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Personalized Learning
WORKING GROUP

Problems of Practice for Personalized Learning

Profile of a Learner Summary

Where are we now as a region?

Districts across SWPA are in differing phases of development and implementation of profiles. This work is a high priority for many districts, particularly with upcoming strategic and comprehensive planning cycles.

What do we need to learn more about?

- Examples of regional profiles and high-quality processes for their development
- How to operationalize and embed the learner profile across school systems (ex., strategic plan, portfolios, grading, reporting, etc.)
- Instructional strategies to connect Profile competencies directly to classroom practice

Problem of Practice I: We know we want to develop a Profile of a Learner. How can we learn from those who have gone before and best engage our learning community?

Problem of Practice II: We have a Profile of a Learner that we love, but we need to deepen its implementation in school structures and classroom practice.

Reimagining School Structure Discussion Summary

Where are we now as a region?

Districts across SWPA are piloting or scaling dual enrollment, career pathways/work-based learning, and flexible schedules. Structuring student and teacher time to maximize personalized learning is an area of focus across districts.

What do we need to learn more about?

- How to redefine the master schedule to allow more flexibility for real-world learning (ex., internships, dual enrollment, etc.)
- How to navigate the complexities of planning and facilitating professional learning for personalized learning, including issues around PD quality and collective bargaining.

Problem of Practice I: We've started to develop a richer portfolio of options for learners. How do we adjust the master schedule to make it all work?

Problem of Practice II: We know teachers need time to build their skills in personalized learning and to collaborate. How do we structure professional learning to maximize impact?

Aligned Learning Opportunities

- **February 20th -** Burrell SD Site Visit and Workshop
- **April 30th -** Baldwin-Whitehall Site Visit and Consultancy Workshop
- **June 16th -** Personalized Learning Summit