**WIDA Video Discussion Questions**

**Supporting Language Development and Content Learning**

* What teaching practices did you notice? How do these practices support English learners? What ideas can you take into your classroom?
* How were language domains (reading, writing, speaking, listening) integrated into the lessons? Were these authentic uses of the domain? If so, what made them authentic?  If not, how could they be improved?
* What techniques did educators use to scaffold activities for different proficiency levels?
* What techniques were used to increase students’ interaction with the content and with each other?
* How might students’ language growth and/or content learning be assessed in these contexts?
* How did the teacher make the learning meaningful and relevant to students’ lives?

**Collaboration**

* What forms of collaboration did you notice? What benefits do you think collaboration serves for students? For teachers?
* What strategies for collaboration have worked for you?

**Application**

* What have you learned from watching the videos?
* In reflecting about this experience, what new ideas will you implement in your work with English language learners?