Professional Development

# Graduation Equity Webinar - Orientation Practices to Boost Connection

## May 8, 2024 | 10-11:30 am | Virtual

This month we’re talking about Orientation practices to boost connection. Transitions can be some of the most stressful times in life because they mess with our routines, our expectations, but most of all our relationships. We’re bringing you Henterson Carlisle, the Northwest Director for the Center for High School Success. Henterson has coached many school teams working to welcome rising eighth graders to ninth grade and has seen a wide variety of orientation models. We’ll also have with you one of the Center for High School Success coaches to talk about the work they’re doing with schools right now and Grandview School District to talk about how they are centering connection in their orientation practices. Free Equity Clock Hours are available!

**Objectives**

* Learn orientation strategies that boost connections.
* Use the Center for High School Success Roadmap to provide early preparation for high school entry.
* Consider which social emotional learning competencies you want to promote.
* Learn from practitioners about their experiences and lessons learned with orientations.
* Get resources to support welcoming students to school.

**Presenters**

* Henterson Carlisle, Northwest Regional Director, Center for High School Success, hcarlisle@highschoolsuccess.org
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* Virginia Caro Morales, Assistant Director, Multilingual Education, OSPI, virginia.morales@k12.wa.us
* Grandview School District

Register [here](https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_df24F_6ETxaOIqVcviziiw#/registration). For more information, contact Kefi Anderson. Questions about clock hours? Contact Ronnie Larson.

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