Elevator Statements: Communicating What We Mean When We Say.....

Part 1: After looking at what other groups wrote, please write what your group feels is a clear and succinct summary that characterizes our staff's thoughts on

- The conditions that can/do enable this attribute to occur
- Where we currently see this attribute (in/outside)
- Where we can go with this attribute? What are the possibilities?
- What can help us "make it happen" with this attribute?
- When we do these things, what the benefits are/could be of this attribute?

Part 2: Using the "Comments" feature (under "Insert" in the top menu) in the Google Document, go "soft on the people, and hard on the content" by adding notes and bits that might help the group "iterate" (think Austin's Butterfly)

Creativity: We are producing more open minded, problem-solvers

We need time, trust and supportive network.

Creativity is everywhere and everyone can learn to be creative.

We need to be trained to teach creativity. More focus on process rather than product.

Mantra:

freedom to <u>colour</u> outside the sandbox safely

Collaboration:

We want to adapt our environment (physical and time) to enable successful collaboration. We recognize that staffing and class size need to be addressed to be effective in collaboration.

A community of valued relationships (Mantra)

We want to invite our community (parents) to be deeply involved in our community of learning

Resilience:

Community - 'we got your back'

Expect shit to happen...but it'll be okay - I got your back.

TAG groups needed

Formal piece: structures we develop Informal: day to day interactions...