

# “Developing an Effective Tutoring Program”

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SINCE 1990 **CATCH THE VISION!**  
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## **Discussions**

1. Learning Losses
2. Recovery Strategies
3. Individualized Instruction
4. Best Practices



**Learning Losses**



Learning

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## Learning Loss

This sounds like students  
learned something and  
then lost it.

It's that and more.



## Learning Losses

The term learning loss refers to any specific or general loss of knowledge and skills or to reversals in academic progress, most commonly due to extended gaps or discontinuities in a student's education.

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The Glossary of Education Reform

## 2 Types of Learning Losses

When students learn  
something and forget it.

When students were  
supposed to learn  
something and didn't. No  
knowledge gain!

## Discussion

What factors have contributed to local students experiencing learning losses the past year and pre-pandemic?

More than school closures?





Recovery Strategies

## **Educational Recovery Plan -- Great Public Schools Now**

- Learn from other districts
- Prioritize mental health
- Assess student needs
- Remediate and accelerate
- Prioritize live time with teachers
- Include expanded learning afterschool
- Deeper partnership with families
- Leverage external partners
- Connect students with technology and internet

# Wooten Center Path to Recovery

## Strategies

- STEP Model
- SOS Model
- Online Outcomes

## Methods

- Homework & Studies
- Discussion Groups
- Project-based Learning
- A-G Requirements

## Planning Tools

- Logic and Other Models
- Syllabi and Lesson Plans

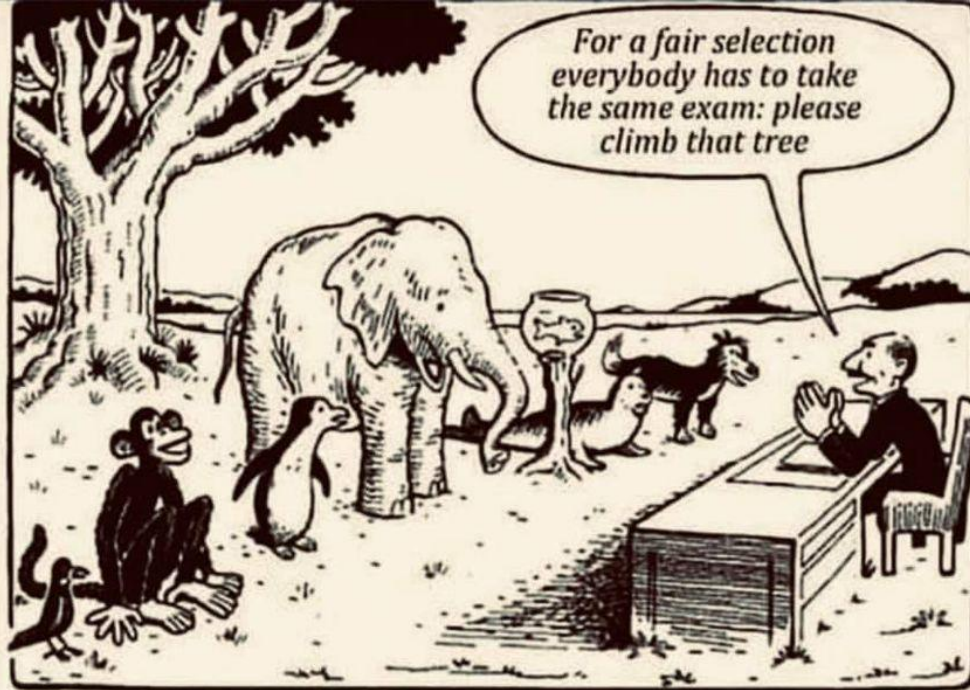
## Discussion

What educational recovery planning have you seen or participated in at schools or school districts?



Individualized Instruction





## Our Education System

*"Everybody is a genius. But if you judge a fish by its ability to climb a tree, it will live its whole life believing that it is stupid."*

*- Albert Einstein*

## Private Tutoring is Key Everybody's Doing It!

- UK National Tutoring Program -- subsidized, personalized tutoring for 2 years
- Dept of Ed -- leverage tutors for learning loss
- Netherlands study -- scale up tutoring
- LAUSD -- from 500 students to 500 tutors

## Private Tutoring at the Wooten Center

- Homework & Studies
- i-Ready.com
  - >Diagnostics -- 3x yr
  - >Lessons -- =/+ 3/wk
- 45 mins per session
- Up to 6 sessions/wk
- 4 Staff & 36 Volunteers
- Staff Development
- Volunteer Onboarding and Tutor Circles
- Same tutor preferred
- Wooten Dollar Store
- Related Activities



Your child can have a...

# FREE PRIVATE TUTOR ONLINE



**PRIVATE TUTORS** can help students avoid the expected loss in learning due to the school closures. Students can receive help with homework and math and language arts in the one-on-one, 45-minute sessions with tutors including Wooten teachers, Merrill Lynch financial advisors, and LMU, UCLA, USC and Pepperdine students, staff and alumni.

## ALSO AVAILABLE

- ✓ SAT-prep and STEM
- ✓ Performing and visual arts
- ✓ Teen and parent discussion groups
- ✓ Assessments in math and language arts
- ✓ World Languages and Culture with Cooking
- ✓ Virtual playground with basketball and more

## COLLEGETREK ONLINE

A free online afterschool program for students in **grades 3-12** in the South Los Angeles area

### HOURS

Monday-Friday, 2-6pm  
on Google Meet & YouTube

**Registration**  
[wootencenter.org/online](http://wootencenter.org/online)

**Information**  
(323) 756-7203

## COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS AFTERSCHOOL!



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### ABOUT THE WOOTEN CENTER

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## Discussion

Share tutoring program  
best practices you have  
used, seen, or  
implemented.



# Learning Losses

# Recovery Strategies

Individualized  
Instruction

**Our task?**

**ENGAGE  
STUDENTS!**

**Case Management!**

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