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# Instructional Coach

## What are the skills of a perfect Instructional Coach?

At YourInstructionalCoach.com, we work with six essentials of Instructional Coaching.

We call it the SLICE framework:

(Strategic Learnable Instructional Coaching Essentials)



### Instruction

The Instructional Coach must be well versed in high impact strategies and be able to not just talk the talk, but walk the walk.



### Conversations

From the coaching conversation, to PLC, to large group training, the coach must be skillful in moving the conversation forward.



### Relationships

Instructional Coaching cannot exist without strong, trusting relationships between coach, teacher, and administrator.



### Culture and Change

The Instructional Coach must be able to navigate culture, change, and the interplay between the two.



### Learning and Growth

The Coach serves as an exemplary learner who seeks personal learning and growth and that of others.



### Decisions

The Instructional Coach is a skilled decision maker, driven by multiple sources of data.

### SOURCES

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