



**Quality School Development Working Group  
Meeting #1 Summary  
March 22, 2016**

**Key Points of Discussion:**

- The group highlighted the importance of equity as a lens to discuss quality school development by sharing stories of how education has impacted their lives and the lives of those within their sphere of influence.
- Guiding norms were established for how the group will work together.
- The group reviewed the governance structure of the Oakland Equity Pledge and the proposed guideline from the Steering Committee.
- After discussing a range of opportunities and related challenges, the group established preliminary consensus around two objectives requiring further exploration: 1) reviewing the current policy and admin regulations; and, 2) defining intersections between charters and public schools in order to learn from each other and codify best practices.
- There was interest to collect and share existing data and policy on how district and charter schools think about quality school development.
- The group will meet every 3rd Tuesday from 1:30-3pm.