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Figure 4.3. Instructional Process Reflection

Stage of Instructional Process	Characteristics of Each Stage	Reflection
Planning for High-Quality Instruction: Prior to Instruction	 Ensure every teacher and leader is able to define high-quality instruction. Ensure that teacher teams use standards and data to ensure consistent learning expectations both horizontally and vertically. Ensure teacher teams identify mathematical tasks that promote reasoning and problem solving and vary to address multiple levels of cognitive demand. Focus collaborative planning conversations on instruction and student learning. 	
Monitoring High-Quality Instruction: During Instruction	 Ensure every teacher and leader is able to identify high-quality instruction in action. Ensure every class has students engaging in productive student-to- student discourse. Ensure that principals are present in classrooms observing and gathering evidence of high-quality instruction. Provide opportunities for teachers to observe high-quality instruction in classrooms other than their own. 	
Reflecting on High-Quality Instruction: After Instruction	 Provide actionable feedback to teachers through reflective conversations. Provide opportunities for teachers to reflect upon lessons and provided feedback, both individually and collaboratively with their teams. Conduct conversations around student learning data as described in Chapter 6. 	

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