

**2023****PROFESSIONAL SUMMER LEARNING COMMUNITIES:  
CHARTER SCHOOLS**

The National Summer Learning Association's (NSLA) Charter School Professional Learning Community brings together leaders from across the charter school landscape to generate new ideas, share best practices, and learn how charter schools can promote equity for their students during the summer months. Planned, led, and facilitated by NSLA Field Consultants, the PLC holds quarterly training meetings and one in-person retreat at NSLA's Annual Conference in Washington, DC.

According to the National Alliance for Public Charter Schools, as of 2021, 69.3% of charter school students were students of color, and 59.6% of charter school students received FRPL. The Covid-19 pandemic highlighted racial inequality, economic disenfranchisement, and health disparities impacting students' ability to succeed academically. As a result, communities, educators, policymakers, and stakeholders have developed a renewed focus on creating equity for all during the summer months. In order to create the transformative opportunities children deserve, **this will require collaboration, ingenuity, and innovative cross-sector partnerships.**

**Working collaboratively, we are addressing  
how to:**

- Support diverse learners
- Create data driven solutions
- Foster community partnerships
- Discuss education policy

**Who Should Join this PLC?**

- Education practitioners who are leading, developing, or partnering with charter schools

**PLEASE SAVE THE DATES!**

- **APRIL 6**  
6-7 pm
- **JUNE 8**  
6-7 pm
- **AUGUST 24**  
6-7 pm



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