Nature Meets Nurture:  
Developing Teacher Leaders Who Nourish Individual Student Growth  
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Questions to ponder:

1) Consider…how were you first evaluated as a teacher?

2) What are some characteristics of teacher evaluation over the past 75 years which I feel should still be priorities today?

3) What do I value most when I am evaluated? Are any of those traits listed as valued by evaluation research?

4) What evaluation traits that I value are listed as high-impact teaching practices?

5) Which 2 research-based effective classroom strategies am I not focusing on that perhaps I should consider?

6) Which one of those strategies I chose can I use to improve my classroom differentiation? Is there someone I can partner with to encourage me in doing this over the next month?

Additional Resources: Books


**Additional Resources: Websites**

2. Differentiated Instruction: and Implications for UDL Implementation - [http://aim.cast.org/learn/historyarchive/backgroundpapers#.VHTTl9LF-So](http://aim.cast.org/learn/historyarchive/backgroundpapers#.VHTTl9LF-So)
3. Why Differentiate Instruction? By Carol Ann Tomlinson - [http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lcQ8shR37yg](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lcQ8shR37yg)
4. What is Differentiated Instruction? - [http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bApuBiitL8Q](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bApuBiitL8Q)
5. Differentiating Instruction, 6-12, Part I: Student Choice - [http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=akvDT9KFZPw](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=akvDT9KFZPw)
7. UDL Guidelines – Version 2.0: Principle 1. Provide Multiple Means of Representation - [www.udlcenter.org/aboutudl/udlguidelines/principle1#1_g1](http://www.udlcenter.org/aboutudl/udlguidelines/principle1#1_g1)
8. Tiered Assignments - [http://www.doe.state.in.us/exceptional/gt/tiered_curriculum/welcome.html](http://www.doe.state.in.us/exceptional/gt/tiered_curriculum/welcome.html)
15. Getting Started on Differentiated Instructions - [http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LGYa6ZacUTM](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LGYa6ZacUTM)

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