

Chapter 9 Guiding Questions

As you reflect on this chapter, consider the following five guiding questions.

1. Why do we assess learning?
2. How best can we use assessment to improve learning?
3. What is *mindfulness* and why is it important to our assessment practices?
4. Why is formative assessment the most ideal form of assessment for modern learners?
5. How can you use practices like peer interviews and creative extension projects to gather formative assessment data that improve your instructional practices and student learning?