## **Issues In Supervision**

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## **Topics of Discussion**

- Identify Several Issues In Supervision
- Explain
  Varying
  Positions On
  Each Issue
- Choose and
  Defend Your
  Position On
  Each Issue



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- Is supervision necessary?
- For whom should supervision be provided?
- Should the supervisor's authority be based on expertise and interpersonal relationships or on conferred status and decision-making responsibilities?
- Should the supervisor be an administrator?
- Is supervision staff development?
- Is supervision curriculum development?
- Is supervision evaluation?
- Should supervisors work with groups of teachers or with individual teachers?
- Should supervision be carried out by the central office or local schools?
- Should the supervisor use a directive or nondirective approach?
- Should school systems organize for supervision by employing generalists or by hiring specialists?