Student-Led Conferences 11/12/21

Signing Up for a Conference

- Please look at the email sent by your child's teacher letting you know which teacher to sign up with. This email was sent Thursday, 11/11 or Friday, 11/12. If you don't know or don't have this information or can't remember, please contact one of their team teachers or Ms. Cramer in guidance and they will help you.
- Then, please sign up for a time slot with the assigned teacher using the following link for PTC Fast: https://www.ptcfast.com/schools/Lyman_C Hunt Middle School
- If you have trouble signing up, please contact Ms. Cramer in guidance.

More Information about Student-Led Conferences

How will conferences work this year?

Conferences at both Hunt and Edmunds will be virtual this fall, and will be led by students. Many middle schools in Vermont and around the country are moving to this model.

How is a student-led conference different from a parent-teacher conference?

A student-led conference is different from a traditional parent-teacher conference. In a student-led conference, the student presents their work and their perspective on their learning, strengths, challenges, and goals.

Our 6th, 7th and 8th graders have started preparing to show their work and present their strengths, challenges, and goals for this school year. There will also be a chance for families to share their thoughts and ask questions.

When are conferences?

Conferences will take place virtually on Monday and Tuesday, November 22 and 23. There is no regularly scheduled school on those days.

How do I schedule my student's conference?

 Monday, November 8: parent/guardians will get an email from your student's team with conference information • Friday, November 12: parent/guardians will get an email from Caitlyn Cramer with instructions on how to schedule conferences.

Where can I learn more about student-led conferences?

The UVM Tarrant Institute for Innovative Education has some excellent resources.

- A video showing what a student-led conference looks like
- The Parent Role in Student-Led Conferences
- Edutopia video about student-led conferences