# Family Engagement Leaders of Ohio

January 11, 2021





Welcome!



### Greetings

PLEASE ADD YOUR NAME, ROLE, AND ORGANIZATION TO THE CHAT BOX.

## WELCOME!

Family Engagement Leaders of Ohio is a virtual professional learning community for family engagement professionals in Ohio's districts and community schools that brings together family engagement professionals virtually to share experiences and to learn together how we can build partnerships with all families in our preK – 12 education community.

## Agenda

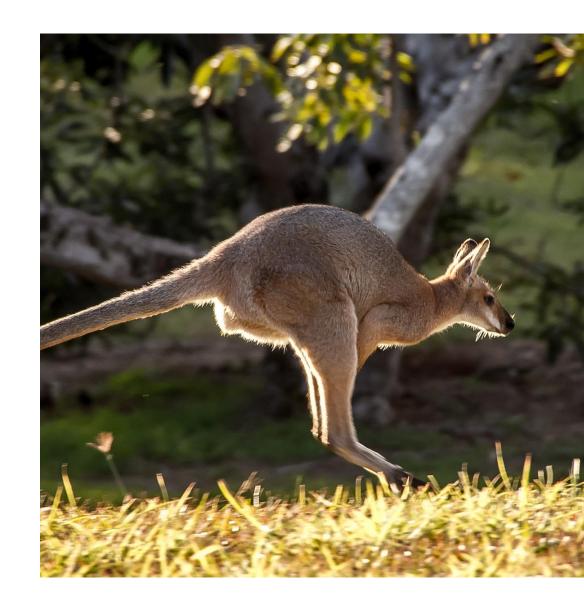
- I. Welcome and reconnecting with colleagues
- II. Discussing problems of practice and the Consultancy Protocol as a tool to explore them.
- III. Sharing announcements and celebrations
- VI. Engaging Middle Ground: Partnering with families for success in the middle grades
  - Hadley Bachman, The Ohio Statewide Family Engagement Center
- VI. Questions, exit survey, and adjourn

# Money Talks (9)

Seeking Family Feedback

### **Jumping Right In!**

What is one role of a district family engagement leader that you are currently working on? Or, what is one that you would like to prioritize this semester?

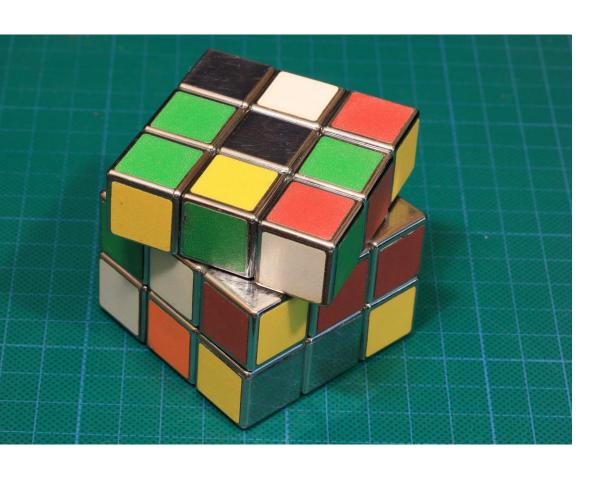


#### **District Leadership Roles**

Adapted from the Joyce Epstein's School, Family, and Community Partnerships, Fourth Edition

- Write a policy
- Assign a leader for partnerships
- Write a leadership plan for partnerships
- Identify a budget with adequate funds
- Guide each school to form an Action Team for Partnerships or a similar school committee on strengthening family-school-community partnerships
- Provide professional learning opportunities
- Conduct an end-of-year celebration
- Develop or select tools and resources
- Establish a district website
- Partner with businesses and community organizations
- Support research and evaluation

Grab a handout with these roles at <a href="https://bit.ly/3sUeDKg">https://bit.ly/3sUeDKg</a>



# Problems of Practice

A problem of practice is an area that a school or school district identifies that is directly observable, is actionable, and connects to a broader strategy of improvement.

### **Using the Consultancy Protocol**

- Step 1: Present the Problem of Practice
- Step 2: Ask Clarifying Questions
- Step 3: Ask Probing Questions
- Step 4: Discussion of the Problem
- Step 5: Debrief

Grab a handout explaining this protocol at <a href="https://bit.ly/3sUeDKg">https://bit.ly/3sUeDKg</a>

# Announcements and Celebrations

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## Wrapping Up!

Please take the exit survey by following this link:

https://osu.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV 5tKJNRCAWNReSJo

Next Meeting March 15, 2022!



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