



Minutes from the MAS Mentor Forum
March 3, 2010
4:00-5:00pm

In Attendance: Arista Elder, Nicole Watson, Peggy Block, Kristy Bowman, Linda Clancy, Faye Dumstrey, Megan Johnson, Katie Morrison, & Rachel Schemelin

Recorder: Rachel Schemelin

Connecting: Accountability Quote

Purpose: To re-connect and reflect on teacher accountability in education

1. Group read the quote on accountability
2. Group chatted on the backchannel chat <http://www.todaysmeet.com/masmentors/> about how mentoring connects to the quote's description of professional inquiry and explanation

Learning: New Teacher Project Survey

Purpose: to select a Case Study Beginning Teacher that you are currently working with and who has demonstrated improved teaching practice and to describe what affect your mentoring work has had on this beginning teacher's effectiveness. Use photocopies of the mentoring tools with the teacher's name stricken out for evidence.

1. Group completed the New Teacher Project Survey and collected/copied documentation to mail to Rhonda
 - a. <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/85PDXKR>

Managing:

- MAS Google Form on Mentoring Tools Survey
- Upcoming Meeting Dates:
Monday May 10 (3:30-4:30)

Closure: Wiki Discussion

Reflection: To reflect on use of the SEWNTP Mentoring Tools

1. Access the wiki (<http://leadmentornetwork.wikispaces.com>)
2. Discussion Board: Share ideas for improving consistency in mentors' use of the mentoring tool