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Please take the next 15 minutes to look for evidence in student work related to the following questions. Write down examples of the evidence you find and be prepared to share what you find with others.

1. What evidence do you see that the student work builds on individual learning styles and skill levels and fosters student self-expression?

2. What evidence do you see that lessons encourage students to develop and apply problem solving strategies?

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1. What evidence is there in the student work presented that gaps exist within the curriculum?

2. What evidence is there in the student work of redundancy or unnecessary overlap within the curriculum schoolwide?

3. What questions emerge for you from looking at student' work?

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