2e and 22 are based on items from Horizon Research (2000) Local Systemic Change through Teacher Enhancement, Teacher Questionnaire.

Questions 3a, 8 and 14 are based on items from the Consortium for Policy Research in Education (2005) Study of School Leadership, School Staff Questionnaire.

Question 3b is based on an item from the National Center for Educational Statistics (2000) Schools and Staffing Survey.

Questions 7b, 7c, 7d and 32 are based on items in Cohen D. K., & Hill, H. C. (2001) Learning policy: When state education reform works. New Haven, CT: Yale University Press.

Questions 10, 11, 17, 27b, 28c and 33 are based on items from the Study of Instructional Improvement (2001) Teacher Questionnaire.

Questions 22, 27d, 28i and 29 are based on items from the American Institutes for Research (1999) Longitudinal Teacher Survey of Middle School Mathematics.

Questions 36, 37, 38 and 39 (and similar items through question 59) are based on items from the Spillane Distributed Leadership Study, School Staff Survey.