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Innovator

- Remind myself that we are all life long learners and even as I'm teaching my 2nd graders I am also learning along with them.
- I enjoy planning engaging, hands on lessons for my students.
- I strive to implement technology into a variety of my lesson to stay with times and to prepare students for the future.



Failure



Personal: I was cut from my high school JV volleyball team. Through this experience I have learned that as one door closes another door opens.

Professional: Within my first year of teaching I have taught lessons that are not authentic or as useful to students as I thought. This taught me how to rewrite lessons and reteach content in a variety of different ways.

Constructivism

- My goal is to build authentic lessons around my student.
- It is important to provide real life examples that are applicable in and outside of the classroom.
- Each student comes in with pre-existing thoughts it is my job to support these or help to clarify these thoughts.



Constructionism

- With a classroom full of second graders I remind myself that not all learners are the same. I strive to provide my students with hand-on experiences, learning through exploration, collaborating with peers and connecting experiences with meanings to best intake the information.

