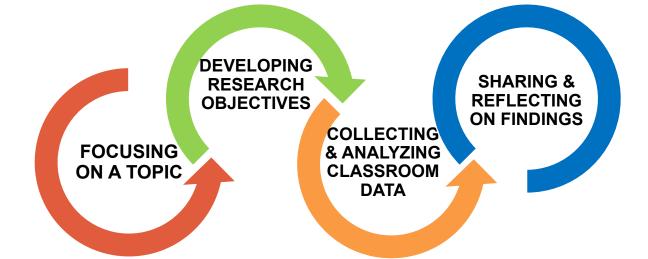
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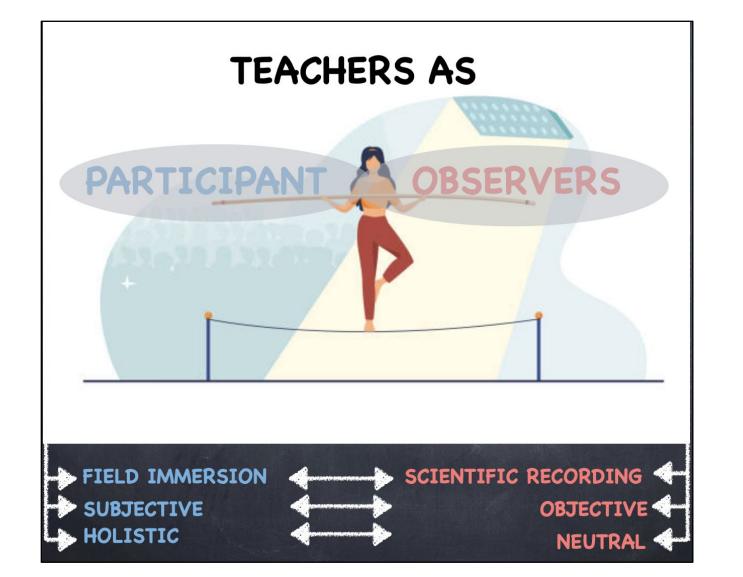
TEACHERS

- O ENHANCES PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
- O SUPPORTS EVIDENCE-BASED DECISION-MAKING
- REFINES CLASSROOM STRATEGIES
- O INFORMS PEDAGOGICAL APPROACHES
- O FOSTERS A SENSE OF ACCOMPLISHMENT

STUDENTS

- LEADS TO PERSONALIZED
 LEARNING EXPERIENCES
- O BOOSTS MOTIVATION AND ENGAGEMENT
- ENHANCES CRITICAL THINKING
- FOSTERS A DEEPER UNDERSTANDING
- OUTCOMES LEARNING

Dual Role in the Classroom







The Impact of Teacher Research



TEACHER IDENTITY

ADAPTABILITY

LIFELONG LEARNING

TEACHER AGENCY

PROACTIVE DECISION-MAKING

INFORMED PRACTICES
AUTONOMY

TEACHER VOICE

INFLUENTIAL CONTRIBUTION

ADVOCACY FOR CHANGE
MENTORSHIP

Mentoring Teacher Researchers









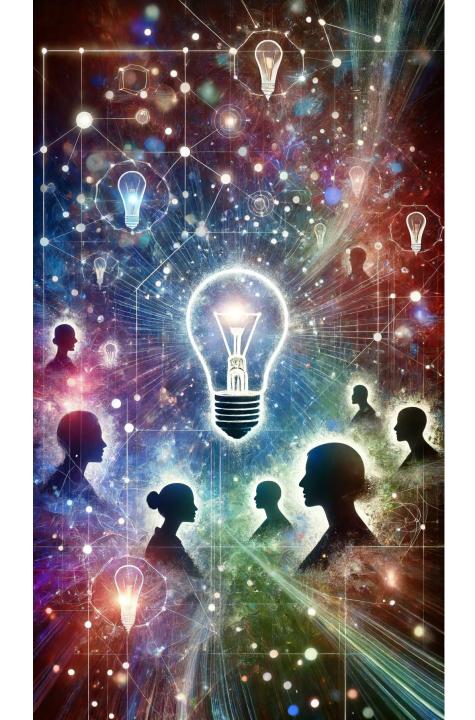
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Modeling







The Essence of Research

"Research is to see what everybody else has seen, and to think what nobody else has thought."

– Albert Szent-Györgyi, Nobel Prize-winning physiologist