

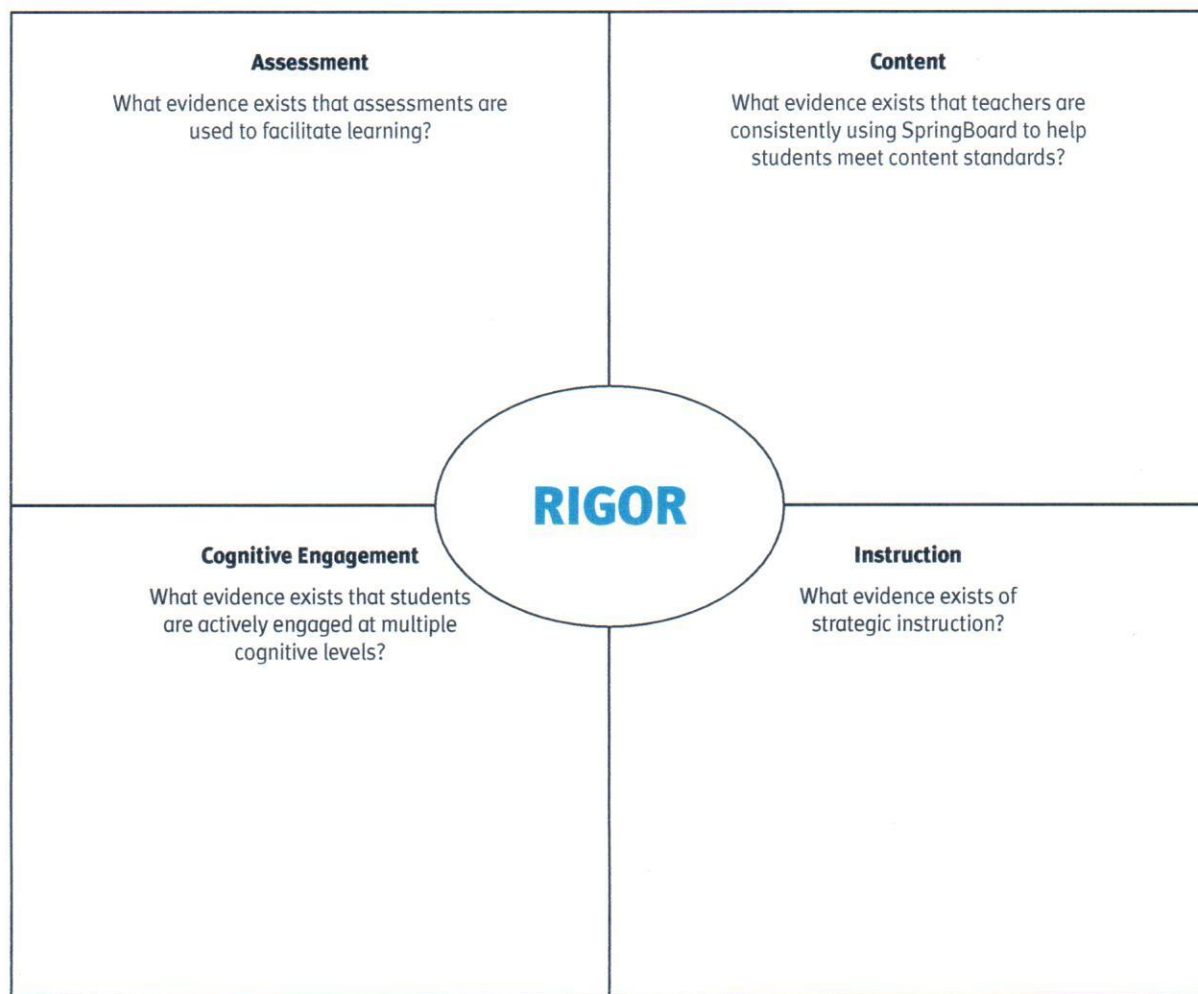
SpringBoard and Rigorous Instruction

Working Definition of Rigorous Instruction

Rigorous instruction operates within, but at the outer edge of, students' ability to master the content as evidenced by the standards.

Rigorous instruction includes the following:

- content that focuses on depth over breadth
- strategies that scaffold students through varying cognitive levels
- assessments designed to measure students' ability to synthesize learning and adapt that knowledge to different contexts.



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