# Assessment for learning



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## Inputs from outside



## **Outputs from inside**



# What's happening in the classroom?

- Does improving assessment (formative) raise standards?
- Is there room for improvment?
- How can we improve assessment?
- Are we serious about raising standards?

## **Principal motive power**

- Communication and interaction between teachers and students
- Competent and motivate teachers

#### **Tools for assessment**

- Observation and interview
- Reflective discussion
- Collegial supervision and network
- Pedagogical documentation

#### **Process-oriented** assessment

- Step by step
- Dialogue
- Support instead of judged
- Pedagogical documentation

#### Feedback – an essential component

- Recognition of the desired goal
- Evidence about present elements
- Understanding way to close the cap

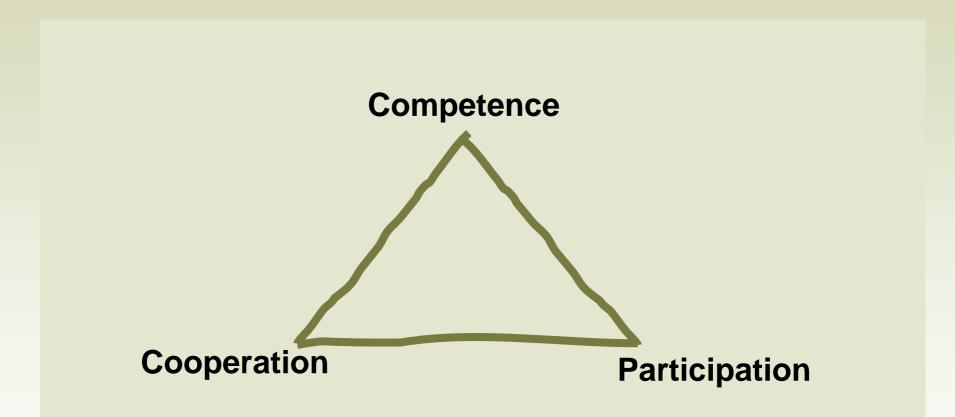
# **Mediated Learning Experience**

- Mediation of intentionality and reciprocity
- Mediation of transcendance
- Mediation of meaning
- Mediation of feelings of competence
- Mediation of challenge
- Mediation of the feeling of belonging

# Like a puzzel



#### **Central objectives**



#### **Team discussion**

- How to set up groups
- Build up cooperative skills
- Adapt curriculum and syllabuses
- Assess groups and individuals
- Deal with conflicts within groups

#### **Teachers need**

- Teachers received adequate preparation
- Material and personal supports
- Extra time for planning
- A positive team approach

### Individual educational plan

- What?
- Why?
- How?
- When?
- With whom?

# Indicators of assessment and inclusion

- The professionals are sharing the same superior targets
- The dialogue is more important than consensus
- The contacts with parents are open and respectful
- The leadership is explicit and clear
- Special support to students are varying

# The future



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# Our future depends on not acting out of fear, but allowing for diversity

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