

## Cultivating Pathways to Sustainability February 2021- September 2021

**Registration Form** 

## Instructor:

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## **Professional Learning Description**

Welcome to professional learning for Cultivating Pathways to Sustainability. The goal of Cultivating Pathways to Sustainability is to connect the promising efforts of Act 77 - personalized learning, flexible pathways to graduation - to that of the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals. School teams will link what is going on inside of their classrooms and schools to larger efforts toward making a difference.

This professional learning opportunity is designed to support you as you work with your school team, colleagues and community members to:

- Cultivate youth-adult partnership.
- Engage in action research to contribute to the community.
- Explore the Education for Sustainability framework.
- Foster youth voice and empowerment in the learning process.
- Further youth leadership skills.
- Promote appreciation of diversity and individuality.

**Goal**: Participants will have the knowledge, skills and support to implement a well-designed curriculum that promotes individual and collective agency and fosters youth engagement in learning and decision making at their school. *Additional goals may be determined by instructor and participant to meet the needs of a customized learning opportunity.* 

Meeting Times: TBD by instructor and participant

**Assessment:** 

REFLECTIVE WRITING: Reflective writing pieces documenting your learning. You can address

questions such as: what you did, what you learned, and how you are applying that learning to future work, as well as suggestions for refining the curriculum.

**YOUR CPS PROJECT**: A team generated project capturing the impact of your learning and work in a way that is meaningful to your team. This can include photos, documents, drawings, writings, video documentaries, etc. It is up to you and your team to decide what format works best to capture your work throughout the year and be a useful presentation tool to reflect on and assess your journey at the end of the year.