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# The Compelling Why

- Immediate engagement in learning
- Focuses student on lesson / topic
- Quick review
- Progress monitoring opportunity for writing / math skills



# What's Different?

## SERVICE DELIVERY

### Elementary School

- Typically push in or pull out services for reading, math and/or writing

### Middle School

- ICR/Co-Teaching in Math and English Language Arts
- Curriculum Assistance (CA)
- Special Education Math Class  
Essentials
- Special Education English Language Arts Class  
Essentials
- Middle School Reading Class



# What's Different?

## SERVICE DELIVERY – Standard Course of Study Programs

### Elementary School

- ID Mild regional program (few)

- ED regional program

### Middle School

- Essentials Literacy
- Essentials Math
- Essentials Science & Social Studies
- Middle School Reading Class
- Regular electives, PE and lunch

- BST/AST support



# What's Different?

## COMMUNICATION

### Elementary School

- One regular education teacher in most cases
- One special education teacher/case manager

### Middle School

- Special Education Case Manager
- 4 Core regular education teacher teams
- Powerschools (grades)
- Teacher/team websites (homework, tests, projects, etc.)
- Agendas
- Google Classroom, google documents
- “remind” (text messages)



# QUESTIONS





# Middle School Team

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