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# **Qualitative Assessment**

**Defining "CORE VALUE"-based Assessment Metrics** 

### *Inclusive Learning Environments:*



- Natural Day Lighting
- Adjustable Lighting
- Operable Windows
- Colorful Interiors
- Culturally Representative
- Appropriate Acoustics

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# **CORE VALUE based Assessment Metrics**

### Real-World Experiential Learning:



- Classroom Accommodating Active Learning
- Ability to Work in Small Groups
- Presentation Areas
- Adequately Equipped Classrooms
- Opportunities for Student Exhibition
- School Gardens
- Outdoor Learning

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#### **CORE VALUE based Assessment Metrics**

### Adaptability is Critical to Our Success:



- Moveable Furniture
- Age Appropriate Furniture
- Ability to Team Teach
- Flexible Spaces that Accommodate Movement
- Ample Electrical/Power Supply
  - Robust Technology
- Sinks in All Classrooms
- Adequately Sized Site for School
- Expandable Building Footprint/Reconfigure

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### **CORE VALUE based Assessment Metrics**

## Relationships Build Communities of Trust and Respect:



- All School Gathering
- Warm & Welcoming Spaces
- Accessible & All-Weather Playgrounds
- Covered Outdoor Spaces
- Visible Learning
- Informal Learning,
  Socialization Areas

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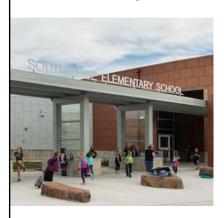
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### **CORE VALUE based Assessment Metrics**

### **Community Connections Support Learning**



- Appropriate Location of Community Services
- Displays & Resources
  Connections
- Ability to Zone Building for After-Hours Use
- Appropriate Health Center Location
- Accommodations for Extended Day Programs
- Ability to Secure Building Zones

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#### **ADDITIONAL Assessment Metrics**

### Safety & Security

- Good Site Lines to Building Approach
- Secured Front Entry
- Good Interior Site Line
- Areas of Refuge Within Classroom
- Panic Alarm, Connection to Police, Intercom
- Good Restroom Supervision (sinks, acoustics)
- Surveillance Equipment

#### Site Functionality

- Separation of Buses,
  Parents and Students
- Adequate Parking for Students, Staff, Visitors
- Adequate Event Parking
- Adequate Physical Education Fields
- Nearby Off-Site Amenities

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