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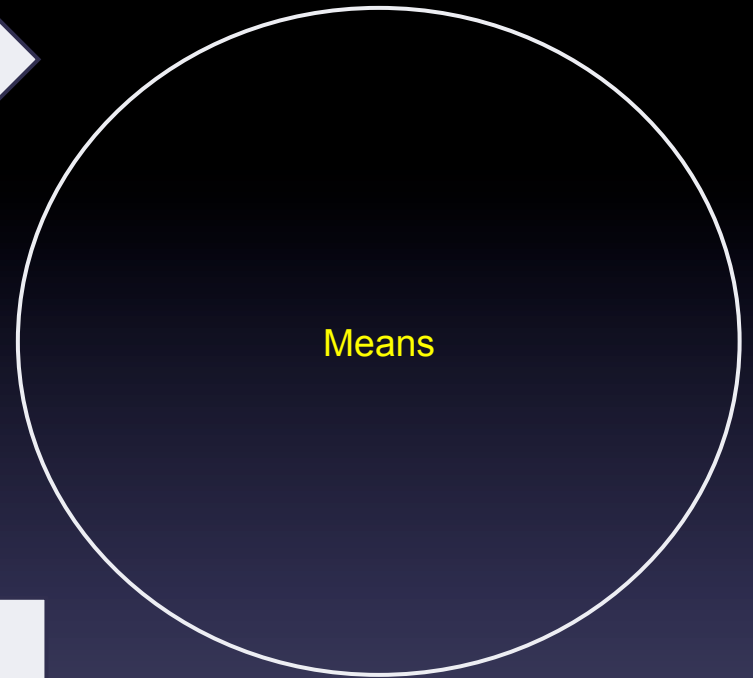
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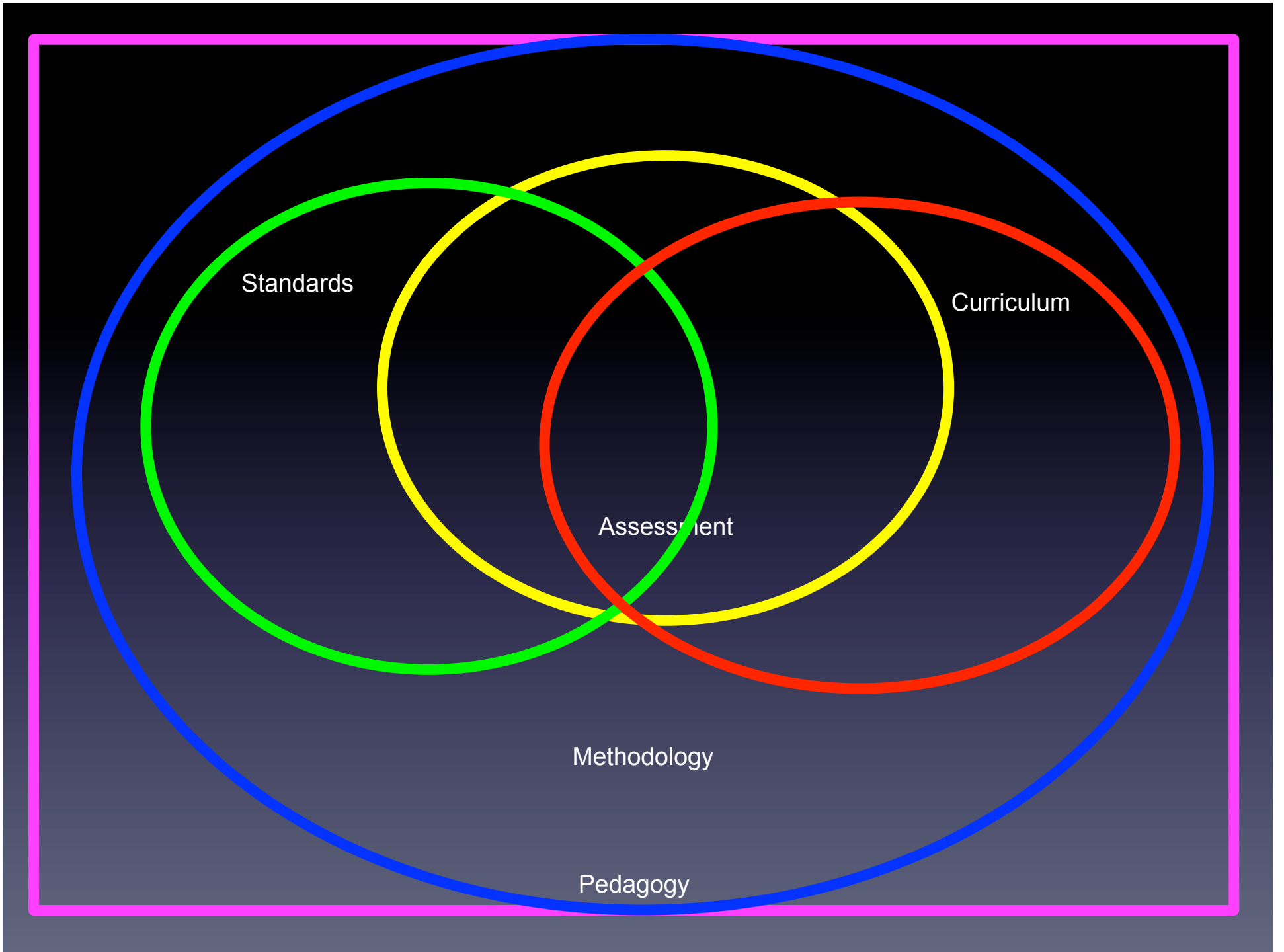
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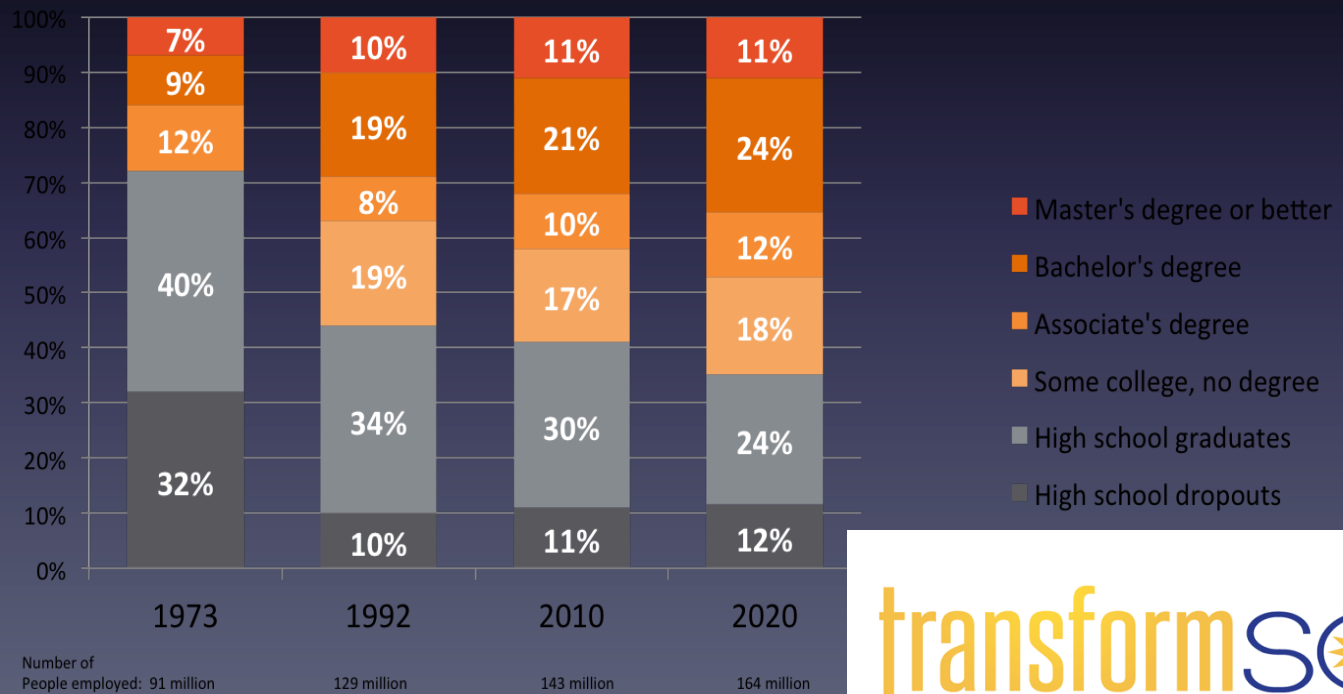


Business Viewpoint

The **number one issue** for companies looking to expand or locate in S. C. is a sustainable, educated and highly qualified workforce that can constantly raise its skills in a globally competitive economy.

2020 Educational Requirements

By 2020, 65% of all jobs will require post-secondary education, training and/or certification.





Ready, Willing, And Unable To Serve

75 Percent of Young Adults Cannot Join
the Military

Early Education across
America is Needed to
Ensure National Security

The aim of public education is not to spread enlightenment at all; it is simply to reduce as many individuals as possible to the same safe level, to breed and train a standardized citizenry, to put down dissent and originality. That is its aim in the United States, whatever the pretensions of politicians, pedagogues, and other such mountebanks, and that is its aim everywhere else.

Mencken, H. (1924, April). *The American Mercury* .

Resources

Standards	PLN	Community
SC	Building	Parents
CCSI	District	Businesses
21C	State	Organizations
ISTE	National/International	Politicians

Natural Inquisitiveness

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- "If you tell a lie big enough and keep repeating it, people will eventually come to believe it. The lie can be maintained only for such time as the State can shield the people from the political, economic and/or military consequences of the lie. It thus becomes vitally important for the State to use all of its powers to repress dissent, for the truth is the mortal enemy of the lie, and thus by extension, the truth is the greatest enemy of the State."
- -Joseph Goebbels

Joseph Goebbels [Http://www.HolocaustResearchProject.org](http://www.HolocaustResearchProject.org). Holocaust
Education & Archive Research Team, n.d. Web. 21 Feb. 2014.



We are students of words: we are
shut up in schools, and colleges, and
recitation-rooms,
for ten or fifteen years, and come out
at last with a bag of wind, a memory
of words,
and do not know a thing...
(Emerson, 1844).

World Class Knowledge

- Rigorous standards in language arts and math for career and college readiness
- Multiple languages, science, technology, engineering mathematics, arts and social sciences

World Class Skills

- Creativity and innovation
- Critical thinking and problem solving
- collaboration and teamwork
- communication, information, media and technology
- Knowing how to learn

Life and Career Characteristics

- Integrity
- Self-direction
- Global perspective
- Perseverance
- Work ethic
- Interpersonal skills

- ❑ Personalized-ones size does not fit all
- ❑ Students drive their own learning-teacher as facilitator
- ❑ Learner focused approaches to teaching
- ❑ Competency and proficiency based learning-not seat time based
- ❑ Technology enabled-leverage access to and use of new technology
- ❑ Evidence based-assessments that are meaningful and trusted by students, their families, educators and employers
- ❑ New, cost effective structures
- ❑ Effective partnerships with parents, families and communities.

Project/Challenge Based Learning



Khan Academy



Project/Challenge Based Learning

[NYC PBL](#)

http://schools.nyc.gov/documents/teachandlearn/project_basedfinal.pdf

[Edutopia](#)

<http://www.edutopia.org/project-based-learning>

[Challenge Based Learning](#)

<https://www.challengebasedlearning.org/pages/welcome>



