



**Newark Public Schools**  
**Reflective Inquiry Regarding the Common Core State Standards (CCSS)\***  
**June 2011**

<b>Process Questions</b>	<b>Implementation Questions</b>
How are the CCSS different from the NJCCS?	What will you do to be ready to start the 2011-12 school year using the Common Core State Standards?
What do the Common Core State Standards ask students to know and be able to do?	What will you do to facilitate vertical articulation of the CCSS?
What is the significance of the Common Core State Standards?	If you are an English Language Arts (ELA) teacher, how can you begin better supporting other content areas through your instruction by implementing the CCSS?
What changes in practice will these standards necessitate? How will you go about making these changes? What support will you need?	If you are a Mathematics teacher, how can you begin integrating the Mathematical Practices into your instruction?
How do the Common Core State Standards create a path for college and career-readiness from K-12?	If you are a Social Studies, Science, or Technical Subject teacher, how can you begin to use the ELA standards in those content areas?