



SEAL

(SOBRATO EARLY ACADEMIC LANGUAGE)

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SEAL'S COMPREHENSIVE CHANGE STRATEGY



Background

- Pilot 2008 Redwood City and San Jose
- Now at 69 sites, 12 districts
- PreK-3 Program Model

Purpose

Academic proficiency and language development for Language Learners



Student Achievement



Teacher Professional Development and collaboration

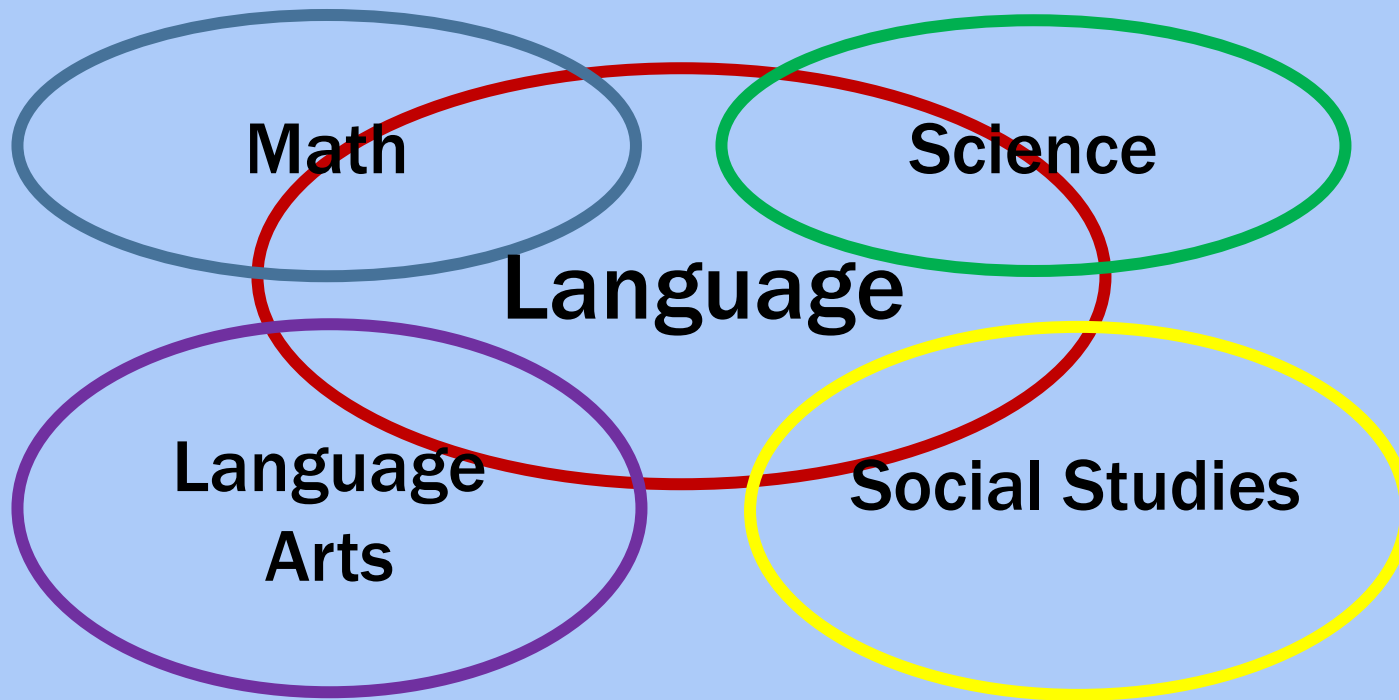


System (articulation, consistency)



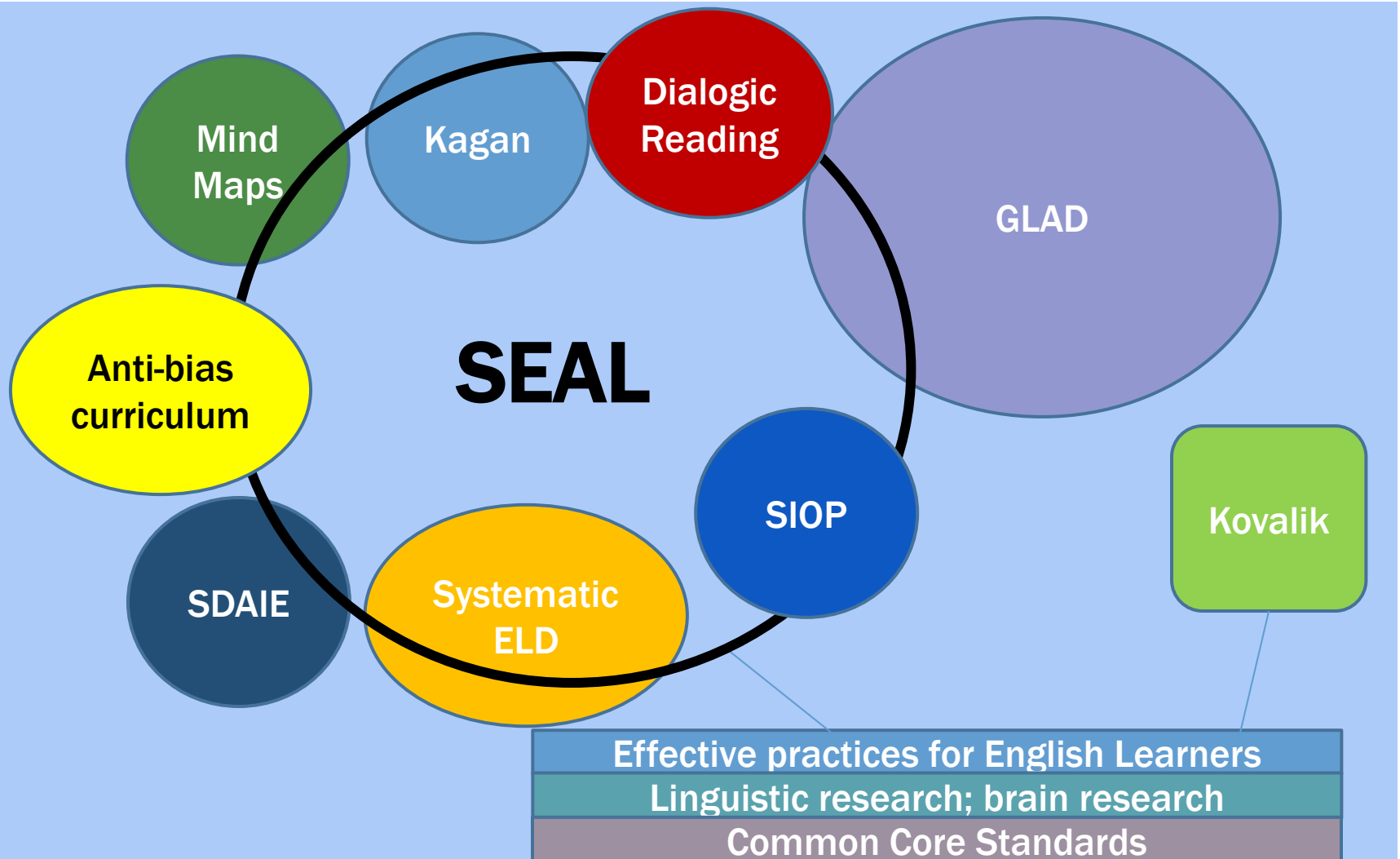
Family Engagement

WHAT DOES SEAL LOOK LIKE?



“Achieving powerful language, literacy and grade-level mastery of academic material by the end of third grade.”

THE HIGH LEVERAGE PROFESSIONAL PRACTICES



SEAL: BEST PRACTICES IN PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT



**On-going Training
over 2 Years**



**Coach to support
implementation**



**Collaborative time
built-in**



**Peer-supported
practice**



**Includes enrichment
and Parent
Engagement**

SEAL EVALUATION



- Escalates EL progress toward English proficiency
- Cohorts meet or exceed federal targets
- Implements Common Core
- Engages parents and results in higher family literacy practice
- Results in stronger teaching, more consistency and articulation



SEAL RECOGNITIONS



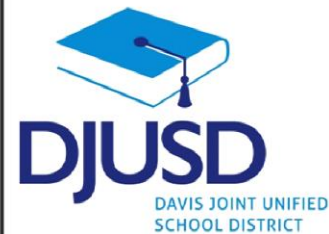
**California School Boards
Association 2015 Golden Bell
Award**



**California Association of
Bilingual Educators (CABE) Seal
of Excellence Award 2015**



SEAL IN DJUSD (PROPOSED)



Located at MME

- Partnership with Twin Rivers
- All trainings/collaboration held locally

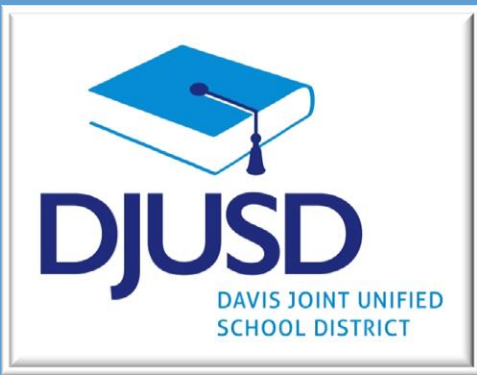
Soft Launch

- 2016-17, TK-1
- 2017-18, TK-3



Elements

- Two years of training for each grade level
- 3 modules per year and collaborative planning
- Supported summer practice
- .5 FTE Coach



Questions

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