PROFESSIONAL LEARNING SYSTEMS: STORY FRAME

DIRECTIONS

This story frame template is designed to be used along with the professional learning systems storytelling process outlined <u>here</u>.

Part 1: In your site team discuss your biggest success within Systems for Professional Learning: Teacher Collaboration/PLCs, Coaching, or Professional Development.

- What has had the greatest impact on adult practice this year? What conditions, structures, leadership, or learning contributed to that success?
- What did you learn?
- In what ways did your success counter inequities or white supremacy culture?
- What practices, mindsets, strategies, or skills will you continue to practice or integrate into your systems as a result of your work this year?

Part 2: Capture your story using the story frame below. Feel free to add story elements, or only use the ones that pertain to your journey. Each person should be prepared to share your site's success story in **5 minutes or less**.

School Site or Structure:	
Victory: What is your biggest success story from this year in relation to collaboration, coaching, or professional development?	
Backstory: What's the background or context surrounding your success?	
Hero(s): Who contributed to this success? What were their contributions?	
Stakes: How did your goals and aspirations for professional learning align with student or adult practice goals?	
Disruption: What are the obstacles and antagonists – both external and internal that your team overcame? Were there any inequitable patterns that your success disrupted?	
Mentor(s): Who or what supported you along the way?	
Journey: What are the successes and failures you experienced along the way?	
Moral: What is the moral of your story? What wisdom or insights did you gain?	
Rituals: What habits or rituals will you continue to engage in that contributed to your success as a site, leadership team, or individual?	



