

Student Learning Community (SLC) Starter Template

School Name: _____

Vision for Special Teams: _____

Example Essential Questions	Considerations
What are the site-based essentials to developing a student collaborative culture?	Student ownership, learning partnerships, goal setting, data analysis
What processes need to be in place to measure collaboration, productivity, and student learning?	Continuum rubrics, growth progressions, identified standards-based targets
What are the behavioral expectations for SLCs?	SLC collective commitments, 21st Century Learning: Communication, Collaboration, Critical Thinking, Creativity
What specific growth progressions might your team use to measure SLC productivity?	Collaboration rubric, SEL essentials continuum, execution of roles and responsibilities rubric
What are the essential outcomes for SLCs?	Increased student performance, enhanced critical soft skills to work in team settings, solution-focused outcomes
What are the conditions we need to create within the classrooms to promote SLCs and ensure they function effectively?	Teacher attributes, teacher expectations, enthusiastic and exciting learning environment, nonthreatening environment, a spirit of collaborative (not solely competitive) exchanges
What are the essential characteristics of student-led learning? What does it look like? What does it sound like?	Student voice and choice, adherence to established norms, shared accountability, active engagement, productive struggle, problem solving, respectful disagreements
What are possible ways that we can use the SLC model within the school day?	Assessment data analysis, collaborative performance tasks, SEL incorporation