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Questioning Patterns

Instructions to the Coach: Collect data about the questioning patterns you notice the teacher using. Just script the questioning pattern (questions and responses) and let the teacher identify the pattern during a reflecting conversation. This tool could be used in conjunction with reading the article “Questioning Our Patterns of Questioning” (Herbel-Eisenmann & Breyfogle, 2005).

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