

SREB

State Team Planning and Discussion: Continuing President Greenhill's Listening Tour

*Reflecting on today's learning and identifying where
SREB can help.*

Today's Three Learning Blocks

Educator Workforce

Strengthening educator pipelines, retention, and student outcomes through district action and state policy support.

Pathways to Success

Connecting learners to credentials, economic mobility, and success in an AI-informed workforce.

Childcare and Early Learning

Strengthening childcare and early learning systems to support working families, school readiness, and economic growth.

We have spent the day exploring these three areas. Now, use your state team discussion time to identify what matters most for your state moving forward.

State Team Challenge

Option 1: Go deeper on one priority

Choose one issue from today's sessions and discuss actions and next steps to advance the work in your state.

Option 2: Debrief all three topics

If your team needs more time, use the guiding questions to reflect on all three topics before identifying a shared priority.

Guiding Questions

What is the single most important step your state could take in the next 1–3 years to strengthen the educator workforce pipeline?

What is one high-leverage pathway or strategy your state could improve or expand to better connect learners to in-demand careers in a changing economy shaped by AI and emerging technologies?

What is one priority action your state could implement to improve early childhood learning and early literacy outcomes over the next 3–5 years?

Closing the Discussion

Please help your table facilitator summarize your state's main priority and share how SREB can help your state move this work forward.

Your team's input will help shape tomorrow's conversation and inform SREB's ongoing support for states.