Effective Instruction Collaborative

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NCSI's Effective Instruction (EI) Priority Area

- Build state education agency (SEA) capacity to provide leadership for effective instruction via evidence-based and high-leverage practices
  - Know and understand the constructs of systems improvement
  - Successfully apply that knowledge
  - Effectively sustain and scale improvement over time to ensure deep and lasting impact

Agenda

- Next meeting
- Evidence in Action: TA center updates
- Needs-sensing part 2
- Nate Levenson's lessons learned from Louisiana's efforts to improve outcomes for students with disabilities



Next Meeting

- **December 1, 2026**
  - **Note: Schedule change**
- 11:30 AM -12:30 PM Eastern
- Topic: TBD based on your need sensing feedback
- Questions or thoughts?
  - Reach out to us at ncsi-ei@wested.org



Evidence In Action: TA Center Updates

National Center for Academic Interventions (NCAI)

- Newly funded center focused on improving reading and mathematics outcomes for PreK-12
- Builds upon the 15 years of work of the National Center on Intensive Intervention (NCII)
- NCII's website and resources will continue to be available over the coming months

Literacy-Focused Comprehensive Centers (January 2027)

- Comprehensive Centers are designed to build capacity within state and local educational agencies to improve student outcomes
- National Content Center for Improving Literacy for Students with Disabilities
- Adolescent Literacy Content Center

Effective Instruction Collaborative Needs Sensing

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Lessons Learned from Louisiana's Best in the Nation Growth for Students with Disabilities

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