The Office of Public Instruction sponsors the summer institute and summits throughout the year. They recruit districts in consultation with districts and college/university partners. They provide stipends for resident innovators and teacher-leaders. They participate in coaching model instruction (microcredential) and engage in portions of the summer institute for resident innovators. They participate in the Teacher Leader Academy cohort and receive a stipend. They provide complimentary housing for resident innovators during their placement and provide funding for Teacher Leader summer institute. They participate in Teacher Leader Academy and receive a stipend. They participate in networks of practice and yearly evaluations.

- Are undergraduate education majors who will student teach in the coming academic year.
- Participate in a two-week summer institute and then enter a one-year in-school Residency under a teacher-leader.
- Receive a stipend, partial tuition waiver, and housing during their placement in the exchange for committing to teach in a high needs rural Montana school district for two years.
- Receive final stipended payment upon signing a Montana contract.
- Participate in networks of practice.
- Participate in yearly evaluations.

- Recruit and choose resident innovators through a competitive selection process.
- Provide flexible course delivery to support resident innovators.
- Provide resident innovators with a partial tuition waiver.
- Provide teacher-leaders with an adjunct faculty partial stipend.
- Lead/Participate in quarterly project evaluations.

- Participate in coaching model instruction (microcredentialing).
- Engage in portions of the summer institute for resident innovators.
- Participate in the Teacher Leader Academy cohort.
- Receive a stipend.

- Provide complimentary housing for resident innovators during their placement.
- Provide funding for Teacher Leader summer institute.
- Participate in Teacher Leader Academy.
- Participate in coaching model instruction (microcredentialing).
- Engage in portions of the summer institute for resident innovators.
- Participate in the Teacher Leader Academy cohort.
- Participate in yearly evaluations.