

LEWIS & CLARK GEAR UP

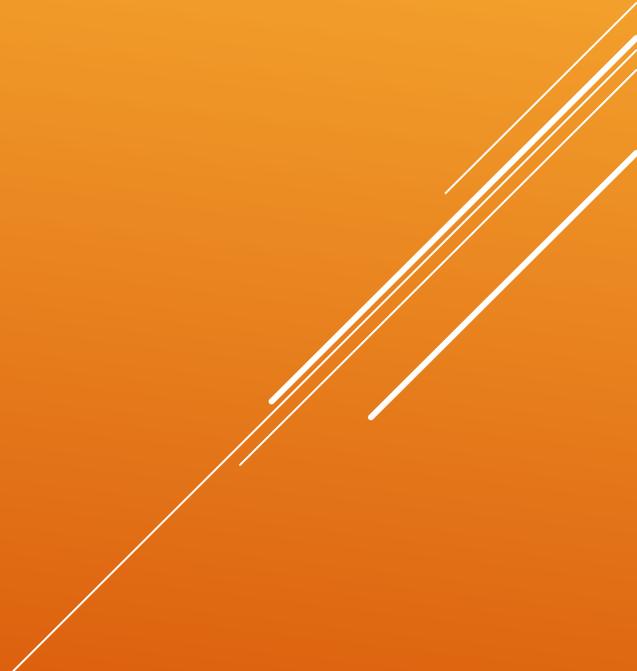
Team –

Suzanne Maguire – Coordinator

Brian Spraggins – Graduation Specialist

- ▶ Distinguish our strengths/limitations
 - ▶ Personal
 - ▶ School
- ▶ Discovering our Families

KNOWING OURSELVES & THE GEAR UP FAMILIES



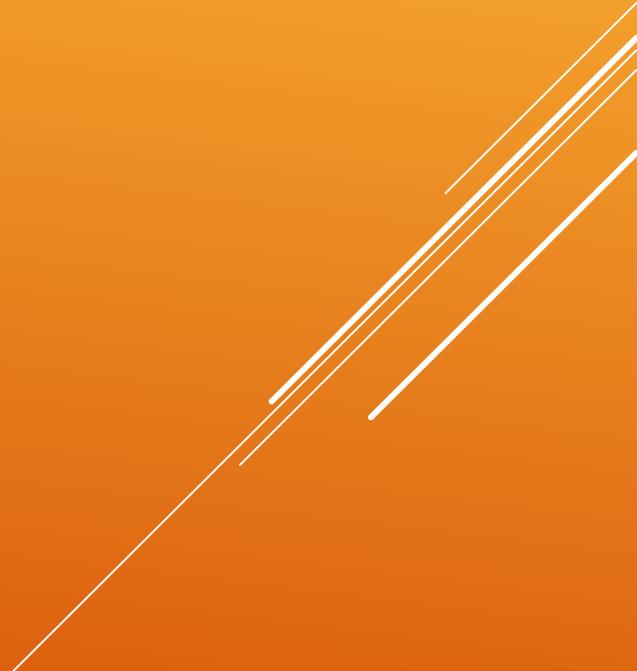
- ▶ Strengths?

- ▶ Past work/educational experience
- ▶ Community Connections
- ▶ School team connections

- ▶ Challenges/Limitations?

- ▶ Location
- ▶ Timing
- ▶ Family needs

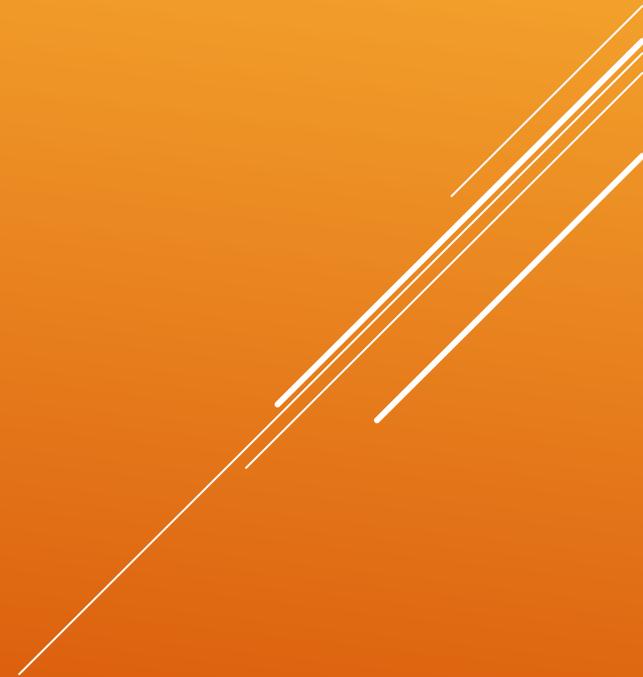
DETERMINE YOUR TEAM'S STRENGTHS





- ▶ Bucking the Trend – Boosting Attendance
- ▶ Thinking Outside the Box – *What does our population want to know?*
- ▶ Beyond GEAR UP Topic Recommendations
- ▶ Survey Monkey – Querying Our Population

FAMILY WORKSHOPS: TOPIC IDENTIFICATION



Survey Monkey

- Gather parent email addresses
- Parents respond to 9 possible options for workshops
- Collect data & organize results

CREATING INVITING FAMILY EVENTS

- ▶ Success with Freshmen Face to Face
 - ▶ Experts + Engagement = Enthusiasm

Family Events

- Financial Planning for college
- Navigating high school course registration
- Tomorrow's Job Trends
- College Admissions

SOLUTION = PANEL FORMAT

- ▶ Tomorrow's Job Trends Panel - Desired Outcomes
- ▶ Conceptualizing the Panel
 - ▶ General Goal – Broad Industry Representation (T24)
 - ▶ Diverse Panelist List
 - ▶ District Resource Utilization

JOB TRENDS PANEL: LEVERAGING
RESOURCES



- ▶ Assembling the Pieces
 - ▶ Structuring the Evening
 - ▶ Contacting Presenters
 - ▶ Outlining Logistical Details
- ▶ Topic Framing – One Key to Success
 - ▶ Panelist Education
 - ▶ Purposeful Moderating

JOB TRENDS PANEL: LEVERAGING
RESOURCES



- ▶ Have volunteer help for sign in table and food clean up/prep
- ▶ Ensure paper evaluation available night of event
- ▶ Use Survey Monkey for feedback after event
- ▶ Follow up emails to panelists providing them additional positive feedback from attendees

WHAT WE LEARNED

- ▶ Suzanne Maguire – suzannem@spokaneschools.org
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Q & A

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