

GLEAM™ Instructional Vision Alignment Checklist

Check for alignment between your instructional vision and grade-level, engaging, affirming, and meaningful — GLEAM™ — instruction.

Grade-level

Provide texts, tasks, and materials aligned with the grade-appropriate college and career standards.

- Our instructional vision names academic standards as a key element of providing access to grade-level learning for all students.

Engaging

Foster students' persistence in grade-level work.

- Our instructional vision emphasizes students' autonomy and attends to their diverse learning needs.

Affirming

Honor and acknowledge students' ethnic, racial, and linguistic identities.

- Our instructional vision prioritizes a sense of belonging in the learning environment and encourages cultivating student potential.

Meaningful

Cultivate a sense of community and social advocacy.

- Our instructional vision centers students' lived experiences in instruction that allow for challenge, critique, action, and advocacy.

Consciously aligning your instructional vision with GLEAM instruction enhances educational outcomes by empowering educators to close the equity gap and cultivating a learning environment where every student thrives and achieves their fullest potential regardless of race, language, or socioeconomic status.