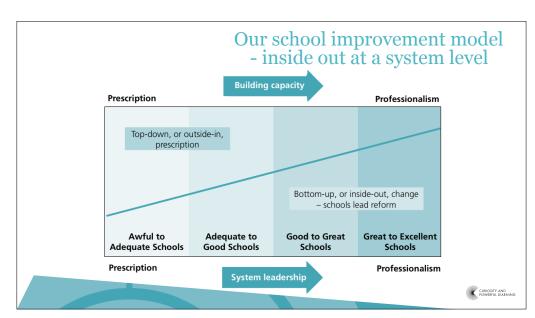


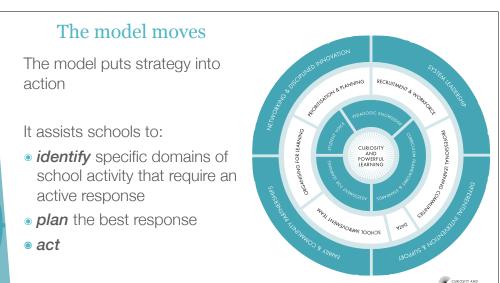
SCHC	DOL IMPROVEMENT	Agree Yes/	Important 1 to 10			Agree Yes/	Important 1 to 10
RINCIPLE	WHEN schools and systems are driven by moral purpose THEN all students are more likely to fulfil their potential.	, RIA		PRINCIPLE 6	WHEN data is used to monitor, provide feedback about, and enhance student performance THEN students' progress accelerates		
PRINCIPLE 2	WHEN the focus of policy is on the quality of teaching THEN student achievement will increase.			PRINCIPLE 7	WHEN teachers and schools, in their search for improvement, reflect deeply on school and student performance and act on evidence about learning THEN the student learning experience deepens and outcomes improve.		
PRINCIPLE PRINCIPLE	WHEN schools and teachers are of high quality THEN relative disadvantage no longer determines educational success. WHEN the focus is on powerful			PRINCIPLE 8	WHEN leadership is instructionally focused and widely distributed THEN both teachers and students can capitalise fully on their capacity to learn and achieve.		
4	learning THEN students attain more, and develop their cognitive and social skills.			PRINCIPLE 9	WHEN teachers and leaders employ more precise strategies for teaching learning and improvement THEN the whole system benefits.		
PRINCIPLE 5	WHEN teachers constantly acquire a richer repertoire of pedagogic practice THEN students' learning constantly deepens.			PRINCIPLE 10	WHEN the system as a whole takes student learning seriously THEN moral purpose is achieved.		

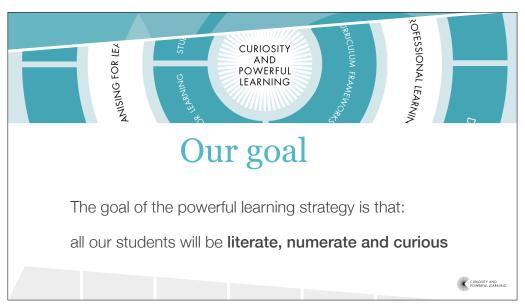


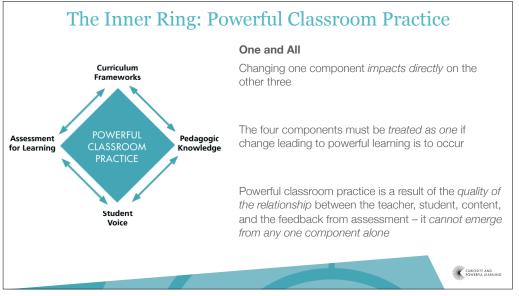




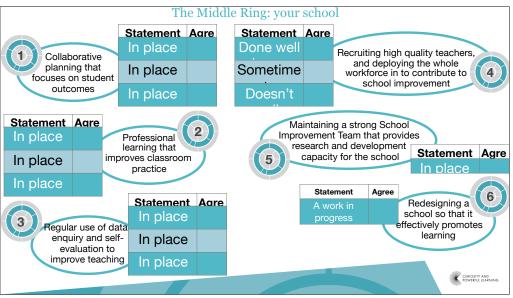


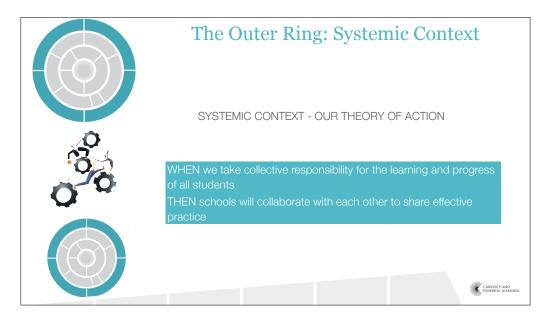


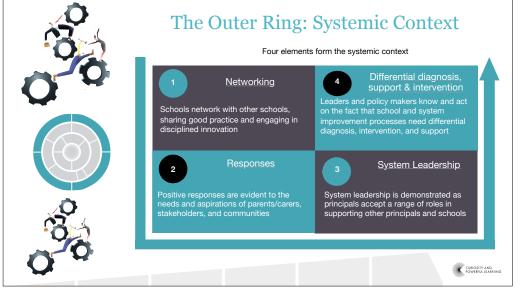












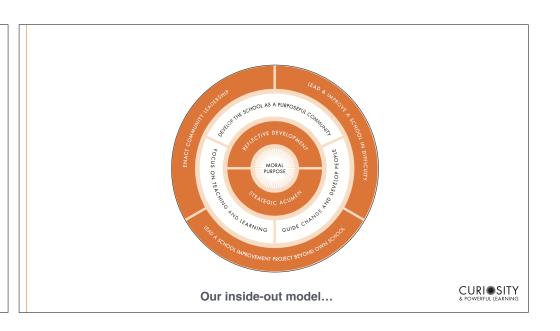
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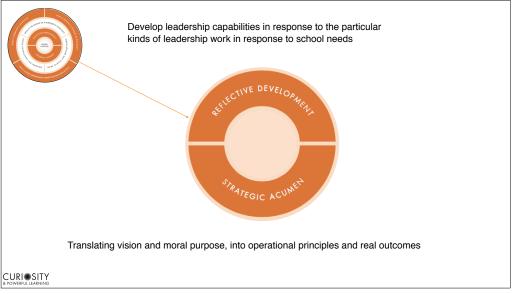
School Level	improve teaching and learning by setting objectives and influencing classroom practice	
Local Level	improve opportunities by collaborating with other schools and local communities	
System Level	essential for successful education reform	

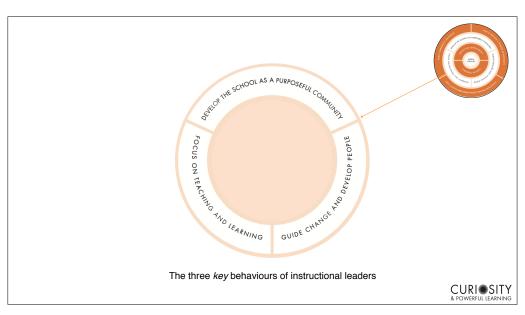
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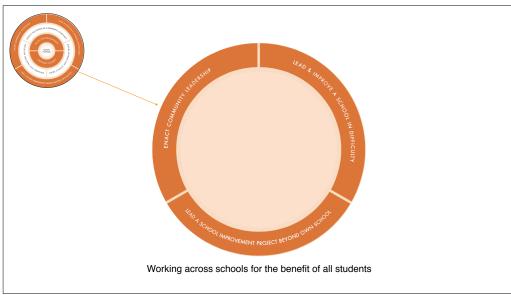














STRATEGIC LEADERSHIP

INSTRUCTIONAL LEADERSHIP



SYSTEM LEADERSHIP



Leadership - Effect Sizes

Leadership Model	Leadership Style	Implementation Strategy	Effect Size
Managing teaching and learning	Instructional	Five phase framework	0.22
Developing People	Adaptive	Infrastructure for Professional Learning	0.21
Developing the Organisation	Strategic	Improvement Pathway	0.27
Working across Schools	System	Networks	0.27



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PHASE 1 Embed the story of the curiosity journey

PHASE 2

Select the key

strategies that

promote inquiry

pedagogic

Instructional Leadership:

- develops and embeds the improvement story
- based on moral purpose
- necessary but NOT sufficient

Adaptive Leadership:

- the foundation for developing a professional learning infrastructure to do the "new"
- the means of implementing the intrinsic motivators - autonomy, mastery and purpose



PHASE 5

Culture changes and develops to embrace inquiry

Strategic Leadership:

- developing strategic acumen to do the right things at the right time and in the right sequence
- diagnosing where your school sits on the "good to great" pathway and where to focus effort

System Leadership:

leading the local system for inschool improvement as well as broader system gain



PHASE 4

Achieve consistency in inquiry focused teaching practice



PHASE 3

Place professional learning at the heart of the change process





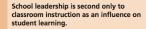


McREL meta-analysis identified positive links between 21 school leadership responsibilities and student achievement

Instructional leadership - what is it?

- Setting direction translating moral purpose into curriculum and high expectations
- Focusing on learning and teaching consistency of planning and practice, innovation that enhances personalisation, enhancing and expanding teacher skills and repertoires
- Guiding change establishing your school as a personal and professional learning community
- School as a purposeful community creating an evidence based and effective school

VEN STRONG CLAIMS ABOUT



- Almost all successful leaders draw on the same repertoire of basic leadership practices.
 - It is the enactment of these basic leadership practices - not the practices themselves that is responsive to the context.
- School leaders improve pupil learning indirectly through their influence on staff motivation and working conditions.
 - School leadership has a greater influence on schools and pupils when it is widely distributed.
- Some patterns of leadership distribution are much more effective than others.

A small handful of personal 'traits' (such as being open minded, flexible, persistent, and optimistic) explain a high proportion of the variation in leader effectiveness.

Leithwood, 2006

How are we going to get there?

Where are we headed?



Develop, nurture, and embed the reform narrative about student learning

Embedding narrative using:

- · the school vision
- · shared leadership
- the school as a learning community
- data
- · monitoring curriculum and instruction



Embed the story of the curiosity journey

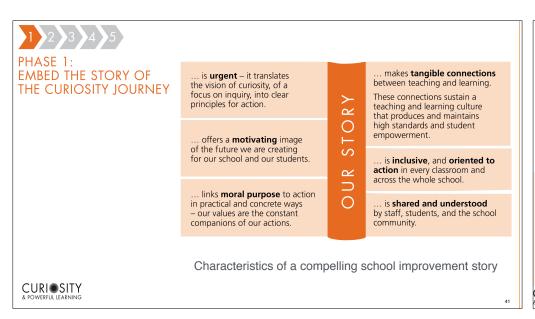
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- Place professional learning at the heart of the change process
- Achieve consistency in inquiry focused teaching practice
- Culture changes and develops to embrace inquiry

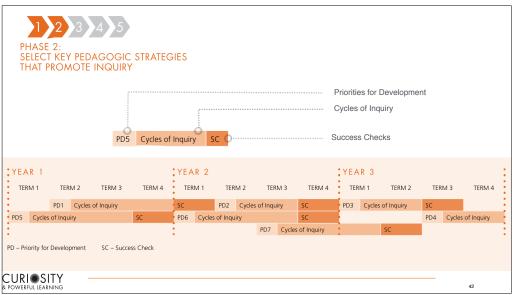
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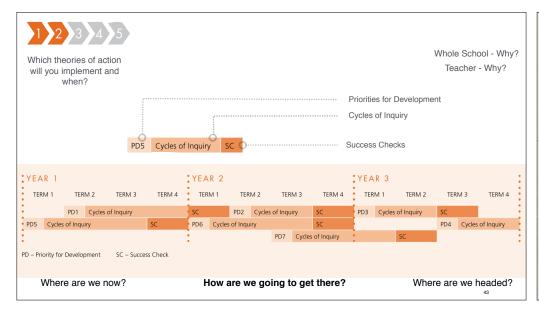
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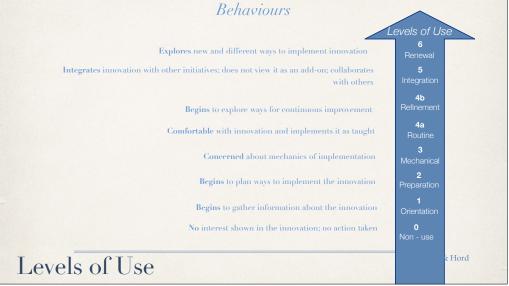
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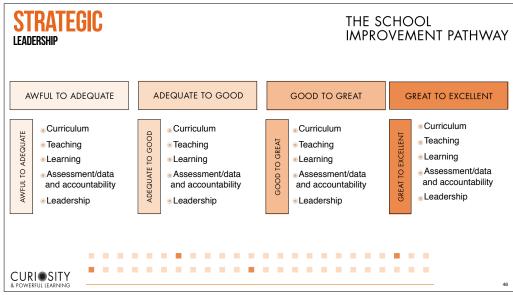


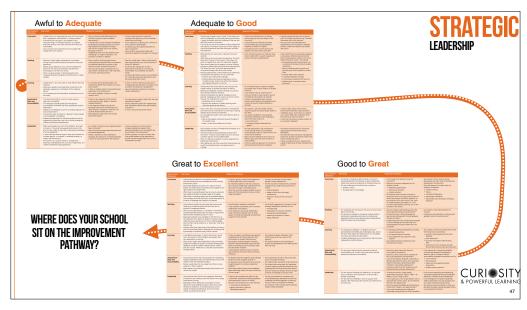












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Technical Solutions

Teaching

- Good schools usually have structures that ensure most teaching is consistently good and that there are no pockets of inadequate practice.
- Often not enough teachers at all levels know what outstanding teaching looks like and how to improve their teaching with exemplary practice in mind.
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- Students often have fixed views of themselves as a learner and the school does little to challenge this, accepting that a percentage of students simply cannot improve.

- Are all students treated as individuals?
- Is the classroom atmosphere one of constant collaboration and support?
- In the classroom and during independent study, do learners regularly work in small groups, thinking and analysing with pertinent support from the teacher?
- Are all staff engaged with a number of hig leverage development activities such as:
- microteaching
- observation of classroom methods
- video/audio review/feedback
- observing the practice of others
- · being observed?

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Our adaptive challenge: the "more teachers, more teachers, more of the time" dilemma

highly competent, continuously improving practice that is consistent across a school and system

- adaptive challenges demand learning 'people are the problem' (and the solution!)
- o progress requires new ways of thinking and operating
- the heart of leadership practice mobilising people to meet adaptive challenges
- o adaptive work requires us to reflect on the moral purpose of our work

Adaptive Leadership

- helps us meet immediate, short term challenges
- supports us to develop the knowledge and skills need to navigate ongoing adaptive challenges

Adaptive leaders build an infrastructure for professional learning within their school using strategies like the five steps





ADAPTIVE

development

ADAPTIVE LEADERSHIP – BUILDING AN INFRASTRUCTURE FOR PROFESSIONAL LEARNING

1 Maintain structures for scaffolding teacher

Put in place a development system to support intrinsic motivators

Establish peer coaching for professional autonomy, mastery, and purpose

2 Make peer coaching ubiquitous

Create protocols for both teaching and learning

Define practice and work to make it

Establish expectations for teachers to work increasingly in teams that are responsible for cohorts of students

4 Incentivise teacher teams

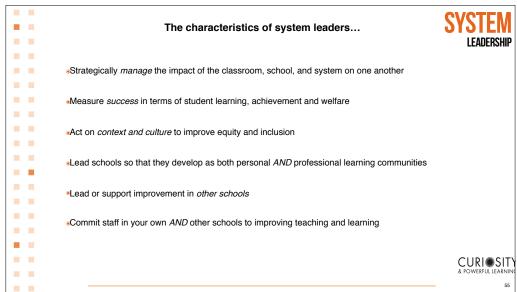
5 Ensure classroom observation focuses on learning

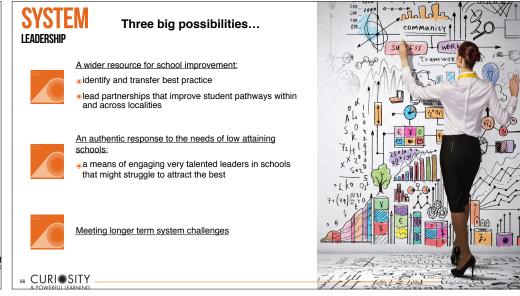
Observation supports the professional growth of teachers, school development and classroom research

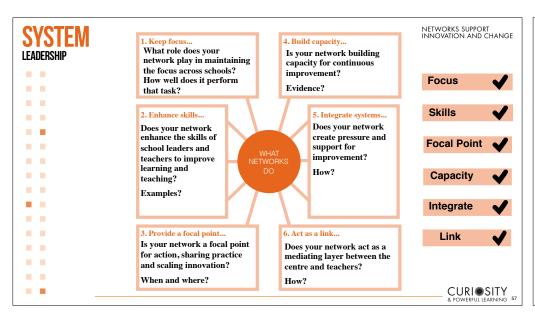
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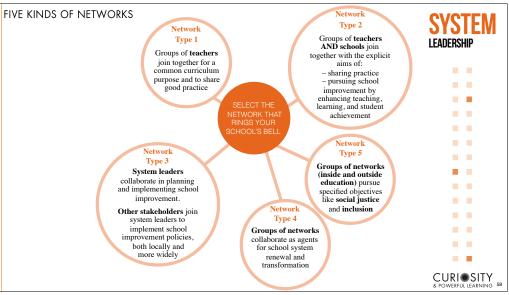


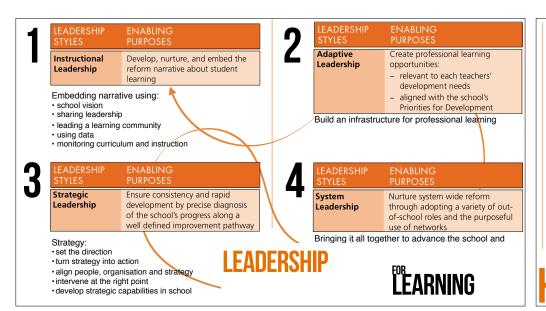


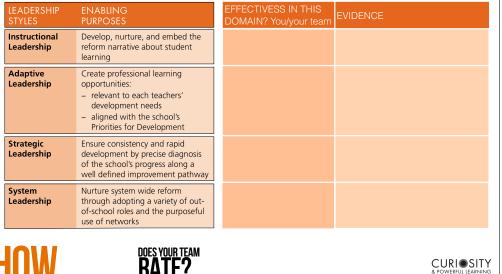














The Myth of Autonomy 1

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Finally, differences in what leaders do are not directly related to the level of autonomy they are given. Internationally, there is no relationship between the degree of autonomy enjoyed by a school principal and their relative focus on administrative or instructional leadership

Capturing the leadership premium, McKinsey, 2010

/ Networked Autonomy 1

Allows schools to use "Networked Autonomy" to:

More fully express their moral purpose of enabling every student to reach their potential

Ensure that every teacher has the maximum time to teach and to develop their professional competence

Maximise resource allocation to ensure that this happens

Explore the full potential of the 'inside-out' school development strategy

Enable leadership to work more effectively with the system both within and outside the school and generate sustainable networks that deepen the impact on student learning

Move from external to professional forms of accountability



/ Networked Autonomy 2

Allows schools to use "Networked Autonomy" to:

Put in place substantive collaborative arrangements ensure schools understand that they are as strong as the weakest link

Schools that are failing and/or under-performing can expect to receive unconditional support from all network schools

Support and accept significantly enhanced funding for students most at risk

Take professional learning and knowledge transfer seriously (governed by the NIKE principle: Just do it!)



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