Table 1.3 Comparison of Ladson-Billings, Gay, and Hammond's Views of CRT

Teachers' Actions
• Help students to recognize,
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Educator	CRT Goals	Teachers' Actions
Gay	<ul> <li>Use the cultural knowledge, prior experiences, frames of reference, and performance styles of ethnically diverse students to make learning encounters more relevant and effective.</li> <li>Look closely at what all students bring to their learning.</li> <li>View culture as an asset, which can be used effectively to enhance academic and social achievement.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Restructure attitudes and beliefs.</li> <li>Understand resistance to CRT.</li> <li>Center culture and difference.</li> <li>Establish pedagogical connections.</li> </ul>
Hammond	<ul> <li>Focus on the impact of CRT on the brain and learning; the brain seeks to minimize social threats and maximize opportunities to connect.</li> <li>Couple all new information with existing funds of knowledge in order to be learned.</li> <li>Ensure that cultural knowledge serves as a scaffold to connect what the student knows to new concepts and content in order to promote effective information processing.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Use stories, music, and repetition to connect to students and build intellective capacity.</li> <li>Consciously work to make sure that all students feel included and valued.</li> <li>Develop a sociopolitical consciousness.</li> <li>Create student-teacher relationships and socialemotional connections to students.</li> </ul>