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!!! 3 things learned

* True mediation creates common understanding and utilizes the best of both sides to create the most appropriate and positive outcome.
* When mediating, it is vital to plan with intention and evaluate planned questions to ensure proper stance.
* When mediating controversial issues, listening and questioning are extremely essential for shared understanding BEFORE conflict develops.

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* Data is only as good as the questions and dialogue they generate.

I think I will use this quote in planning with leaders for grade level data meetings…it can help them visualize how the meeting should look.

* …Asking questions is the ABC of diagnosis. Only the inquiring mind solves problems. (quote on pg. 70) If we could help schools see that actions taken will create more questions. This concept should NOT be so frustrating but empowering, then we would be able to make greater strides in capacity building.

? 1 question

* How can we help leaders structure and process on-going monitoring of their goals to enhance commitment in their buildings/system?