Examples of Coaching Questions for GraduateFIRST

What trends do you see in your graduation rates over the past three years?

Where would you like your graduation rate to be three years from now?

What actions have you taken toward this goal so far?

What were the results of these actions?

What factors contributed to these results?

Which of these actions do you plan to continue? Modify?

What other actions are you considering taking?

[Other districts with similar goals have tried ___, ___, or ___. Do you think any of these actions might help you meet your goal? Which one/s?]

What is your timeline for initiating this/these new action/s?

Who else do you need to involve?

What resources do you need?

What obstacles might you encounter in initiating this action? How might you deal with these obstacles preemptively/proactively?

What are your next steps going to be?

On a scale of 1-10, what degree of certainty do you have that you will carry out these next steps that you’ve outlined?