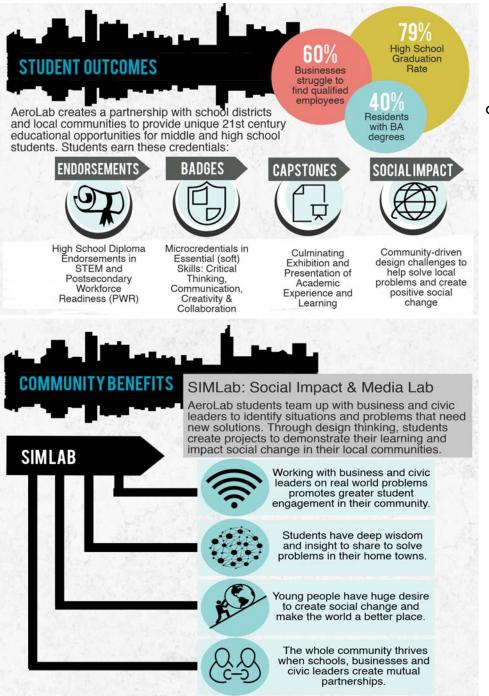
## Colorado AeroLab 5th Day

### How might we leverage a 5th Day of out-of-the-ordinary learning?

Colorado AeroLab is building a statewide network of blended education centers in partnership with school districts. Laboratory-based learning teaches resilient knowledge in an environment of acceptable risk-taking.



### 104 of 178 Colorado school districts

operate a 4-day school week

How might we build bridges between traditional schools and the School of Real Life?

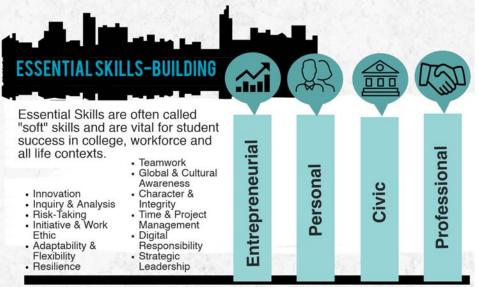
> How might we help educational leaders do more for students?

The CAL 5th Day program creates intentional partnerships between schools, businesses and civic leaders to provide extraordinary learning opportunities for middle school and high school students in small rural districts. The benefits for students and communities are powerful.

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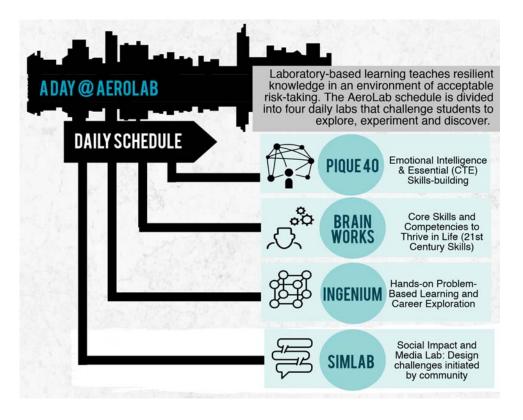
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Educating Colorado Students for Colorado Jobs



Essential skills-building focuses on the 4 C's of authentic 21st Century learning: Critical Thinking, Creativity, Collaboration and Communication. When students master each area, they design a performance task to demonstrate their proficiency and earn the microcredential badges.

Microcredential badges are awarded to AeroLab students when they master the Essential Skills.



Laboratory-based learning teaches resilient knowledge in an environment of acceptable risk-taking. The CAL 5th Day curriculum integrates Emotional Intelligence and Essential Skillsbuilding; Hands-on Problem-Based Learning and Career Exploration; and Social Impact and Media Lab design challenges initiated by the local community.

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