California Preschool Curriculum Framework

Provides:

1. Principles
2. Key components of curriculum planning
3. Descriptions of routines, environments, and materials
4. Strategies for building on children’s knowledge, skills, and interests
What does a framework provide when these components of curriculum are considered in curriculum planning and put into practice?

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- What would the eight overarching principles provide?
- What would a consistent planning process provide?
- What would consideration of materials and environments provide?
- What would consideration of interactions and strategies provide?


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- Where were new insights for you in this exercise?
- What are some continuing challenges with the idea of a curriculum framework?
- What additional information would you like to know that relates to the idea of a curriculum framework?
- What would you need to do to get that information?

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