

Module 3: The Journey Ahead

OBSERVE

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Log into your online account and watch the following units:

3.2 – Foundation and Framework

3.3 – Rethinking

3.4 – Reforming

3.5 – The Path to Mastery

REFLECT

3D is a framework for teaching built on a foundation of purpose. For any framework to stand when tested it requires a solid foundation. With that in place you can now learn to architect a masterful program. But any real learning that takes place is the result of a growth process, and growth takes time. According to Greek thought, there are two types of time that we experience: Chronos time and Kairos time. Chronos time refers to chronological time. Kairos time refers to the moments that often-become significant markers in our lives. Kairos moments, whether positive or negative, cause us to step off the Chronos timeline and into a process of self-assessment. You are now on the “path to mastery”.

1. What has been a significant Kairos moment you have experienced in life? What impact did that experience have on your life?

2. Up to this point in the course, what has been your greatest “Aha!” moment related to where we are as an educational culture?

DISCUSS

Observation is a critical first step, but it's only the beginning. The 3D journey ahead will take you through a process of reflection, discussion, planning, establishing accountability, and action. At the conclusion of this course, you will have a purpose statement that will serve as your foundation, and a 3D framework for teaching to fulfill your stated purpose.

1. Why is it important to establish your foundational purpose statement for the 3D framework?

The visual of the path to mastery illustrates what we believe every teacher has experienced in their life of education, both as a participant and as a teacher.

2. How many quick bursts can you identify in your teaching journey?

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3. Where would you locate yourself on the path presently?
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