

Figure 8.6 Assessing an Integrated, Collaborative Model to Serve ELs

Rate the following activities on a scale of 1 to 5, with 1 indicating that it never takes place and 5 indicating that it is a common practice.

1 = Never 2 = Rarely 3 = Sometimes 4 = Frequently 5 = Always or almost always

1. Interdisciplinary, cross-specialization conversations

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| a. to discuss students' linguistic and academic development | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| b. to consider ELs' changing curricular and instructional needs and appropriate adaptations | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| c. to explore extracurricular opportunities for ELs | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| d. to examine student work | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| e. to enhance parental involvement | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

Other:

2. Common planning opportunity

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| a. to compare and align lesson objectives | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| b. to design or modify instructional materials | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| c. to adapt instructional strategies | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| d. to adapt curriculum | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| e. to align curriculum | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| f. to engage in curriculum mapping | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

Other:

3. Shared classroom experiences

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| a. classroom visits to observe each other's best practices | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| b. classroom visits to observe ELs' participation in various instructional settings | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| c. classroom visits to peer coach (such as using the 2 + 2 model) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

d. co-teaching to deliver instruction collaboratively	1	2	3	4	5
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Other:

4. Reflection and inquiry

a. working in well-established teacher teams	1	2	3	4	5
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b. participating in collegial circles	1	2	3	4	5
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c. participating in teacher study groups	1	2	3	4	5
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d. sharing professional readings (sharing literature on collaboration and ELD/ELL topics)	1	2	3	4	5
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e. conducting collaborative action research	1	2	3	4	5
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f. engaging in lesson study	1	2	3	4	5
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g. offering internal staff development for colleagues (on collaboration and ELD/ELL topics)	1	2	3	4	5
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Other:

5. Administrative support and feedback

a. offering instructional leadership (being knowledgeable about both ELD/ELL and collaborative practices)	1	2	3	4	5
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b. establishing logistical support for all levels of collaboration	1	2	3	4	5
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c. securing necessary materials and resources	1	2	3	4	5
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d. offering ongoing professional-development opportunities that foster collaboration	1	2	3	4	5
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e. creating a professional learning community	1	2	3	4	5
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Other:



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