PA SAS in More Details

Coding System
Thirteen Subject Areas

Three Key Principles

Differentiated Instruction
Accommodations
Modifications

Four Assessments

Summative Assessment
Formative Assessment
Benchmark Assessment
Diagnostic Assessment

Five Elements

-Learning Progressions
-Units
-Lessons
-Materials and Resources Aligned to the Units and Lesson Plans
-Materials and Resources Aligned to the Other Circles

Six Elements

1. Big Ideas
2. Concepts
3. Essential Questions
4. Competencies
5. Vocabulary
6. Exemplars

To *identify* the outcomes of the instruction

To *guide* the development of the instructional content (scope and sequence)

To *establish* how instructional effectiveness will be evaluated