


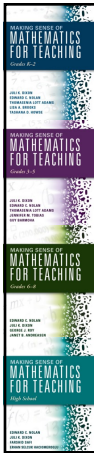
Reinventing Mathematics Intervention

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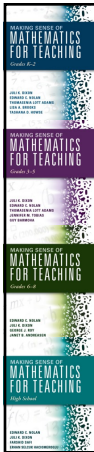
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Session Goals

- Examine current structures for intervention.
- Explore six features for reinventing intervention.
- Provide a way to connect for continued discussions

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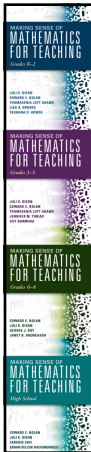


Rethinking Intervention

What is the purpose of intervention?

- ✓ Reteach
- ✓ Address gaps in foundational skills
- ✓ Develop conceptual understanding

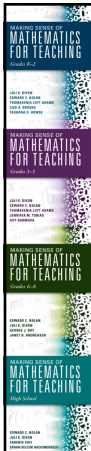
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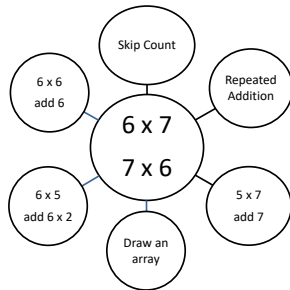
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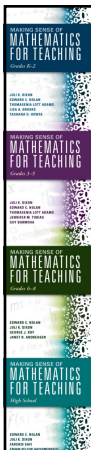
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What strategies might students use to determine the product of 6×7 if they did not know it?



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What mathematics is involved in each strategy?

- Drawing
- Counting Strategies
- Multiplicative Reasoning

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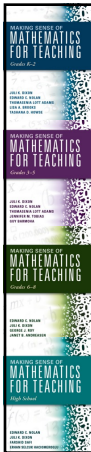
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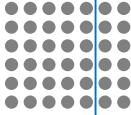
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$6 \times 7 = (6 \times 5) + (6 \times 2)$

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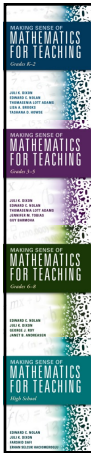
Notice the connections between concepts and procedures.



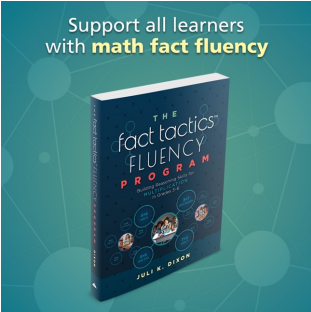

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The distributive property of multiplication over addition.

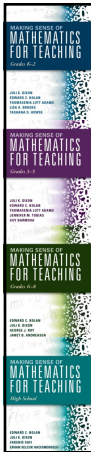
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Support all learners with **math fact fluency**

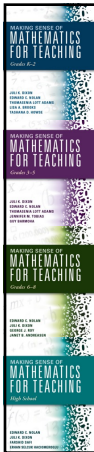
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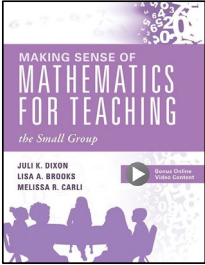



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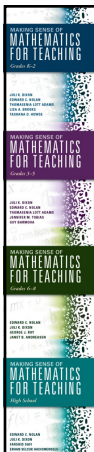
Why do we intervene?

Cultivate Perseverance

- Just-in-case scaffolding
- Just-in-time scaffolding



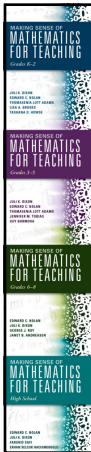

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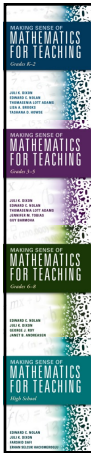


Purposeful Content

What do we focus on with students who are significantly far behind?

This needs to be a deep conversation.

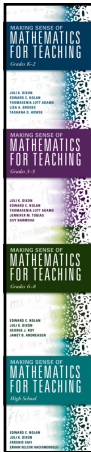
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Priority Topics

Grades 3-5	Grades 6-8
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meaning of Operations • Fact Strategies (for addition and multiplication) • Multidigit Addition & Subtraction • Place Value 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multidigit Multiplication & Division • Fractions/Decimals Concepts & Operations • Rates & Ratios • Integer Concepts & Operations • Equivalent Expressions

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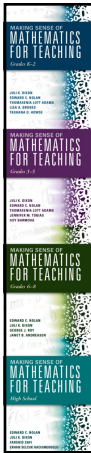
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Discourse Norms

- Provide explanations and justifications with solutions.
- Make sense of others' solutions.
- Communicate when you don't understand or don't agree.

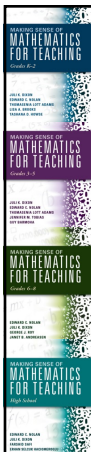
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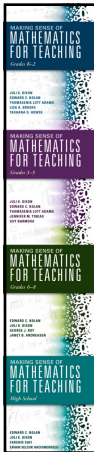


Plan with the TQE Process in Mind




- **Tasks** connect to learning goals and help identify students' errors.
- **Questions** elicit mathematical understandings and common errors.
- **Evidence** drives scaffolding and guides extensions.

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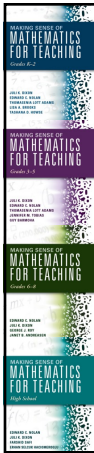
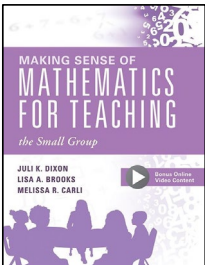



Choose just the right tasks you know students will get wrong.

Brandon shared 4 cookies equally between himself and his 4 friends. He started by giving each person (including himself) a half of a cookie. What could he have done next?



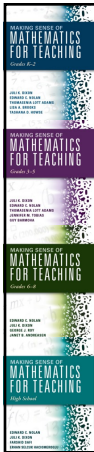
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What is the thinking behind the common error of $\frac{1}{5}$?

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