

Professional Learning Series 2023-2024

Nourishing a Culture of Safety, Care, and Belonging

At the Center, we recognize that establishing a culture of safety, care, and belonging is fundamental to the success of our schools. Throughout the year, we will be providing a comprehensive series of opportunities designed to equip education professionals with the skills and knowledge needed to create humanizing and inclusive spaces. We believe that by honoring the diversity and celebrating the nuances that each person brings, we can establish thriving communities where everyone can flourish. We are thrilled to announce our new professional development theme, centered around fostering an environment that values each individual's uniqueness and cultivates a sense of unity.

Psychological Safety as a Tool for Risk Taking



Wednesday, October 25, 6:00-7:30 PM

When students and educators feel psychologically safe, they are more likely to explore new ideas, take creative risks, and engage in transformative learning experiences. Join us to learn how and what creates spaces that honor risk-taking through establishing emotional safety. **Registration Link** [[here](#)]

Meeting Students Where They Are Through UDL



Wednesday, December 6, 6:00-7:30 PM

By embracing Universal Design for Learning (UDL), we can ensure that our instructional practices are accessible, engaging, and tailored to the diverse needs of our students, promoting their success and well-being. This session covers the basics of UDL and practical ways it can be integrated into learning environments. **Registration Link** [[here](#)]

Taking Care of Our Wholeselves



Wednesday, January 31, 6:00-7:30 PM

By caring for ourselves, we can better support our students and create an environment fostering growth and resilience. Learn strategies and tools empowering you to show up as your best self in the classroom while finding joy in your life outside of the profession. **Registration Link** [[here](#)]

Who I Am? And Where I Go Next?

*An Exploration of Personal &
Professional Identity*



Wednesday, April 17, 6:00-7:30 PM

In this session, we encourage all participants to embark on a journey of self-discovery, reflecting on who they are and envisioning their future growth and development. Understanding ourselves better can cultivate authenticity and purpose in our work, leading to greater fulfillment and impact. Come reflect back to plan forward for the next steps in your career journey. **Registration Link** [[here](#)]