

TAKING ACTION

TASK THREE: SHARE FAIR MONTH – WEEK FOUR

Group teachers into voluntary pairs or triads and ask them to discuss the Transfer Phase of Mindful Teaching and share success stories and offer each other suggestions about how to better prepare students for meaningful learning.

FIRST: Designate Week Four of Share Fair month to the Transfer Phase of Mindful Teaching.

NOW: Ask teachers to collect classroom examples of Transfer Phase activities and resources.

FINALLY: Hold periodic meetings for teachers to explain and share these ideas and resources. These meetings can be organized as follows:

- By departments
- By teaching teams
- By nonteaching periods
- By grade levels
- By subject area
- By interest
- By faculty

Note: In the fourth week of Share Fair, it is very important to connect resources and activities to the following:

- Consolidating new learning
- Creating multiple expressions of subject matter
- Engaging learners in insightful thinking, writing, and reflecting

Remember each phase of Mindful Teaching will have its own week.