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# The Five Core Propositions

**1** Teachers are committed to students and their learning.

**2** Teachers know the subjects they teach and how to teach those subjects to students.

**3** Teachers are responsible for managing and monitoring student learning.

**4** Teachers think systematically about their practice and learn from experience.

**5** Teachers are members of learning communities.

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