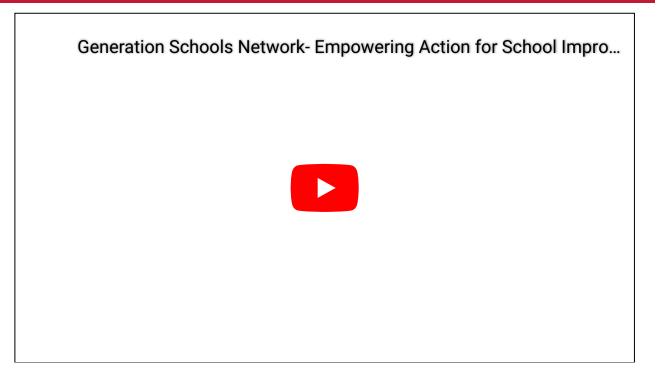
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Ready to help with EASI



The CREC and Generation Schools Network (GSN) are ready to support you in writing EASI grants! Watch this <u>five-minute video</u> to learn about our approach to EASI, which includes coming alongside schools and districts to help them improve student outcomes, community engagement, and teacher and leader capacity across the four domains. We are also one of very few providers approved by CDE across all EASI categories and we have years of experience providing support

having supported 25 districts and 43 schools through EASI since 2017. Please contact <u>Kirk</u> <u>Banghart</u> or the <u>GSN staff member</u> you work with most frequently for more information.

Redefining Rural Podcast - New Episode Alert! Meeting the Challenge of Teacher Recruitment and Retention



Redefining Rural is back for season four! Join Michelle Murphy of the Colorado Rural Alliance, Denille LePlatt of the South Central BOCES, and Kirk Banghart, Chief Facilitator of the Colorado Rural Education Collaborative to learn about teacher recruitment and retention programs that are making a difference throughout the state of Colorado in rural communities.

Listen to and follow Redefining Rural on social media here.

CREC Team Members Present at the National Forum to Advance Rural Education!



CREC Team Members, Kirk Banghart, Olivia Bachicha, and Katie Peyton presented on DEIA for Leadership, Zero Barrier Partnerships, and Strong Collaboratives at the National Forum to Advance Rural Education (NFARE) in Green Bay, Wisconsin last week.

To learn more about the conference, click <u>here</u>. <i>For upcoming CREC events, click <u>here</u>.

Genesis Group Updates

College and Career Readiness

Introducing Audrey Gutierrez and her Work Developing Oral Health Pathways!

Audrey serves as the new College & Career Readiness Network Manager at GSN. Thanks to the Delta Dental Foundation, her work across the CREC will be focused on strengthening career pathways in oral health for the I-76, Spanish Peaks, and Santa Fe Trail regions. She has a passion for education and seeing young people reach their full potential. Prior to joining GSN, she worked for 7 years in schools and nonprofits in the Denver Metro area. *To learn more about this career pathway or to share your thoughts and community needs, contact* <u>Audrey.</u>



I-76 Partner Convening



Our CCR team and The Eastern Workforce Center facilitated a joint convening of districts and community partner organizations in Fort Morgan. The focus was collaboration and planning to advance student opportunity and college/career accessibility. Lunch was provided by Brush High School's Beetdigger Catering, a food truck awarded to Brush High School's CTE Program through the CTE Innovations Grant. <u>Click here</u> for more about the I-76 Partnerships for Prosperity college/career pathway.

Remote Guest Speaker Series!





Students in the <u>I-76 Partnerships for Prosperity</u> collaborative are learning from a variety of guest speakers this year! The remote guest speaker sessions, which take place on the third Wednesday of each month at 11:00 a.m. increase career exposure for late elementary through high school students. *If you want to join with your classroom or school via Zoom, contact <u>Gina Angelini</u>!*

The October session featured Weston Edmunds, Communications Manager at Weld Food Bank. Weston was born and raised in Greeley before going to college and grad school in Oregon. It was there that he developed a passion for hunger relief. In 2014, Weston joined the Weld Food Bank team as Volunteer Coordinator before moving into his current role.

Social Emotional Learning & Students At-Risk



Upcoming SEL Forum Topic: Mindful Movement for Youth Date: December 6, 2022; 4:00-5:30 p.m. Mindful movement increases body awareness and selfregulation for students (and grown-ups!). Come to this interactive workshop to learn mindful movement techniques you can bring to your classroom. Be ready to move!

REGISTER

Student-Centered Accountability and Reporting

Are You Looking for an Alternative to the Alpine Reporting Solution? Check Out The Student-Centered Reporting Solution!



The Student-Centered Reporting Solution is a homegrown technology solution that currently serves districts across Colorado and beyond, bringing together education leaders, researchers, policymakers, technology funders, and programmers to remove persistent barriers to addressing equity in education. This grassroots effort leverages the national community of over 11,900 districts in 32 states using the Ed-Fi data standard, creating insightful and timely reports that can be used to engage the local community and achieve equitable, student-centered teaching and learning. Learn more at studentcenteredreporting.org

The CREC is seeking additional districts to pilot new reporting functionalities, contact <u>Kirk</u> <u>Banghart</u> to learn more.

Teacher Leader Efficacy



Colorado Statewide Principal Professional Learning Community Mondays: Oct. 31, Nov. 28, Dec. 12 10:00 - 11:00 AM

The CREC and GSN have come together to provide a 60-minute, monthly Principal PLC to connect principals across the state and provide an opportunity to learn from one another. Join dozens of leaders each month

to discuss topics that align with the school calendar and have opportunities to consider ideas to advance your efforts around Family Engagement Strategies, College and Career Readiness, STEM, and more!

Do you have a topic you would appreciate putting forward for problem-solving or gaining collective wisdom?*Let <u>Olivia Bachicha</u> or <u>Kirk Banghart</u> know!*

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Post your job openings for 2022-23!

The CREC advertises job openings on the CREC website and through a monthly job openings e-blast that goes out to more than 100 agencies and higher education institutions, giving your postings a wider audience! This is a great opportunity for our members to bring future educators into the amazing rural communities of Colorado!



To view our job board, click here.

To submit an open position to our job board, click <u>here</u>. *To take off a job posting that has been filled, email <u>sbommer@generationschools.org.</u>*

Contact Us!



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