



Brooklyn RANEY

Biography

Brooklyn Raney is an experienced teacher, coach, and administrator who has spent the last decade in independent schools. She is the founder and director of the Girls' Leadership Camp, and founder of Generation Change, a nonprofit that seeks to embolden youth to be empathic and compassionate change makers through cross-generational mentorship. Brooklyn is a workshop facilitator, speaker, and consultant for schools, camps and other youth-serving organizations nationally and internationally. As a former elite-level athlete at Colgate University, and an MA graduate in Educational Theater from NYU, Brooklyn reaches a wide audience with her unique energy, interactive approach, storytelling, and humor. She resides on Lake Winnepesaukee in New Hampshire with her husband, son, and two dogs.

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Workshop Description

Title: One Trusted Adult: Making the Most of the Moments

Today's research suggests that the tactic most effective in protecting youth from risk seeking behavior is a relationship with one trusted adult outside of the parent-child relationship. Educators and coaches are in a position to help adolescents prioritize goals, stay focused and build confidence, all while setting and modeling healthy boundaries. This talk addresses the risks youth are facing today, best practices for working with adolescents, universal youth needs and how to create intentional environments and communities that foster and encourage appropriate adult-child relationships.