# Two-Day Institute AGENDA

# Get Focused...Stay Focused!® Follow-up Modules and the Whole-School Initiative

Studies show that revisiting and upgrading future plans is vital to continued student success. The George Washington University's Freshman Transition Initiative recommends the annual updating of students' 10-year Plans while at the same time using whole-school initiative strategies. This institute will provide guidance on implementing the *Get Focused...Stay Focused!*® Follow-up Modules to help ensure the long-term success of your efforts. The sessions included will provide strategies for securing the necessary buy-in, both at the school level and the community level.

You will leave this 2-day institute with a detailed action plan for streamlining your planning and implementation of the follow-up modules and your whole-school initiative.

### DAY ONE

The Big Picture: Get Focused...Stay Focused!® Follow-up Modules and the Whole-School Initiative

#### You will learn:

- the GFSF program model and what makes it unique
- the importance of a whole-school initiative
- how to generate buy-in from all staff on your campus for the follow-up modules
- how to use the ONLINE GFSF 10-Step Plan to make whole-school implementation easy
- the content of each of the three follow-up modules
- the different implementation strategies for the follow-up modules
- classroom tips for delivering the follow-up module lessons
- how to get the most out of your GFSF Program and Instructional Manual
- how the follow-up modules impact students' 10-year Plans
- strategies for school-wide use of My10yearPlan.com<sup>®</sup>

# **DAY TWO**

Instructional Strategies, Professional Development, and Action Planning

## You will discover:

- instructional strategies for dynamic coursework
- resources for instructor professional development
- the best implementation strategy for your campus
- different strategies for your whole-school buy-in process
- a plan for implementing the follow-up modules

## Your Action Plan: Your Road Map to Success

Throughout the two days, you will receive many resources to ensure success such as presentation templates, an online 10-step implementation plan, a program and instructional manual, and curriculum materials. You will use these resources and the information gathered in the institute sessions and will leave with a detailed action plan for implementing both the follow-up modules and the GFSF whole-school initiative.