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EMPLOYEE LEARNING WEEK

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Who do you learn from in RRISD?



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When sharing your knowledge and experience with others, what is one thing you always try to keep in mind?

It's far more important to listen well and remember that your experiences might not translate to someone else's context.

What is a life hack that has changed your life?

Remembering the importance of play as an adult. We must take advantage of our time away from work to engage in hobbies, friendships, and family so that we are refreshed and recharged for each week.

Who is someone you learn from?

My team... each of the members of the Future Readiness Team has been so willing to share their knowledge and expertise with me. I would also give that same credit to the Elementary Instructional Coaching Team. I have learned so much from each of the members of these two groups and I want to thank them for being willing to share their knowledge.

What resource do you access most often for your own learning?

Other people; when other people are willing to share their gifts, talents, and experiences, that's the most powerful learning.

Name one thing you've learned recently that you're really excited to share with others.

RRISD's Student Advisory Council members are passionate about ensuring other students in RRISD feel safe and have strategies in place to help other students in crisis. After attending their last meeting where they selected suicide prevention as their focus work for the year, I could not be more proud of these young leaders. RRISD is very lucky!