

## LEARNING ACTIVITY THICK AND THIN CONVERSATIONS

## **VIDEO REVIEW**

Watch the *Snow Day* video and analyze teacher-child conversation. Using the video viewing guide below, record your observations. After viewing *Part 1: Thin Conversation* and *Part 2: Thick Conversation* of the video, respond to the questions below.

## **Part 1: Thin Conversation**

Feedback for the teacher

1. What are this teacher's strengths in engaging this child in a conversation?

2. How would you provide this teacher with feedback to assist her in understanding how to engage children in extended conversations?



## **Part 2: Thick Conversation**

Feedback for the teacher

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1.	What did this teacher	do to engage this chi	ld in an extended conversation?

2. What makes this a good example of a "thick" conversation?

