### JUNE NEWSLETTER



## **BLACK EDUCATOR INSTITUTE**

## June Events

June 15th - Father's Day June 19th - Juneteenth

June 22<sup>nd</sup>- 2025 Day of Excellence











## Freedom to Thriv

#### Dear Educators and Advocates,

As the school year closes and summer begins, we want to say thank you. You've poured your heart, soul, and brilliance into your students. You've advocated, innovated, and uplifted — even when the world demanded more than its fair share from you. Take a deep breath. You made it. You matter. And we see you.









REGISTRATION



DONATIONS

### **2025 Day of Excellence**

ACE will be collaborating with Black Men Run -Seattle to host a 5K walk/run scholarship fundraiser at Genesee Park. The dollars raised for this event will go towards FAME scholarships for our 5 current college recipients and a new 5 high school graduates that will be attending college in the fall.

- 🗂 Date: Sunday, June 22, 2025
- Location: Genesee Park, Seattle, WA
- Time: Check-in at 8:00 AM | Race begins

© Fundraising Goal: \$15,000 scholarships for ACE Alumni pursuing college and career

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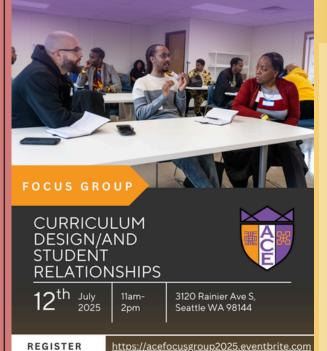
Get ready to lace up your sneakers and hit the trails for a cause that's close to home and heart. ACE Academy is hosting annual 5K Run/Walk Fundraiser — and we want YOU there!

This is more than a race — it's a movement. Whether you're a seasoned runner, a weekend walker, or just want to show up in support, we're inviting our whole community to come together for Black youth empowerment, education, and opportunity.

# **ACE Upcoming Events:**

July 12th- 2025 Black **Educator Focus Group** 

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https://aceacademydayofexcellence.eventbrite.com

## 2025 Black Educator **Focus Group**

If you or someone you know is interested in signing up for a focus group about Black Educators, please complete the following survey. To understand how Black educators experience, influence, and navigate curriculum development and student relationships, especially in terms of cultural responsiveness, autonomy, and connection with students particularly Black learners. Following the completion of this form, an in-person will be hosted at our ACE Office. Focus group will about 2 hours

Celebrate the resilience, strength, and freedom of Black communities on Juneteenth. Let's honor the journey, recognize the progress, and continue to empower future generations of Black leaders. At ACE Academy, we stand united in uplifting Black male excellence and promoting a brighter, more inclusive tomorrow.

"Education is the passport to the future, for tomorrow belongs to those who prepare for it today."

— Malcolm X

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