

Intro to Restorative Practices:

Discipline Policies and the School to Prison Pipeline

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January 11

4-6 PM

Steve Morse was an elementary school principal for 25 years and worked in public schools as a teacher and administrator for 40 years before retiring in 2019. He utilized restorative practices at Roosevelt Elementary for thirteen years before being asked to serve as the Student Services Director for the Bellingham Schools. He helped initiate restorative practices at the district level. Suspension numbers dropped from near 1000 a year to around 400 following the district's move towards more restorative practices.

Steve recently released a book called "60 Years in the Schoolhouse" which shows how his childhood school experiences influenced his role as a school administrator and teacher. His own negative school experiences around discipline helped him be an empathetic leader who looked for outside the box solutions.

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