

ACTION RESEARCH FOR TEACHERS

A **SYSTEMATIC PROCESS FOR COLLECTING DATA AND MAKING DECISIONS TO IMPROVE PRACTICE OR **CORRECT A PROBLEM****

BELIEFS

- **OPPORTUNITY FOR PROFESSIONAL GROWTH**
- **DESIRE FOR IMPROVED PRACTICE AND NEED FOR DATA**
- **GIVEN RESOURCES INFORMATIVE STUDIES CAN BE CARRIED OUT**
- **EXAMINE FINDINGS WITHIN SPECIFIC CONTEXTS**

TYPES OF DATA

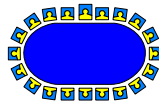
- **SELF-REFLECTION TOOLS**
- **MEDIA RECORDING AND ANALYSIS**
- **PORTFOLIOS**
- **STUDENT PERFORMANCE**
- **EXTERNAL OR PEER OBSERVATION**
- **JOURNALING**
- **COLLEGIAL DIALOGUE & COLLABORATION**

ACTION RESEARCH STEPS

⇒ IDENTIFY THE
PROBLEM



⇒ GATHER
DATA



⇒ MAKE A
DECISION



⇒ TAKE
ACTION

