

## **Tool:** Learner-Centered Experiences Educator Choice Boards

Embedding choice into learning experiences for both students and adults is a powerful way to foster agency and make sure learning is meaningful, authentic, and personalized to each learner. This tool offers resources for educators that support growth in all areas of learner-centered experiences.



Choose which element of learner-centered experiences most aligns with your learning goals and then explore the choice board resource(s) that are most relevant to your practice.



**Authentic** Meaningful, relevant learning grounded in real-world challenges and applications for authentic audiences.

- Design real-world learning experiences
- Provide opportunities for anytime/anywhere learning
- Create authentic products for authentic audiences



Inclusive and equitable Collaborative and culturally relevant learning communities where every learner feels they belong and can tap into their full academic & social potential, contributing to the collective success of their community.

- Cultivate a sense of belonging
- Nurture a meaningful, engaging learning community
- Partner with learners to reach their full potential



**Personalized** Co-constructed learning based on each learner's unique strengths, skills, interests, and needs.

- Develop learners' metacognition, self-regulation, and perseverance
- Co-construct the learning experience
- Customize learning opportunities based on each unique learner.



**Competency-based** An evidence-based instruction, assessment, and feedback cycle that drives learning based on progress toward desired knowledge, skills, and dispositions.

- Harness assessment & data as learning tools
- Use a mastery approach to learning
- Measure mastery through performance- based assessments

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COMPETENCY-BASED ASSESSMENT	AUTHENTIC LEARNING	PERSONALIZED LEARNING	INCLUSIVE & EQUITABLE COMMUNITY
Formative Assessment Read this article and plan to use at least 1 new formative assessment strategy.	Project-Based Learning Watch this <u>Tiny House</u> project video and design your own project.	Choice Board Check out <u>these options</u> and create your own.	Get to Know Your Students Review these 10 strategies and plan for how to implement
Learner Portfolios Check out this template for a Learner Portfolio and create your own based on your goals.	<b>Design Authentic Projects</b> Read <u>this blog</u> and consider how you might increase authenticity.	Playlist Create your own playlist based on your content and grade. Check out these examples.	Morning Meetings Watch_this video on morning meetings and consider what you could try.
Portfolio Defense Check out SEEQS portfolio defense of learning and plan for how you could incorporate in your class.	Write to Learn Read this article on 3 ways to make your writing more authentic and plan to revise a writing lesson.	Voice + Choice Check out these 5 ideas to increase voice and choice	Deepen Collaboration Read about these <u>5</u> strategies to deepen collaboration
<b>Design a Rubric</b> Explore <u>single point</u> <u>rubrics</u> and create your own.	Adapt a Project Explore these projects to inspire ideas for your classroom	Increase Learner Agency Explore images of Classroom that Promote Agency and personalized learning	Culturally Responsive Practices Explore these practices and reflect on your next steps