

Chapter 14 Reflection Questions

Now that you have completed the chapter, consider and reflect on the following questions.

1. What has been your experience with parent conferences, especially with the parents of your students who are struggling or are at risk?
2. In what ways are you getting students and their parents excited about attending parent conferences and making sure they come at their scheduled time?
3. What specific data do you normally discuss at parent conferences? What effect would it have on the student if he or she were the one presenting the data, and what would you need to do in advance to familiarize him or her with this information?
4. After reviewing the list of seven steps outlined in this chapter, what challenges do you anticipate? What might be a way to proactively address these challenges with your students?