

Matrix of Partner Initiatives

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CYDE’s mission is to enable young people, especially vulnerable youth, to make successful transitions to adulthood and to become vital contributors to their communities. For this to happen, we believe that all young people need to graduate high school with the necessary skills to compete in the 21st century workforce, including by successfully participating in postsecondary education and training. CYDE is working on multiple high school reform initiatives that can help inform the work of the Alliance. The largest of these is our Diploma Plus initiative that will be working in approximately 15 schools by September.

	Research	Policy	Practice	Public Engagement
Innovations & restructuring		X	X	
Academic standards & assessment		X	X	
Preparation of teachers, principals & youth workers			X	
Relevant and connected learning experiences				
Alignment of secondary & post-secondary education				
Active, powerful, & knowledgeable communities		X	X	
Personalization & support for high school-aged youth		X	X	



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