

# Quilcene Weekly Update: 11.7.22

## Teaching & Learning



### [The Promise, Power, and Practice of Student Agency](#)

By Tanji Reed Marshall, ASCD

This week's Teaching and Learning article focuses on the importance of students having true agency in their own learning, and not just "managed choices."

This is something Quilcene Staff have spent a great deal of time discussing, and we're proud that students are involved in many incredibly important positions within our school. For example, students serve on the majority of our hiring committees for new teachers and auxiliary staff. This is also an area we're committed to improving in.

In this week's article, Tanji Reed Marshall, director of P-12 practice at The Education Trust, explains why agency requires a shift in power dynamics where teachers and students authentically partner to co-construct learning.

## Academic Recognition



*Congratulations to this week's Students of the Week, Daisy Bloom and Kaden Faller. Daisy is being recognized as the MS Student of the Week for her incredibly hard work in math class, and Kaden is being recognized for his perseverance in his Computer Science class. Great job, Rangers!!!*

## Upcoming...

11/9	<a href="#">Late Start Wednesday</a> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Teacher-Directed PD</li></ul>
11/10	K-5 Mtg in Ms. Mann's Rm @ 7:45
11/10	PTK Mtg in Rm 9 @ 6:00
11/10	Veteran's Day Assembly @ 10:00
11/11	HSF at Desalles @ 3:00

**Conferences will be taking place the week of November 14th (Next Week).**

- P-5:** Teachers have begun scheduling directly with parents.
- 6-7:** The office will schedule for all students.
- 8-12:** The office will schedule for students:
  - failing one or more courses
  - whose teacher(s) have requested
  - Whose parents have requested

***Good Luck at State, Rangers!***

