## **CURRICULUM**

Where We've Been	Where We're Going
What is taught	What is learned
Chapters covered and workbooks completed	
Academic context	
Textbook as resource	
Individual subjects	
Basics emphasized for all; thinking skills emphasized for gifted	



## INSTRUCTION

Where We've Been	Where We're Going
Teacher centered	Learner Centered
Organized around time	
Single teaching strategy	
Teach once	
Fixed groups	
Whole group instruction	
Passive learning	



## **ASSESSMENT**

Where We're Going	<u>Where We've Been</u>
Rubrics	Bell curve
	One opportunity
	After instruction
	Paper and pencil based
	Grades averaged
	Accountability
	Focus on product



## COMMUNITY

Where We've Been	Where We're Going
Individual Teachers	Teacher Teams
Individual Planning	
Individual Disciplines	
Paper Grading	
Independence	
Status Quo	
Focus on Teaching	

