



EFS Headlines

These headlines were generated from the EFS Summit at Shelburne Farms in response to the following question:

For your affinity group, in 5 years time what will the headlines be about EFS?



Headlines

Early Childhood:

- Not only does Early Childhood Education Matter; but it is crucial!
- Children, families, communities, and educators unite to plant the seeds of purpose.
- Children reclaim the right to PLAY!



Headlines

K-5:

- 2018 schools reach goals of 100% composting
- Sustainability standard introduced into common core
- State funds school/community garden initiatives and sustainability projects!



Headlines

6-8th Grades

- How can we access the collective knowledge and resources in EFS day to day?
- Great people, great things, how do we connect?



Headlines

High school

- Interdisciplinary education sweeps the nation, teachers leave egos at the door
- EFS answers age old question, “what is education for?”
- Common Score: EFS helps implement national standards into public schools
- Congress defers to Burlington High School



Headlines

Higher Education

- Welcome to the Sustainaveristy!
- VT Institutions of Higher Education sign President's Commitment to EFS
- VT Higher Education community changes the world for the better, students world-wide flock to VT!



Headlines

PD providers

- No more Shut the Door and teach! (in isolation)



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Community members and Partners:

- Schools create long standing partnerships with community organizations
- Schools as community centers!
- Transparency of standards promotes integration of EFS



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Administrators:

- Let teachers choose! A negotiated professional development process
- All schools & districts have school sustainability coordinators
- A symptoms of the times: All VT schools commit to compost 100% of food waste

