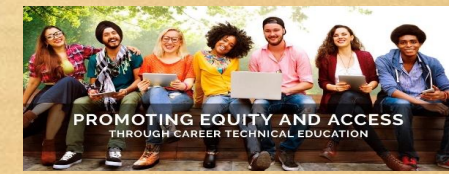


# Equity in Student Self Autonomy



# About JSPAC

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**Mission:** Promote equity and access for students classified as special populations, and underrepresented in K-Adult Education and Higher Education.

**Services:** Professional Learning for educators on equitable education related to special populations and underrepresented individuals.

25 representatives from K-Adult Education, Post-Secondary, and Public and Non-Profit Organizations who are advocates for their region and make suggestions and recommendations to the California Department of Education, California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office, and California Adult Education Program representatives related to an equitable education for special populations and underrepresented students.





# Equity in Student Self Autonomy

Empower you...

to **use your voice in** the  
decision making, access, and  
**ownership of your Education.**





# Equity in Student Self Autonomy

What's not Autonomy?



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Autonomy in your words..

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Do you feel you designed your education pathway?



# Equity in Student Self Autonomy

Autonomy in other words..

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freedom, making your own choices, fluid,  
never absolute and a privilege.

# Types Autonomy in Education

- Learner/Student autonomy generally include a number of key themes: responsibility or **ownership of outcomes** (internal locus of control); confidence in skills or ability to achieve (self-efficacy); engagement with student-led learning (self-regulation) Macaskill and Taylor 2010; surface versus **deep** Macaskill and Denovan 2013)
- Teacher autonomy **freedom** to study, teach and learn – self-directed.-Joyti Schrawat 2014 example instructional strategies, curriculum, and academic support.
- Governance autonomy is where school districts and school boards can **make independent** decisions on how to structure and operate schools.
- School autonomy – mainly charter schools who **can make decisions** without the intersects of governance autonomy
- Parent autonomy – **allows** parents depending on state **to intervene** their child's education in a low performing school.





# Behavior of Student Autonomy

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- Motivation
- Self-Confidence
  - Initiative
- Engagement
- Deep-level thinking
- Sense of well-being
- Self-preservation
  - Self-efficacy



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What's not Equity?



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Equity in your words.

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Define your Equity in  
education?





# Equity in Student Self Autonomy

**Equity** at it core gives..

everyone in a situation their unique tools for them to be successful.



# Equity + Student Autonomy

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Beyond the classroom..

Questions to ask..

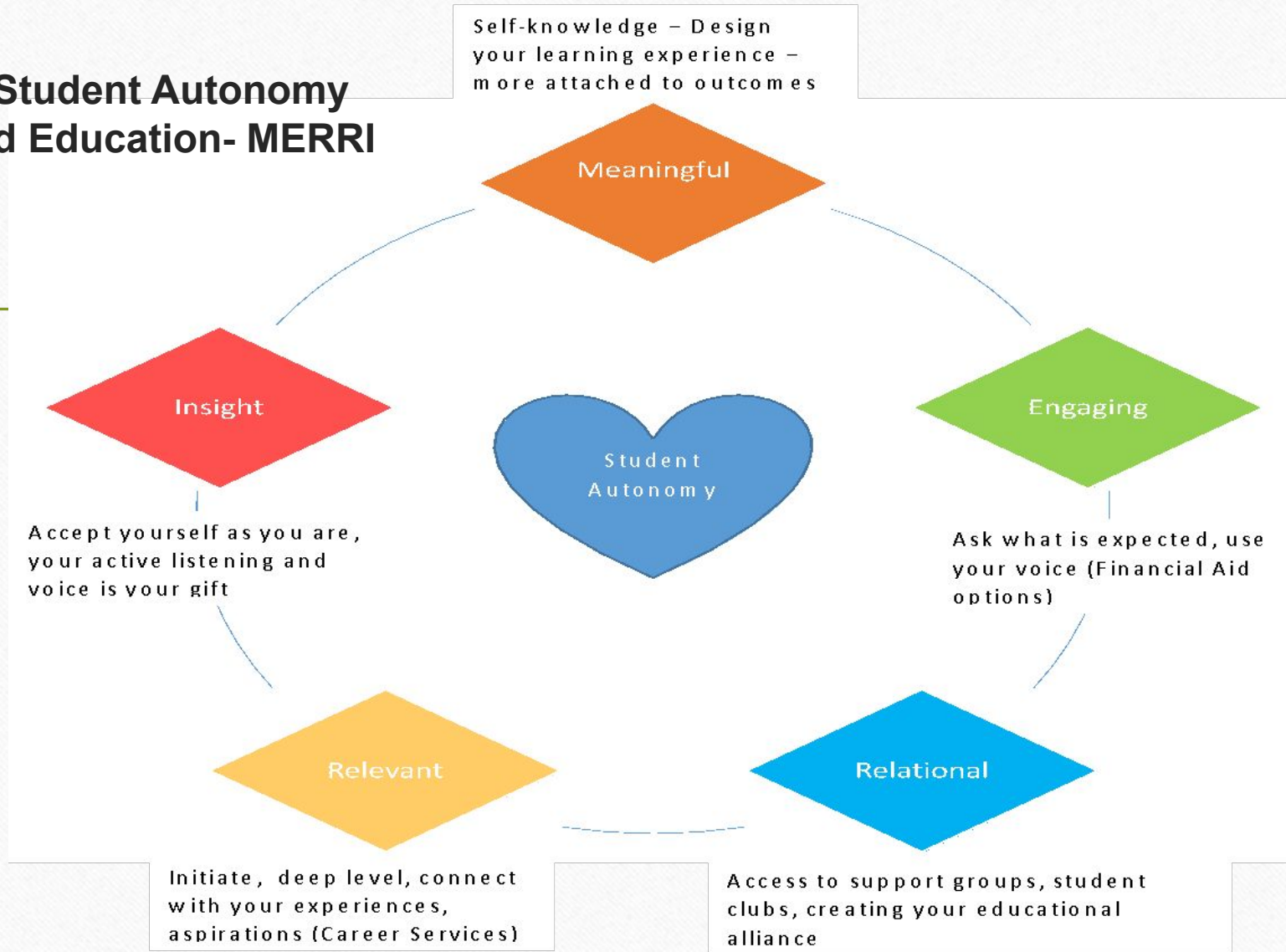
Am I aware of the, Do I have access to, Do I initiate, Do I have knowledge of the resources available for personalizing my education at my institution? What are some of these resources?

Am I building my “education alliance” team through **M**eaningful, **E**ngaging, **R**elevant, **R**elational, and **I**nsightful (MERRI) thought?





# Authentic Student Autonomy Personalized Education- MERRI



# Equity in Student Self Autonomy

## Equity + Student Autonomy and the MERRI Approach

Student Services  
Technology Services  
Financial Aid  
Social Media  
Student Clubs





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## Reflection/Action looking at the MERRI approach..

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What will you act on in your journey in personalizing your education and who will you be your alliance in fulfilling this action?





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## Q&A

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