

## Sweet Tea and Restorative Practices

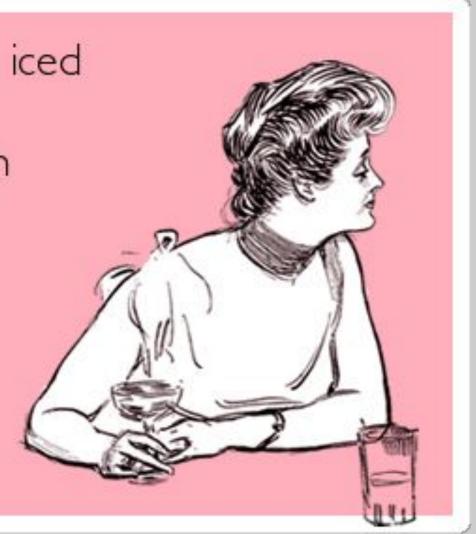
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"I'd like a sweet iced tea, please?" "Is unsweet with sugar packets "Is Monopoly money ok?"





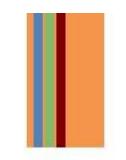
Sweet tea is like teaching, the same recipe doesn't work for every student.

#### Focused on a Problem of Practice

"A problem of practice is something that you care about that would make a difference for student learning if you improved it."

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Elmore, et al., Instructional Rounds, p. 102



### Objectives of PoP:

- 1) Must meet a need at RES
- 2) Must result in higher academic achievement
- 3) Must focus on the adults
- 4) Must be measureable
- 5) Must be sustainable





- ★ SIT goal of SEL
- ★ Trauma informed teaching—Resiliance Movie
- \* Ask for strategies that help deescalate students
- ★ Interest in building classroom communities
- ★ Discipline data
- \* Admin use of restorative practices

# Using Restorative Strategies to Address Difficult Student Behavior in the Elementary Classroom

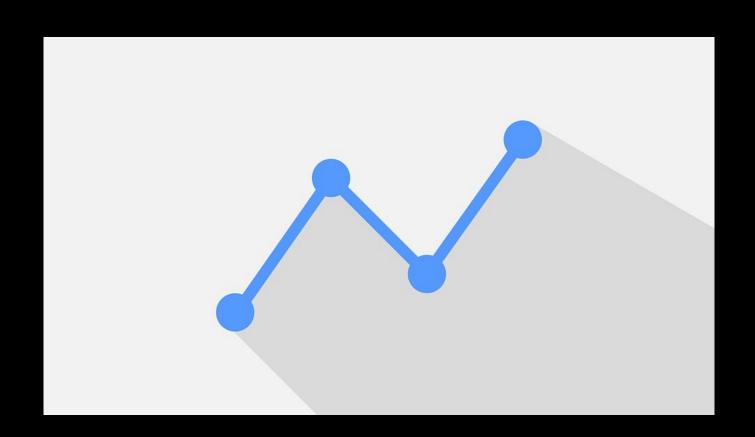
Marta-Malia Blake JPLA-NCSU 2020 Part One: Create a cohort of teachers who are passionate or curious about using restorative practices in the classroom.



Part Two: Create a toolbox of strategies that can be used with students at various points of triggering.



#### Part Three: Data Collection





Part Four: Book Study: Hacking School Discipline

### Who can participate?

- If you are a teacher or TA who works closely with children
- If you have students in your class who exhibit challenging behaviors
- If you want to learn more about restorative practices
- If you want additional strategies to add to your tool kit
- If you want to study and practice classroom community building
- If you feel alone in your struggle to reach certain students
- If you have a student who is on a behavior plan

### Interested?

Complete the form, email me, or let's chat!

You cannot be all things to all students. But sometimes, just sometimes, you will be the right teacher at the right time. You will be the exact teacher that one child needed more than anything.

SCHOOL LEADERS NOW -Paul F. C. Mundy

