

School Leaders' Engagement With The Concept of Evidence-Based Practice As A Management Tool For School Improvement

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Empowering educators with evidence

Proof of concept for evidence-Informed Practice

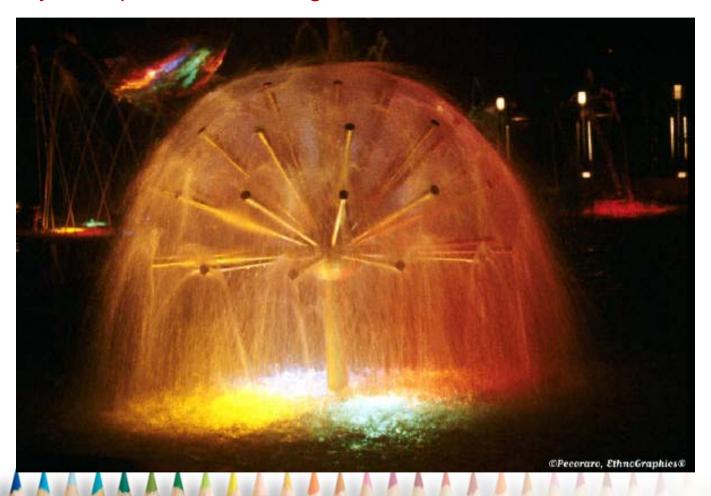


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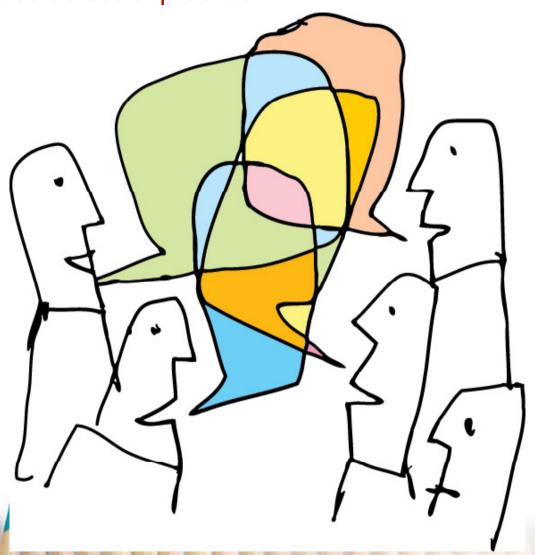
Research-proven programmes and practices



Theory of Expansive Learning



Research-use as social practice



Case Studies of 3 Primary Schools



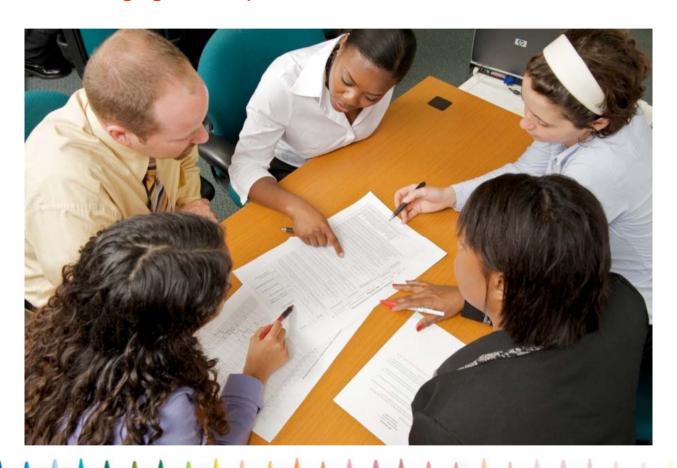




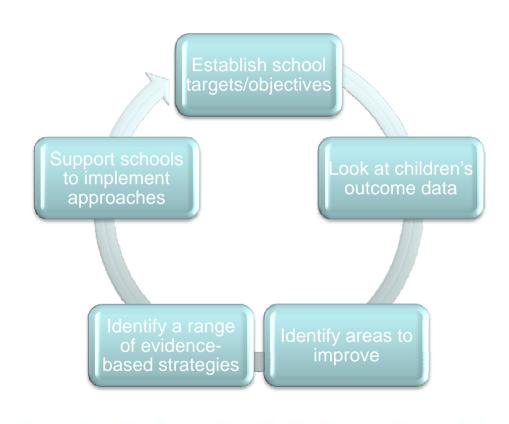
Epistemic Actions	Engagement Process Stages
Questioning	Stage 1. Setting the Scene
Analysing	Stage 2. Digging Deeper
Constructing a model to identify a solution	Stage 3. A Way Forward
Running the model	Stage 4. Managing Change
Consolidating outcomes into a new stable form of practice	Stage 5. Capturing Outcomes and Sustaining Change

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The Engagement process



Model of the Engagement process





Outcomes



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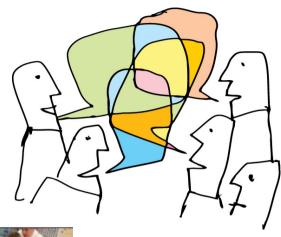


Outcomes



Conclusions and Recommendations













Thank you for your attention.

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