

Unit 1, Activity 2: Review research

Purpose	To read research literature and capture key points about how the research findings influence your attitudes, skills, actions, and practices related to defining and realizing a vision.
Time	20 minutes
Required roles	Participants; facilitator
Required text	From <i>The School Principal as Leader: Guiding Schools to Better Teaching and Learning</i> (The Wallace Foundation, 2012), independently read the section " Shaping a Vision of Academic Success for All Students. "

As you read, use the chart to record key points. Once completed, use notes to guide discussion and share insights with others.

Ideas	Notes
Key points about the research noted in the excerpt	
The importance of the key points in shaping a vision of academic excellence	
The implications of the research for the principal's work in shaping a vision of academic excellence	