

in your school building and in your district? How has your teaching matured? Cite examples. In light of the 4C virtues, do you feel the need to recharge your batteries, to renew your inspiration to be a virtuous teacher?

### Teaching: From the Seventh to the Twenty-Fifth Year

What is your view of teaching as a profession at this point in your career? Have you been willing to provide leadership for professional empowerment? Will you celebrate a decade or a quarter-century of successful teaching? How do you envision this celebration? With whom will you celebrate? What personal-professional qualities and teaching practices have you refined that you originally thought would endure throughout your career? What are your plans for the continuous renewal of your constructivist practices? Have you made a personal commitment to a colleague by serving as a coach or mentor? Have you made a commitment to a professional network or organization beyond your school's learning community?

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