

Addison County Core Team

Tuesday October 15, 2019.

Killington Vermont.

In attendance: Ray Mason (VR), Betsy Choquette (DAIL), Lisa Young (VR), Mark Ciociola (VR), Emma Page (VABIR), Mary Ellen Giglio (VABIR), Eric Decker (MAUHS), Lisa Sihler (MUHS), Jay Stetzel (VUHS), Ric Wheeler (CSAC), Suzanne Beck (VAL), Kristen Andrews (VAL).

Review of previous meeting's notes:

Team decided that since the Core Team has not been active for a while, to skip the review of the notes and start new.

Discussion:

What does the team want from this Core Team:

Consistency

Sustainability

School participation

Share resources and help each other to support individual program needs

Employer panel

Resource provider panel

Integrate career and technical centers into this team

Need to clarify the mission and goals of this team so special educators know to plan to attend

What the schools would like:

To build these meetings into in-service meeting days if possible.

Rotate locations among schools/towns.

Wants:

Jobs and work experiences for students

Work based learning opportunities

Core Team sponsored events

Series of workshops for students leading to a career fair

Get student buy-in to transition services

How to support a student with mental health issues and how-to better plan for their transition

Clarification of the role of everyone on the Core Team so we can understand what we each bring to the table and know how to support and access each other. “Bus stop” exercise.

Topics:

Transportation and transportation summit

Case scenarios so we can group brainstorm “leads and needs”

Vermont Family Network (VFN). Have Martha come to a Core Team meeting

Familiarize team with VFN and the resources they have

Build info and resource kits for families

Partner presentations

Meeting frequency:

Start with monthly to build consistency and then move/adjust/reschedule as needed

1.5 hours

Rotate meetings among towns and schools

Next meeting:

November 7, 2019

3:15 pm

At Vermont Adult Learning.

Next steps:

Ray to prepare addenda and send out prior to 11/7/19

Youth Works to present in November

Develop agenda template and plug in speakers/topics/etc.