

Board Meeting Processing Space Sign Up

Please fill out this form if you would like to attend a supported processing space related to this past Tuesday's School Board Meeting. Please note that the spaces are affinity spaces, which in this case means they are divided by race. Learn more about affinity spaces and why they are so important here: <https://www.learningforjustice.org/magazine/summer-2015/making-space> and via the graphic below.

Offering Affinity spaces is an important part of our equity work at EHS/EWSD and is written in to the EWSD Equity Policy, which you can find on the EWSD website.

Please mark which time/space you would like to attend on Friday: *

- 9:30-10:45 with Kate Littlefield (white affinity space)
- 8:30-10:30 with Porchea Tipton (Black, Indigenous, People of Color "BIPOC" affinity space)
- 1-2:30 with Kate Littlefield (white affinity space)
- Flex time with Porchea Tipton (Global Majority/BIPOC Affinity Space)

Which class/teacher will you miss? *

Your answer

Here is some information about Affinity Spaces from culturallyresponsiveleadership.com/affinity

Racial Affinity Groups ARE	Racial Affinity Group Are NOT
<p>A time for White folx to do the following without harming and/or re-traumatizing BIPOC:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Embrace, excavate, and reckon with their Whiteness, including their privilege and power. - Examine how to center the voices and experiences of BIPOC <p>A time for BIPOC to take care of themselves and one another while doing the following in the absence of Whiteness:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Unpack racism, internalized oppression, and racialized trauma - Discuss the impact of White Supremacy Culture and the pressure of assimilation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Racist or segregationist - A replacement for doing mixed-race racial equity work - A time for White folx to avoid discussion about race by focusing on other identities - A time for White folx to rely on BIPOC to educate or coddle them