Engineering Design Components & Evaluation Process

What is an Engineering Design Challenge?

An engineering design challenge is a problem -based task that approaches design problems using t he manner. The EDP encourages open-ended problem solving and learning from failure. Learners engage with integrated concepts from multiple disciplines and use design thinking as a mechanism to design a solution for an authentic problem.

There are numerous engineering design process models; however, the models all share the foundational practices :

x Identifying questions or defining problems

x Planning

x Testing

x Imagining and brainstorming a solution

x Creating

x Improving

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determine s if the solution meets the parameters of the challenge. The students will use their rubric design score to improve their solution before testing it again. The evaluation criteria can provide a framework of knowledge, skills, and performance related to a design problem. Throughout the process, students are engaged in the STEMfluency skills of