Ohanian, NCLB, and Standards Discussion (25 min)

Having seen and written about NCLB, read standard documents in your area, and read Ohanian’s piece, what questions do you want to ask your peers and me about standards?

My Questions:
• How can standards improve student learning?
• What sort of thinking do standards tend to emphasize?
• How might standards change the way that people teach?
• **Key Question for Me:** Who are the winners and losers in the standards movement?

Rules for the Discussion:
• Ask a question, recognize someone, and toss them the lion to answer your question.
• Repeat the process.
• **We’ll try this twice, then move into a more open discussion, using your questions.**