#### developing STUDENT OWNERSHIP:

# How Students Can Become Life-Long Learners

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## **Today's Session**

When a student learns how to own their learning, they will have the sustainable skills needed to succeed in any setting—in college, at work, while beginning their career.

A student who owns their learning can state what they are learning and why, can explain how they learn best, can articulate when they are learning and when they are struggling, and understands their role in any academic setting—be it in class or on-line or at home. Therefore, student ownership is best defined as a mindset. Students with an ownership mindset know they have the authority, the capacity, and the responsibility to own their learning. They have motivation, confidence, and commitment to pursue academic success.

In this webinar, you will clarify the research on student ownership and explore the practical tools that empower students to build the skills they need to own their own learning while answering the following questions:

- What is student ownership and why is it imperative?
- How can you and your staff develop student ownership?
- How can we help you and your staff develop student ownership?

# What is student ownership and why is it imperative?

## Why Is Student Ownership Imperative?

In 2001, John Hattie showed us that students who own their own learning are more motivated to learn, and those students who are more motivated to learn actually learn more:

"It is the students themselves, in the end, not teachers, who decide what students will learn. Thus we must attend to what students are thinking, what their goals are, and why they would want to engage in learning what is offered in schools."

# What Is Student Ownership?

#### **CURRICULUM**

The learner must clarify the learning.

#### INSTRUCTION

The learner must engage with the learning.

#### **CLIMATE**

The learner must connect with fellow learners.

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## **ASSESSMENT**

The learner must monitor the learning.

# What Is Student Ownership in Curriculum?

The learner must clarify the learning.

#### They clarify...

- What they are learning
- What success looks and sounds like
- How the current learning connects to past and future learning
- Where you are in the process of learning (initial understanding, practicing, applying, transferring)
- What resources and materials are needed to learn

# What Is Student Ownership in Instruction?

#### The learner must **engage** with the learning.

#### They engage with...

- Other learners to share ideas
- Instructional strategies that build their metacognition
- Instructional strategies that ensure mastery of the learning
- With routines that ensure efficient use of time



# What Is Student Ownership in Assessment?



The learner must **monitor** with the learning.

They monitor by...

- Clarifying the success criteria of the learning
- Checking their own understanding during the process of learning
- Clarifying and articulating when they are learning and when they are struggling
- Adjusting their learning accordingly
- Adapting the learning process based on their specific needs

# What Is Student Ownership in Climate?

# The learner must **connect** with fellow learners.



#### They connect with...

- Other learners in the class in a respectful manner
- Their role as a learner—both in class and outside of class
- Other learners for support when taking academic risks
- Other learners in a cooperative way
- Other learners in a collaborative way

# What Does Student Ownership Sound Like?

Possible responses from seventh grade students in geography when asked, "What are you learning?"

#### **Understand**

"We are learning about how geography and climate affected how people lived. We are taking notes on examples of this from an article on the Middle Ages."

#### Own

"We are learning about the relationships between geographic, political, and economic structures in various civilizations. In two weeks, we will put together a slide presentation on one of the civilizations. Right now, we are learning how to cite textual evidence. My document is a map of the Arabian Peninsula. I will use Cornell notes to take notes. This will help me make sure I have accurate evidence."

#### Do

"I am reading this article."

# How can you and your staff develop student ownership?



# Directly Teach Students How to Own Their Learning

#### **Understand**

A student is understanding their learning when they can state what they are doing and make connections to the information, facts, or topics addressed. Students tend to be focused on content acquisition or content knowledge.

#### Own

A student is *owning* their learning when they can clearly state not only what they are learning and why, but can also articulate how they learn best, can explain, with evidence, when they are learning and when they are struggling, can apply these skills in authentic settings, and can transfer these skills into future situations. In other words, students consistently manage their role in their learning, recognize why this is crucial, and utilize strong metacognitive skills.

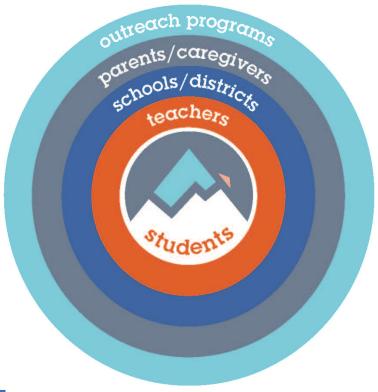
#### Do

A student is *doing* school when they can state what the task is or recite what they are literally doing. This is a student who believes their role is to do classwork but not that their role is to learn.

#### Have Them Reflect on Their Role as a Learner

#### I am able to answer: sometimes always never What am I learning and how will I demonstrate I have learned it? > What is my role in the class, when working with others, and when working on my own? 5 What is my role in recognizing and promoting others? What are the scholarly behaviors that support my learning? 5 How do I support others in their learning? 5 How do I take academic risks? 5 What is the value of taking academic risks? How do I work with other learners? 5

#### Focus on All Stakeholders



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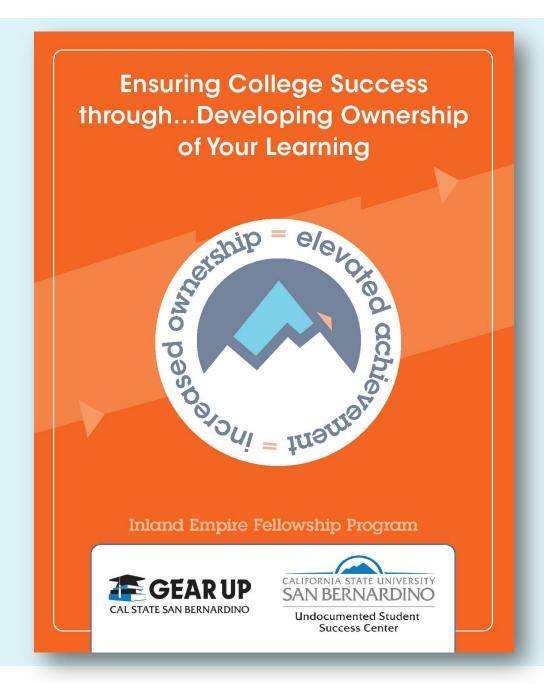
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# How can we help you and your staff develop student ownership?

#### **Customized Student Resources**



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#### Ensuring College Success through... Developing Ownership of Your Learning

This course for entering students will provide practical strategies to support your role in the learning process necessary for success in a college/university setting by developing ownership of your own learning.

#### The four sessions include:

#### Across the course, you will:

- Clarify the value of owning your role in your success which includes owning what you are learning, how you learn best, and how you will know if you have learned the skills and content presented in your college classes.
- Determine your own strengths and needs as a self-directed learner utilizing a framework for growth.
- Develop strategies that encourage a growth mindset in self-selected areas.

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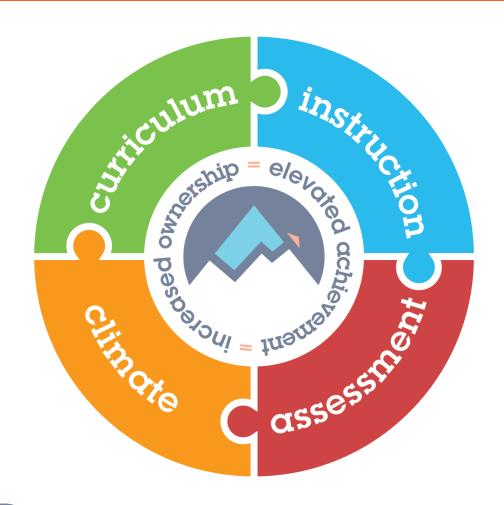
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December 10

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