

Welcome to the Breakout Room D Jamboard!
Tineke will be adding notes, but feel free to add your own as well.
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Themes in
BLUE

What we've learnt over the years

Being comfortable with uncertainty

if you think youre doing it right youre doing it wrong

close to inclusion is not inclusion

What does inclusion mean?

Inclusion is a state of mind, a journey, not a program

there is a lot of learning in the community that needs to happen to for inclusive post secondary to be successful

Community learning

the power of inclusion has never been fully tapped. belonging and learning are essential

Building connection is key

Building relationships

I am fairly new to this work, so I wouldn't say I have any amazing wisdom to share, but for me I have found that relationship building is so critical.

2020/ 2021 highlights

Our campus in Victoria was able to facilitate a co-op for one of our students in a department we had not been able to access before!

Streamlining processes to spend more time with the students

challenging and digging into myself, my own views and biases, being able to create a space to allow myself to grow and learn

Graduating university and getting hired by Steps Forward!

teaching Zoom to the students and family

that it was still possible to hold this symposium!!

Personal wins!

Online learning

Getting hired by Steps Forward :)

Gaining confidence in myself to be a good facilitator

Being able to adapt to the online world

a lot of (forced) learning around virtual learning, which is a huge challenge, but helped some people grow as well

What next step do you want to take?



If you had unlimited resources what would your dream be for the future of inclusive education?



Thoughts on working with cooperative education programs?

There seems to be lots of resistance in gaining access for supported students, especially when modifications are required, but it's been highly valued by students who have participated.

It's been challenging obtaining Co-Ops with the pandemic, but in the past it has been successful - looking at roles that hold value

How do you build community connections for employment?

Ensuring the connections being made are allies and roles being offered are of value

employers need to offer customized employment

Mutually beneficial roles

Where do you see potential for growth in the initiatives?

Expanded resources, so our waitlist can be shorter or non-existent

accepting more students- right now I have 3 students. I would be great to see more students involved with the initiative

What advice do you have for new provincial initiatives?