

Three Phases to Recovery

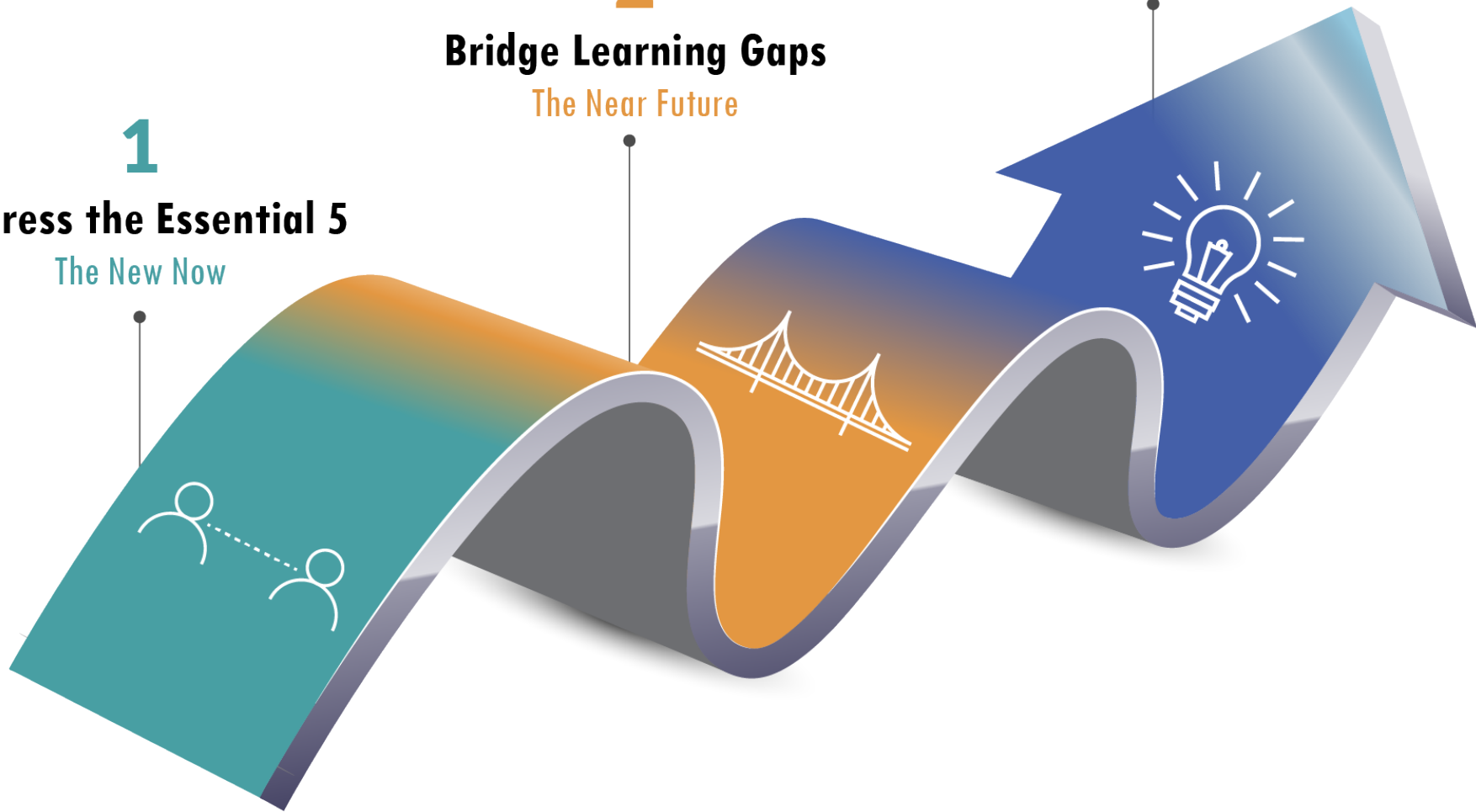
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The New Now

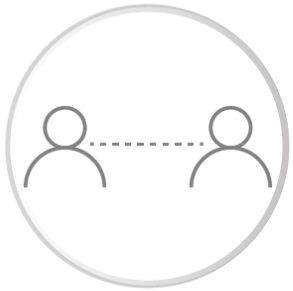
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Bridge Learning Gaps
The Near Future

3
Return & Recover
The New Future



PHASE 1

ADDRESS THE ESSENTIAL 5 THE NEW NOW



This is the phase we are in right now. The objective is clear: Mitigate the spread of COVID-19 through strict physical distancing measures, including school soft closure. During this time, we encourage school communities to focus efforts on the following **five** priorities, while also considering the health and safety of your staff and communities:

- Continue providing learning opportunities for all students
- Provide graduating seniors the content they need to transition
- Maximize opportunities for students to continue to receive meal services
- Make every effort to keep staff gainfully employed
- Support student and staff mental health and social emotional needs



PHASE 2

BRIDGE LEARNING GAPS

THE NEAR FUTURE

This is the phase we expect to be in throughout the summer months. The objective of this phase is to begin assessing and addressing learning gaps to bridge the transition to recovery and the new future.



- Determine how federal funds, including CARES Act funds, may be used to fund summer learning
- Use formative assessments to determine gaps in learning
- Provide opportunities for small group and individual tutoring
- Develop and implement digital opportunities for review and catch up



PHASE 3

RETURN AND RECOVER

THE NEW FUTURE

This is the phase we expect to enter in the fall if public health officials determine that it is safe to relax physical distancing measures. In this phase we continue adapting and innovating—and we overcome.



- Use assessments as a formative tool in the fall to assess learning gaps and set baseline for 2020-2021 school year
- Continue providing opportunities for small group and individual support
- Apply lessons learned from remote instruction to inform methods for personalizing instruction and validating learning that occurs outside the classroom

Resources

Utah State Board of Education (USBE) Coronavirus Website:

<https://schools.utah.gov/coronavirus>

Utah Education Technology Network (UETN) Website:

<https://www.uen.org/learnathome/>