Breakout Session Number: 46
Breakout Session Day: Thursday
Breakout Session Number: IV
Breakout Room: Salon D

**Department/Discipline:** Teacher Leadership

Session Title:	Empowering Learners: Equity in Assessment
Session Description:	Elevate your teaching practice with practical strategies to promote equity and leverage Assessment as Learning. Learn about a formative approach that empowers students to take an active role in their learning journey. Walk away with ready-to-use strategies that foster metacognition, critical thinking, and student agency.

## Facilitator Bio:

**Bio:** Amanda Gift is a Teacher Leader Coach in the CCSD Leadership and Professional Learning Division. In this role, she creates and facilitates competency-based learning experiences that empower teacher leaders and learning strategists to foster positive school culture, promote equitable practices, and drive action research for improved teaching and student success. Previously, she served as a reading strategist, instructional coach, and district literacy coach, supporting both educators and students. Amanda is passionate about instructional coaching, literacy education, and building collaborative school communities.

Picture: Amanda Gift Headshot

**Bio:** Alexandra Brittelli is a Teacher Leader Coach in the CCSD Leadership and Professional Learning Division. In this role, she designs and leads competency-based learning experiences that equip teacher leaders and learning strategists to strengthen school culture, advance equitable practices, and mentor colleagues effectively. Alexandra has worked as a classroom teacher and strategist at the elementary and middle school levels. She is deeply committed to fostering meaningful relationships and empowering both students and teachers to achieve their fullest potential.

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