



ILLINOIS ESSENTIAL SURVEY
OF LEARNING CONDITIONS

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TWO SIDES OF THE SAME COIN

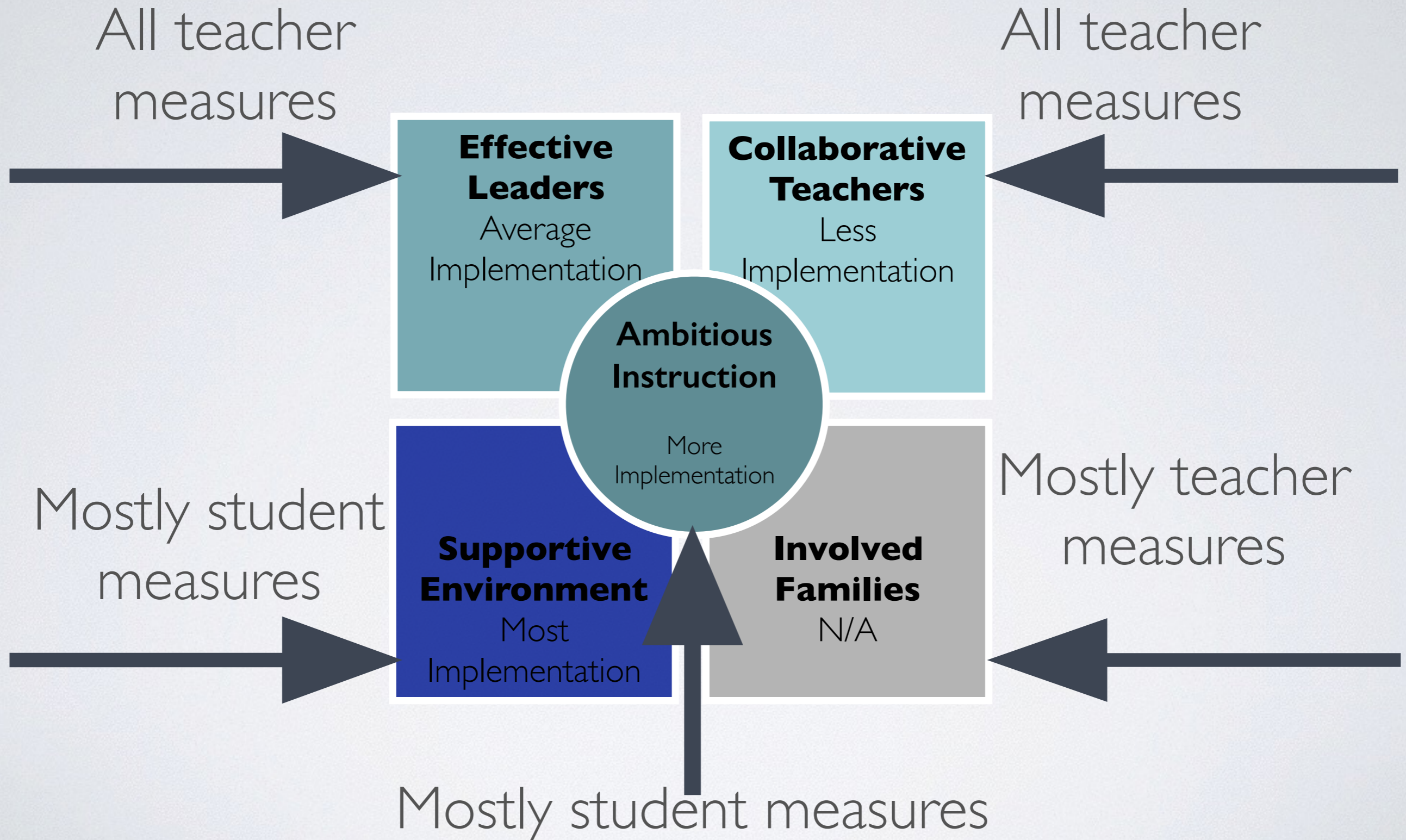


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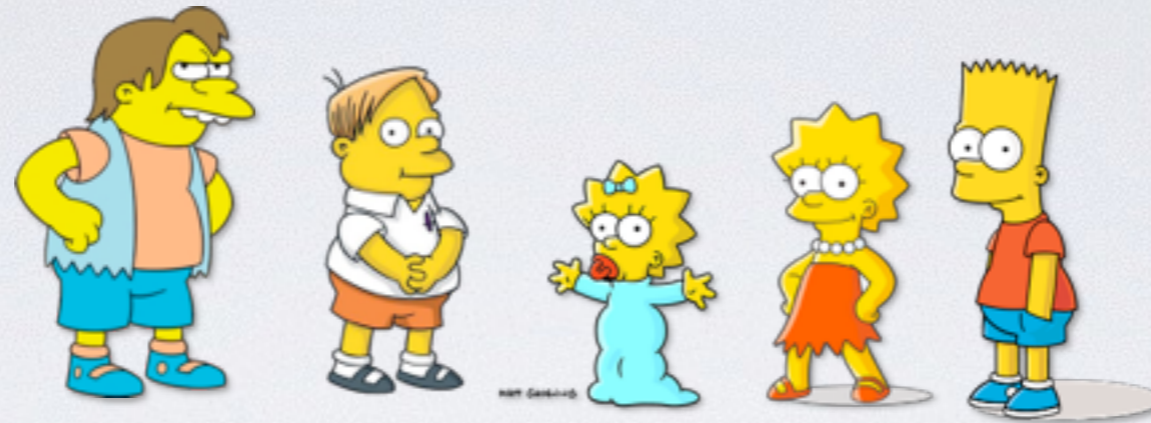


5Essentials
Learning Conditions

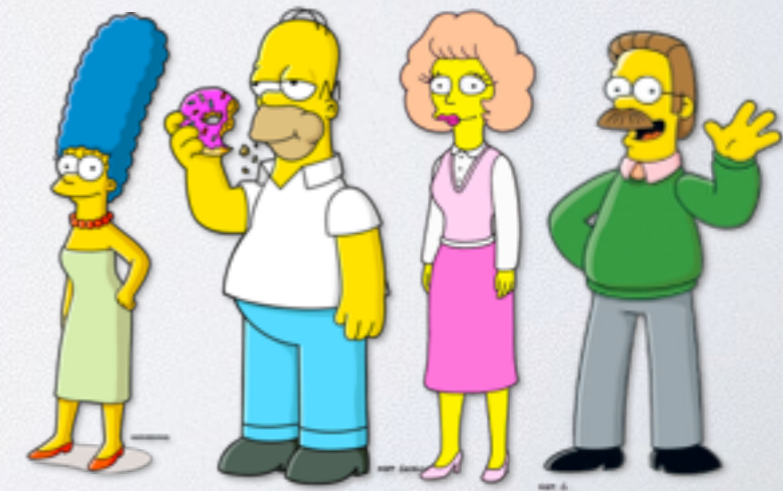
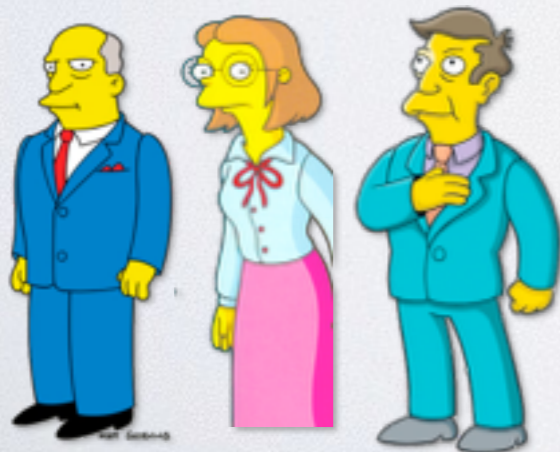
FIVE CATEGORIES



WHO IS SURVEYED?



Teachers
Students (6-12)
Parents



WHY DO WE GIVE THE 5 ESSENTIALS SURVEY

Recent Reform Legislation

PERA requires “one or more instruments to provide feedback to principals on the instructional environment within a school.”

Senate Bill 7 requires “...an instrument to provide feedback from, at a minimum, students in grades 6 through 12 and teachers on the instructional environment within a school...”

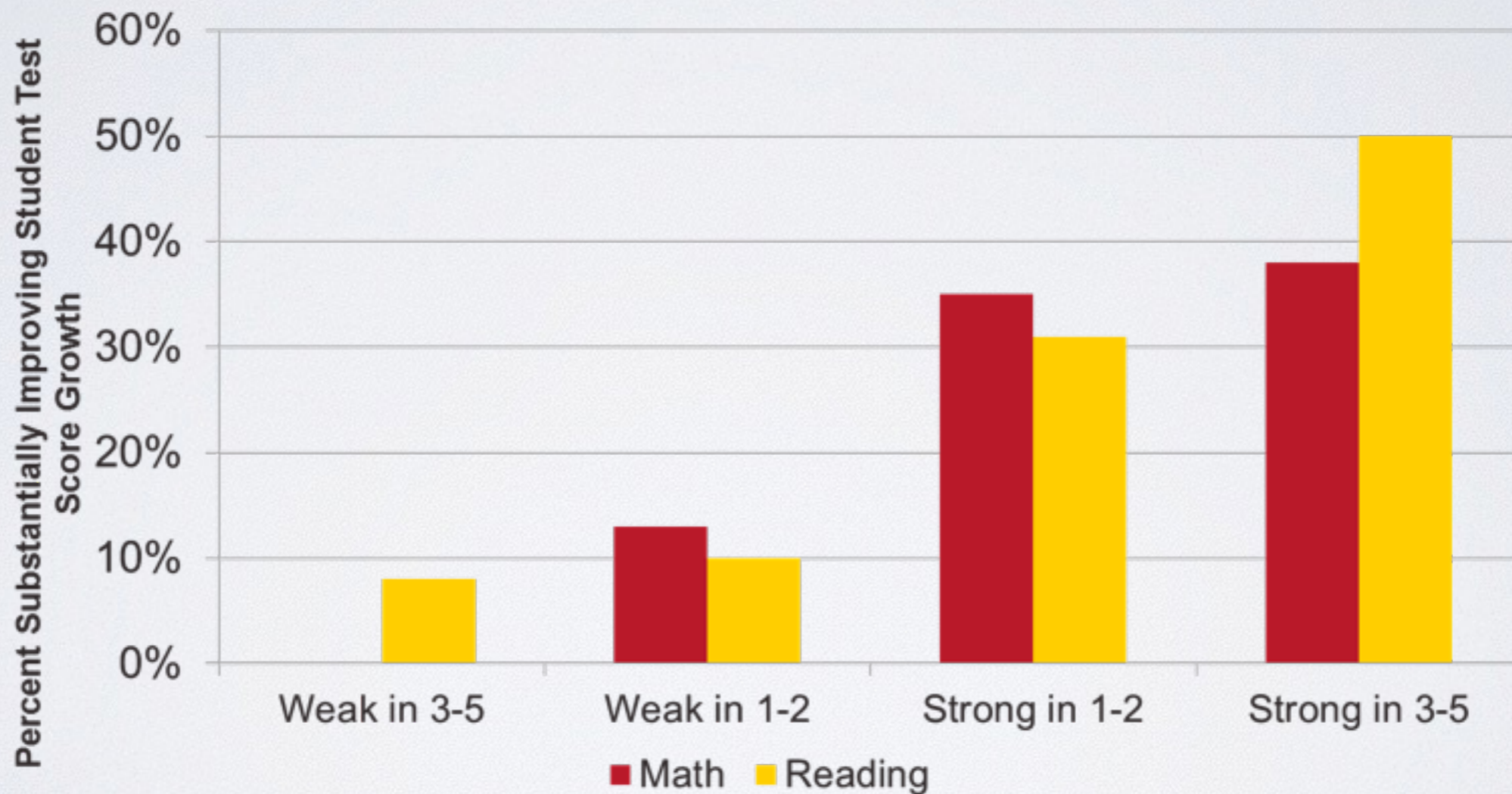
Revised report card statute requires “2 or more indicators from any school climate survey developed by the State”

HOW COULD THE RESULTS BE USED?

The Survey <u>Will</u> Be Used By ISBE For:	The Survey <u>May Be</u> Used By Districts For:	The Survey <u>Will Not</u> Be Used For:
School Improvement Planning	Principal Evaluation	Identifying Respondents (Responses are completely anonymous)
Providing a more robust picture of school performance on report card beyond test scores	Accountability	Personnel Decisions

HOW CAN THIS HELP US?

Schools Strong in the 5 Essentials Are 10 Times More Likely to Improve Substantially

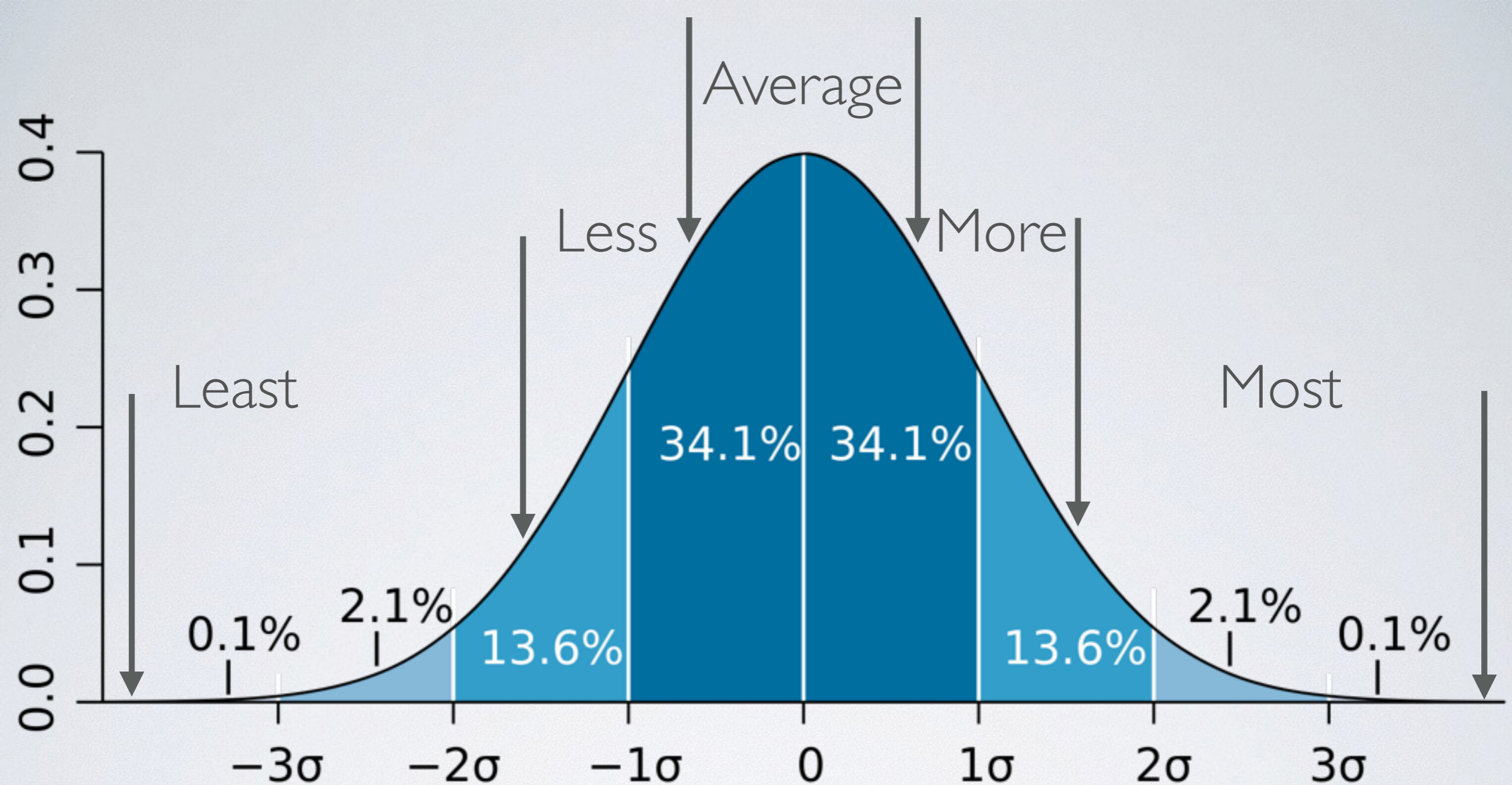


ABOUT THE IMPLEMENTATION

- 15 - 30 minute survey of students and teachers
 - Teachers - 33 questions
 - Students (6-8) - 17 Questions
- Six Available Languages - English, Spanish, Chinese, Arabic, Polish, Russian
- Survey taken online

THE RATING SCALE


- **Most implementation:** at least 1.5 standard deviations above the benchmark.
- **More implementation:** between 0.5 and 1.5 standard deviations above the benchmark.
- **Average implementation:** above -0.5 standard deviations and below 0.5 standard deviations above the benchmark.
- **Less implementation:** 0.5 to 1.5 standard deviations below the benchmark.
- **Least implementation:** at least 1.5 standard deviations below the benchmark.



- Most: 80 - 99 points
- More: 60 - 79 points
- Average: 40 - 59 points
- Less: 20 - 39 points
- Least: 0 - 19 points

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RESPONSES

5Essentials Areas	D107 (Average) 	PES	PMS
Ambitious Instruction	Average Implementation	Low Response or N/A	Average Implementation
Effective Leaders	Less Implementation	Less Implementation	Average Implementation
Collaborative Teachers	Average Implementation	Less Implementation	More Implementation
Involved Families	More Implementation	More Implementation	More Implementation
Supportive Environment	Average Implementation	Low Response or N/A	Average Implementation

HOW WILL THESE DATA BE USED?

Initiative	Ambitious Instruction	Effective Leaders	Creative Teachers	Involved Families	Supportive Environment
Team Leaders (PMS)		✓	✓		
Lead Teachers (PES)		✓	✓		
Rtl Task Force (PES)	✓	✓	✓		
EC Task Force (PES)	✓	✓	✓		
Weekly staff emails from the principal (both schools)		✓			✓
Curriculum Council reboot (District)	✓		✓		
BrightBytes Survey (District)			✓	✓	
Bright Spots weekly email (District)		✓			✓
District Goals (District)	✓	✓	✓		
Bi-monthly meetings with Union leadership (District)		✓	✓		
Second Cup of Coffee (District)				✓	✓

QUESTIONS?