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observations to examine how boys and girls see themselves as learners;*analyses the strategies teachers can use to improve the