

COLLEGES AND K-12

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Who's here today?





This session

- What did I learn from my calls with the colleges in April? What are commonalities to the various K-12 issues?
- What can we learn together as we go forward with pathways work and our K-12 partners?

OK, what did I learn?



- Increase in Hispanic students and families
- Dual credit teacher licensure → equity
- The need to bring different K-12 stakeholders together
- Two or three high schools that are crushing it – how can that happen for all?
- The need to start this work early
- Boots-on-the-ground people at high schools very impactful
- At the mercy of state-level policy decisions
- Structural impediments to this work can be weighty
- The importance of aligning high school pathways with college pathways

DISCUSSION



**Thanks for your
time today and feel
free to be in touch**

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