


Three micropolitical arenas of school (Salo 2002, 303)

- Private arena
 - on which a teacher faces the students alone
- Arena of interaction
 - on which the teachers confront one another and the leadership
- Public arena
 - on which the administration, organization, coordination and directing of the teaching and the school activity as a whole take place

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Seven characteristics of
...school (Salo 2002)

- Focusing on the teaching
- Personal and intrinsic rewards
- Secluded independence
- Concentration on results and utility
- Informal support
- Formal support
- Conservatism oriented to the present
- **School as an organization is loosely coupled**

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