

Lighting the Spark



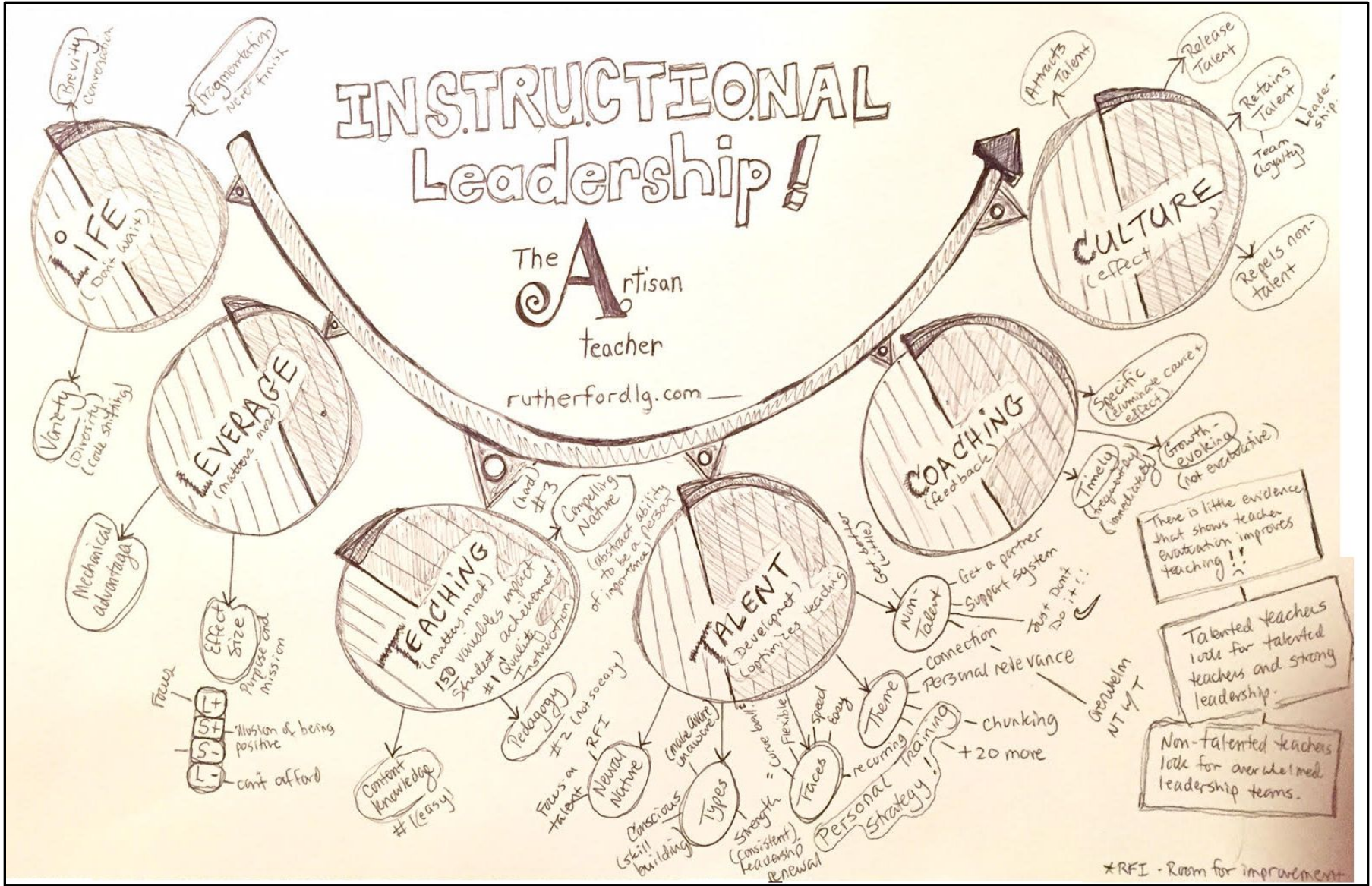
Key Leaders

Professional Learning for Administrators

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- Review Administrative Support for Teachers
- Logic Model
- Coaching Focus – Video
- Providing Constructive Feedback
- Feedback Activity
- The Case for Coaching
- Why is this important?
- Looking Ahead (Culture) & Collecting Feedback

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Making A Case for Coaching

- Develops teachers' talents
- Results in gains in achievement
- Increases teacher retention
- Affirms teachers' sense of worth
- Increases the ability to recognize good instruction
- Changes how administrators are viewed

Why is this important?

“A system focused on the ongoing improvement of instruction must be the central aim of any education improvement effort. It is our “theory of change” that students’ achievement will not improve unless and until we create schools and districts where **all educators** are learning how to significantly improve their skills as instructional leaders. In a way, it seems to be a statement of the obvious: our core business is teaching, and our product is student learning. The only way we can improve our product is to get better at our core business.”

(Wagner, Kegan, Leahy, 2006)