

# HIGH TECH HIGH

The Need

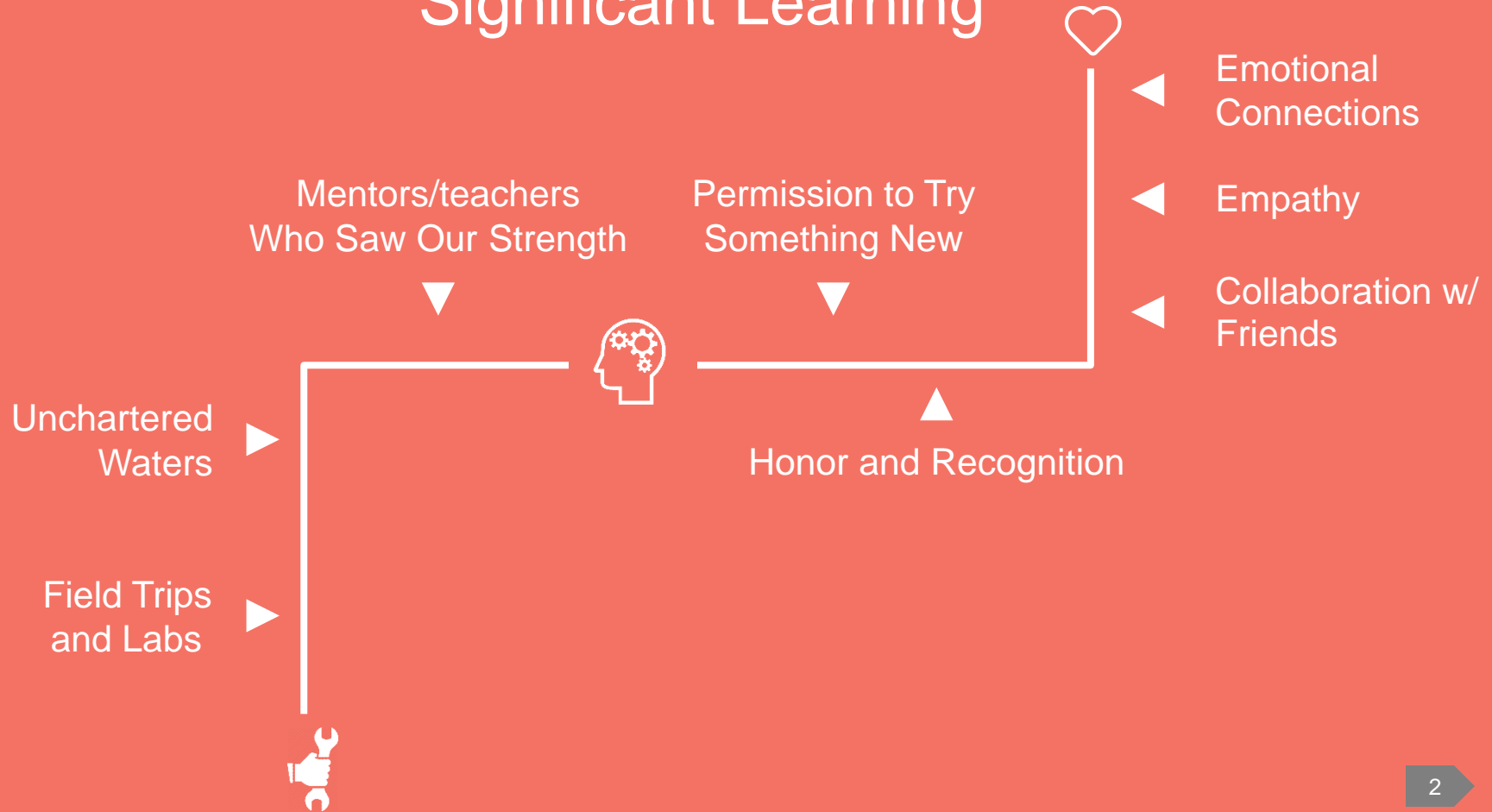
The Vision

The Success



Brett W. Peterson, Director

# Significant Learning



# Design Principles

How We Do It



## Personalization

Student Voice & Choice

Teachers as Facilitators

Be The One Who Notices

Multiple Entry Points for  
Projects



## Common Intellectual Mission

No Tracking

Everyone is College Bound

Full Inclusion



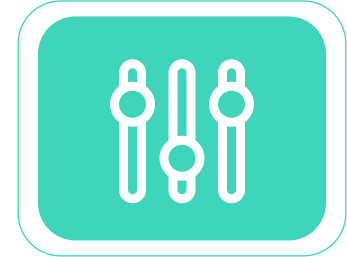
## Adult World Connection

Disciplines Blur Together

A Focus on Tangible &  
Authentic End Products

Meaningful Audience &  
Exhibition

Academic Internship



## Teacher as Designer

Student & Teacher Driven  
Schools

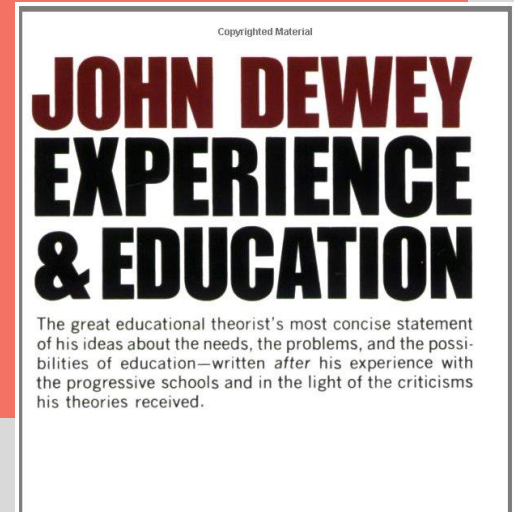
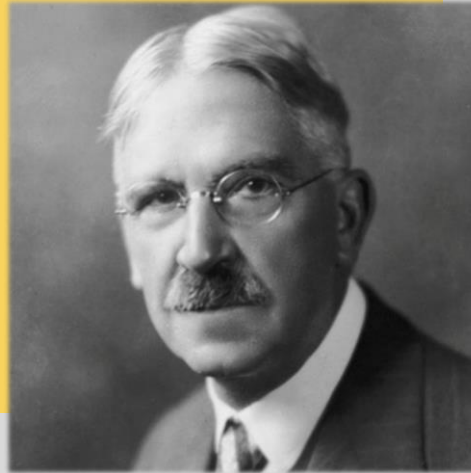
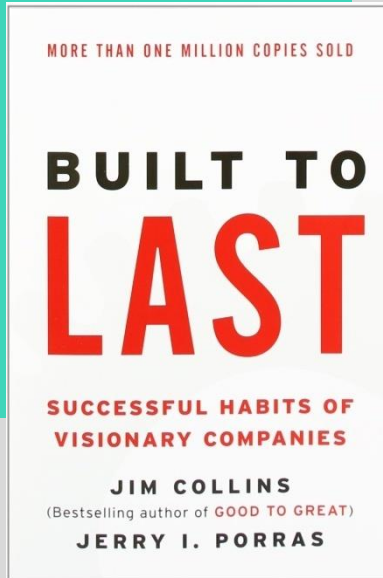
Teachers Design The  
Curriculum

Focus on Student and  
Teacher Passions

# Autonomy & Trust

The Foundation of Progressive Change

# Why This Approach Works



# Project Example

The Result

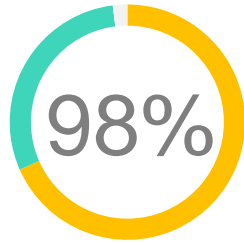
## Chemistry & Conflict

Disciplines: Chemistry, History, Art, and Writing

Grade: 10th

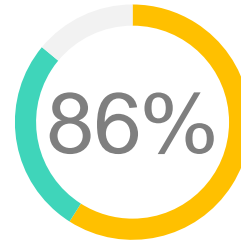


# College Data



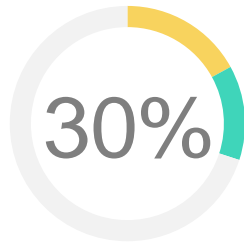
## Attendance

Percentage of High Tech High students that went to a two or four year university.



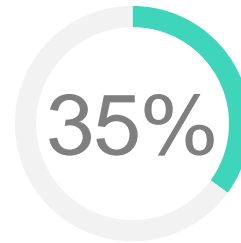
## Perseverance

Percentage of High Tech High students that are either still in or have graduated from college.



## STEM

Percentage of High Tech High students entering science or math fields.



## First Generation

Percentage of High Tech High students that are first generation college students.

National Average

High Tech High Delta Over National Average

# Achievements

## Teacher Credentialing

Our program, the first in CA, allows HTH to hire, train and certify faculty with deep content knowledge and relevant industry experience.

## Impact & Visibility

HTH hosts over 5,000 visitors, residents, and educators from around the world each year.

## Growth

Since inception in 2000, HTH has grown to a network of 13 elementary, middle, and high schools throughout San Diego County.

## Graduate School

HTH opened its Graduate School of Education in 2007 and is the only one located within a K-12 learning community.





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