



2020 Education Innovation and Research (EIR) Project Directors and Evaluators Technical Assistance Meeting

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Maintaining Excellent and Productive Relationships with Project Directors/Leads


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The Journey

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- A white van is driving away on a dirt road that curves through a vast, open landscape. The sun is setting in the distance, creating a golden glow over the scene. The sky is filled with soft, orange and yellow clouds. The van is kicking up a small amount of dust as it moves. The overall mood is one of a long, open-ended journey.
- Depth and Breadth of Relationship K-16
 - Developmental and credit courses
 - Needed to be Organic – growth mindset even for the project
 - Sufficient credibility and sustainability

Learning and Adapting

- **Open minded: Focus on actual goal and who can help**
 - **Clarity of problem**
 - **Teacher knowledge of**
 - **Content**
 - **Pedagogy, Mathematical Practices, Tools**
- **When “key players” become difficult, now what?**

A Student's Perspective



Districts and High Schools

- Started with the Familiar. ERWC.
- Curriculum was written by CSU professors
- No Math Vacation in Senior Year
- College students struggle with Math

Math Coaches and teachers

- Supporting Sites
- Recruiting new schools
- Balancing Pedagogy and Content
- Continue engagement through support

