Blog Prompts

These prompts are intended to help education professionals – classroom teachers, principals, superintendents, school counselors or those in any other role – reflect on the back-to-school talking points and join the conversation on personal or organizational blogs. Consider writing a post on one or more of the suggested topics. If you do, send the link to info@learningfirst.org, and LFA will help promote it on social media.

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● What was the best thing that happened in your classroom, school or district last year? How will it help drive you forward in your work this year?

● What does student success (or school success) mean to you? How do you tell when it has been achieved?

● What are three things that you have been doing differently since your state adopted college-and career-ready standards? What has been the impact on students?

● Who do you consider the most under-appreciated person (either a name or a role) in your school or district? Write a thank-you post celebrating them.

● Who has already influenced the education of the students entering your classroom, school or district this year? Write a post thanking those who came before you (for example, middle school teachers can thank elementary school teachers and counselors, families, etc.), sharing what you value about their contribution to shaping your new students.

● What do you need to serve students more effectively? Share what the community, school or district leadership, colleagues, the families you work with or anyone else can do to support you.