

RESOURCE 7.3 FOR TEACHERS AND OTHER SCHOOL LEADERS

Engaging in Action Research

Independently, with a partner, a grade-level team, or professional learning community, decide on an important issue related to multilingual education that you wish to pursue. Here are the steps you may wish to follow over the course of a semester to conduct action research.

STEPS FOR ACTION RESEARCH	WHAT I (WE) PLAN TO DO	TIME FRAME
1. Identify an issue or a focus for investigation and its potential impact.		
2. Pose questions to explore.		
3. Gather relevant data.		
4. Analyze and interpret the information.		
5. Give feedback and report results.		
6. Act on evidence and decide on a course of action.		