Teaching in a Social Studies Classroom

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Introduction-Who I am and What I believe



"Hilling and the state

"Social studies is like the lima beans on the curricular plate of an elementary student's day."

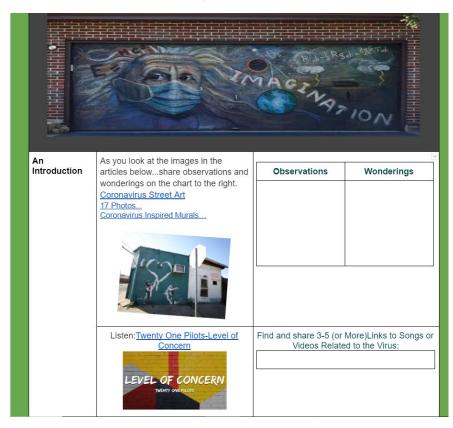
Paul Fitchett, associate professor and director of C&I of the doctoral program at University of NC at Charlotte

Integrated, Interdisciplinary, or Thematic: Question of Semantics

Integrated	Different subject matters form a seamless wholeno clear distinction exist between or within (tomato soup)
Interdisciplinary	Integrity of various academic disciplines remain clear, not attempts to "blur" distinction Connections are emphasized (chicken noodle soup)
Thematic	Unifying or commonalies-theme (Soup is good for you)



An Example (by accident)



ELA and SS integrated and compacted for SPED

2. Automaticality



