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(everything you need can be found here)

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## Goals for Convening:

- Connect** and reflect together on what teaching and learning does and can look like in Vermont school systems that embrace student-centered practices
- Reflect** on what we have learned since the passage of Act 77
- Deepen our commitment** to the POWER and OPPORTUNITY of Act 77
- Explore** the (positive) power of committing to student centered learning - amplify the bright spots!!
- Consider** how flexible pathways and personalization are well positioned for us to infuse more joy into learning- how can we be joyful and connected in education?
- Identify** the connected policies through bright spots
- Look to the future:** Contribute to shaping the next ten years of student-centered learning in Vermont - what is needed in this next decade and how do we get there?

TIME	AGENDA
9:00-9:30 am	<b>Arrival and Check-in</b>
9:30	<b>Welcome and Opening Remarks - House Chamber</b> "Our Time then" to "Our Time NOW" Overview of Day and Goals

9:45	<b>Community Building Jamboree!</b>
10:10	<b>Bright Spots Sharing</b> - youth-adult teams from across VT share their what, their <b>why</b> and how their experiences demonstrate engaging, equitable, student-centered learning.
10:55	<b>Facilitated Breakout Dialogue Groups</b>  <i>*Your nametag will have a letter to indicate what breakout room you will go to.</i>
LUNCH/ Open Space 12:00-1:00 pm	Group 1 - Lunch, Group 2 Open Space Group 2 - Lunch, Group 1 Open Space
1:05	<b>Return to House Chamber</b> Community Building/Energizer Bright Spot: BETA Lab Cohort (Generator)
1:20	<b>Open Space Session 2</b>
2:05 - 2:30	<b>Closing and Commitments</b>