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Grading and Reporting Student Learning

Effective Policies and Practices

Presented by

Tom Guskey

This presentation describes the good, the bad, and the ugly of grading and reporting policies and practices. Stressing the importance of fairness and honesty in grading, a variety of ways to report student learning progress to parents and the community are discussed, including report cards, alternative formats for parent conferences, newsletters, phone calls, and other reporting tools. Designing new reporting structures that better communicate and involve parents in students' learning will be highlighted, along with policies and practices that should be avoided due to their negative consequences for students, teachers, and schools.

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Time: 8:30-3:30

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