

What is a Personal Learning Plan (PLP)?

A Personal Learning Plan is a student's current plan of coursework and extended learning activities to meet the student's learning, earning, and living goals.

Ideally, the initial Personal Learning Plan will be developed in 7th grade and updated on a yearly basis throughout high school and the postsecondary years.

Why use a Personal Learning Plan?

A Personal Learning Plan helps to personalize education for each student and enables the student to prepare for the maximum number of opportunities possible upon high school graduation.

Who Should be Involved in the Personal Learning Plan Process?

Students, parents, and the school will all work together to consider choices for the student's educational experiences. When students, parents, and the school plan together, each student receives support from both home and school to meet the goals of his/her Personal Learning Plan.

Parental Involvement

Research indicates that students rely heavily on parents' advice when making postsecondary plans and decisions. Meaningful parental involvement is vital to the effectiveness of Personal Learning Plans.

Personal Learning Plan										
Student Information										
Student Name:										
Career Cluster(s) of Interest:										
Plan Last Revised On:	/	/		Grade:	<input type="checkbox"/> 7	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	<input type="checkbox"/> 9	<input type="checkbox"/> 10	<input type="checkbox"/> 11	<input type="checkbox"/> 12
Coursework										
	7 th Grade	8 th Grade	9 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade	12 th Grade	Advanced Coursework			
English										
Math										
Science										
Social Studies										
Nebraska Career Education Classes										
Additional Requirements & Electives										
Extended-Learning										
	7 th Grade	8 th Grade	9 th Grade	10 th Grade	11 th Grade	12 th Grade	Advanced Coursework			
School Activities										
Community Activities										



Rigorous, relevant coursework to meet learning, earning, and living goals

Helpful school and community activities to meet learning, earning, and living goals

Beginning the Personal Learning Plan Process

The Personal Learning Plan process begins with a discussion of each student's current learning, earning, and living goals. Some sample questions for discussion with the student are listed below:

Learning

What are your academic strengths and academic areas that need improvement?
What postsecondary options are you considering?
Does your academic transcript meet postsecondary entrance requirements?

Earning

What careers are of interest to you?
What is required to be successful in your career of interest?
What is the earning potential of your career of interest?

Living

Where would you like to live?
How can you prepare yourself for the challenges of everyday life?
How will you balance school, family, career, and leisure activities?