

**Personalized  
Learning Summit  
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# May the PL Force Be with You: Become a PL Jedi Master

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# Become a PL

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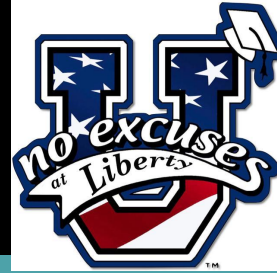
"A long time ago  
in a galaxy far,  
far away...."

"Personalized Learning was the  
Force that Awakened  
Liberty Elementary...."





We Are



90 +% Poverty

No Excuses  
University

Passionate

360+ ELL  
Students



Committed

# A Day in the Life of a Liberty Eagle

Personalized Learning

Character Building

Direct Instruction

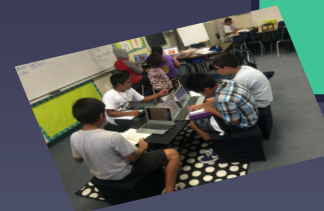
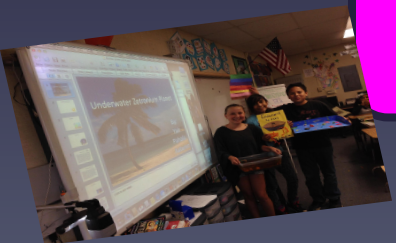
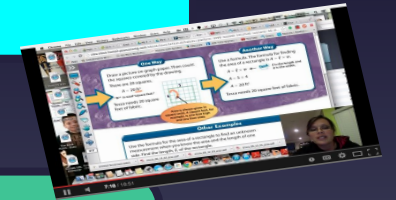
Art/PE/Drama Club

Blended Learning

[A Day in the Life of a  
Liberty Eagle Video](#)

Passion Projects

Small Groups



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## What is PL and what is it NOT?



### Personalization v Differentiation v Individualization Chart (v3)

There is a difference between personalization, differentiation, and individualization. One is learner-centered; the others are teacher-centered.

Personalization	Differentiation	Individualization
<b>The Learner...</b>	<b>The Teacher...</b>	<b>The Teacher...</b>
drives their learning.	provides instruction to groups of learners.	provides instruction to an individual learner.
connects learning with interests, talents, passions, and aspirations.	adjusts learning needs for groups of learners.	accommodates learning needs for the individual learner.
actively participates in the design of their learning.	designs instruction based on the learning needs of different groups of learners.	customizes instruction based on the learning needs of the individual learner.
owns and is responsible for their learning that includes their voice and choice on how and what they learn.	is responsible for a variety of instruction for different groups of learners.	is responsible for modifying instruction based on the needs of the individual learner.
identifies goals for their learning plan and benchmarks as they progress along their learning path with guidance from teacher.	identifies the same objectives for different groups of learners as they do for the whole class.	identifies the same objectives for all learners with specific objectives for individuals who receive one-on-one support.
acquires the skills to select and use	selects technology and resources	selects technology and resources to





## If you are asking yourself, Is this PL?

Consider:

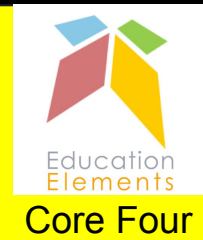
- Who made the decisions?
  - Teacher decided-**NOT PL**
  - Co-decided by student & teacher-**Yes PL**
  - Student decided-**Yes PL**





# Our Design for PL

## "Creating Self-Directed Learners"



Student  
Reflection &  
Ownership

Learner Profile

Data  
Driven  
Decisions

-Preferred Learning -Aspirations -Interests  
-Strength & Weaknesses

Targeted  
Instruction

Personalized Learning  
Plan

Student  
Reflection &  
Ownership

-Voice -Choice -Pace -Path  
-Learning shown in different ways

Data  
Driven  
Decisions

Integrated  
Digital  
Content

Flexible  
Environments

Targeted  
Instruction

-Blended -Small Group -Variety of Access  
-Physical Space -Multi Delivery Approaches

Data  
Driven  
Decisions

Competency Based  
Advancement

-Pace -Path -Assessment -Mastery  
-Progress Monitoring -Accountability

Socially Engaged  
Contributors

-School -Community -Global



# Learner Profiles Change Lives






















It starts with a conversation...

1:1 Interviews  
Access, Engage, Express



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## How I Learn Best

Access: How do I access or <u>get information</u> the best?	Engage: How do I engage or <u>work with information</u> the best?	Express: How do I express or <u>show what I know</u> the best?
With Books 	Learning While Moving Around 	Reflection - Learner Diary 
On the Computer 	Hands-On Exploration 	Presentation 
Asking Others 	Discussions/Speaking 	Poem 
Watching Videos/TV 	Listening/Auditory 	Create/Write a Book 
Magazines/Newspapers 	Working Alone 	Poster 
Teacher or Other Adult 	Working In Pairs 	Write a Report 
Other:	Working In Groups 	Create a Game 
	Other:	Act It Out 

## Let's Create a Learner Profile

Who am I ?  
How do I learn best?  
What are my strengths?  
What are my challenges?  
What have I mastered?  
Who am I as a learner?



### LEARNER PROFILE **PROJECT**

Liberty Learner Profile -- Student Design for Learning

Learner \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Extra-Curricular:

Who I live with:

Birthday:

Insert Picture Here






Friendships:

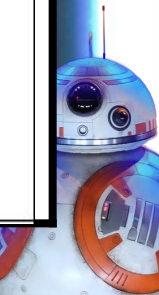
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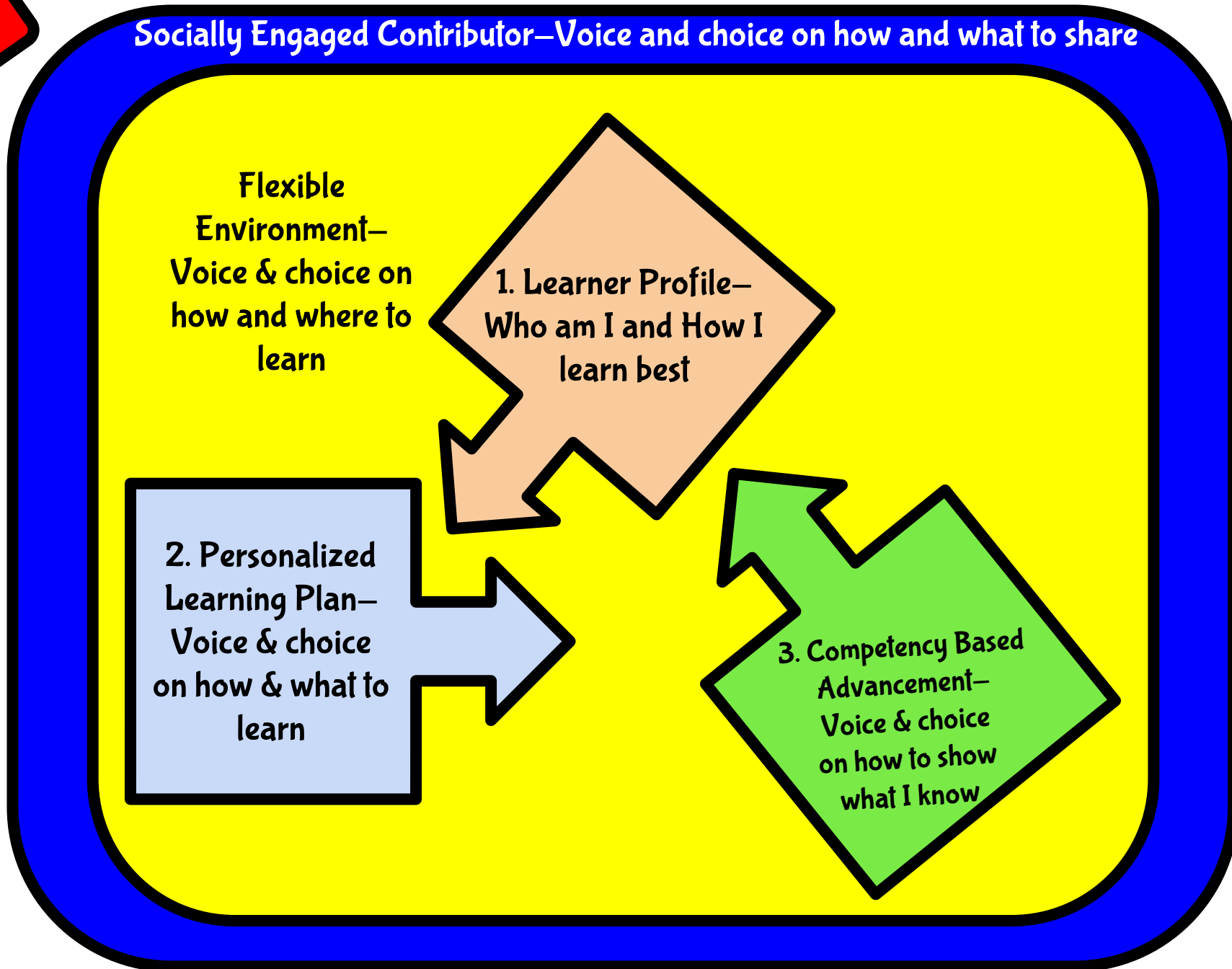
# PL Stations

Learner Profile	Personalized Learning Plan	Flexible Environment	Competency Based Advancement	Socially Engaged Contributor
Whole Group Create a Learner Profile	Independent Watch & Listen Personalized Learning Plan	Small Group Collaboration Create a flexible Environment	Direct Instruction Competency Based Advancement	Direct Instruction Socially Engaged Contributor
<p>I mastered <u>Learner Profile</u></p> 	<p>I mastered <u>PL Plan</u></p> 	<p>I mastered <u>Flexible Environment</u></p> 	<p>I mastered <u>Competency Based Advancement</u></p> 	<p>I mastered <u>Socially Engaged Contributor</u></p>  <p>#PLSummit</p>



**Self-Directed Learner**

**Socially Engaged Contributor—Voice and choice on how and what to share**







## Personalized Learning Plan



- Co-authored Plans
- Learners have voice and choice to create their own learning path and pace



## Competency Based Advancement

- Learners demonstrate mastery of skills and concepts through various methods of input.
- K-3 main focus is reading
- 4-6 application of reading skills
- K-6 writing at proficiency in all 3 text types
- K-6 math proficiency of conceptual understanding, fluency, and application to real-world



## Flexible Environment

### Flexible...

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Seating</li><li>• Groupings</li><li>• Location</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Schedules</li><li>• Access to information</li></ul> |
|--|---|



## Socially Engaged Contributor

Learners share their learning with others and contribute to make a difference in the world!



# Explain all PL elements can you?



**STAR WARS**



Did you earn  
the  
PL Jedi Master  
Brag Tag?



I am a  
PL Jedi Master

TRUST ME I'M A  
**JEDI**  
MASTER





## Resources:

- Personalizelearning.com
- Personalized Learning Plan: [bit.ly/PLPLiberty](https://bit.ly/PLPLiberty)
- Flexible Environment:
  - [thelibrarystore.com/library\\_layouts](https://thelibrarystore.com/library_layouts)
  - [classroom.4teachers.org](https://classroom.4teachers.org)
  - [teacher.scholastic.com/tools/class\\_setup](https://teacher.scholastic.com/tools/class_setup)
  - [floorplanner.com/5coq2g](https://floorplanner.com/5coq2g)
- Competency Based Advancement: [bit.ly/2p4FRKu](https://bit.ly/2p4FRKu)
- Socially Engaged Contributor: [bit.ly/SECLiberty](https://bit.ly/SECLiberty)





# Thank You!



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