



LISTENING GUIDE: KNOWLEDGE BUILDERS

Episode #4 - The Power of a KB Community

About the Series:

This podcast series explores Knowledge Building pedagogy and the 12 foundational principles that support innovation and knowledge creation in classrooms. We will follow a classroom engaged in Knowledge Building work, and hear from the teacher how he inspires and supports this ideas-driven classroom. Students' thoughts, experiences and reflections will illustrate the power of a Knowledge Building community.

Episode Description:

In this episode, the power and value of being a part of a Knowledge Building community comes to light when the students and teacher share their personal reflections. We will hear how student agency and the power of community knowledge has impacted the learning experience for all learners and set them up for success in the future.

Listen for:

- **Student agency**
- The power of **community knowledge**
- The impact on **student well-being**

Your wonderings (while listening, jot down questions, ideas and notes in the space below):

Discussion Questions:

- How has being part of a Knowledge Building Community impacted student well-being?
- How does a Knowledge Building approach set students up for success in the future?
- What student/teacher reflection resonated the most with you and why?
- After listening to this podcast, what ideas and practices do you want to explore more?