

Looping: Adding Time, Strengthening Relationships.

Looping, having a teacher stay with their students for more than just one year, has many benefits.

When students come back in the Fall to a familiar teacher who already knows what makes them tick, they basically save a month of “getting to know you” time on both the teacher & the kids’ part. The kids also benefit socially, being less nervous about a “new” school year and feel more a sense of community within their school.

Research shows these multi-year assignments yield higher reading & math achievement scores. Teachers report a higher sense of ownership of the student accomplishments and parents are more invested in their kids’ education.