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FRIDAY PD FORECAST & NEWS FEED

Safe and Supportive Schools PD Opportunity

The DuPage ROE has trained staff available to provide professional development to your schools on childhood trauma, ACEs, and other trauma-informed school practices based on ISBE's Safe and Supportive Schools researched based program. Further information will be forthcoming.

Hamilton Education Program

The Hamilton Education Program provides of thousands of high school students in Title I schools with the opportunity to engage in an innovative curriculum about the Founding Era and attend the musical *Hamilton*. The program started with funding from The Rockefeller Foundation and is a collaboration between the producers of *Hamilton*, the Miranda family, and the Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History.

RESTORE DuPage – July 28

Reconnecting the Human Internet - Join us for an experiential workshop on circle-keeping, a restorative practice that has many uses from resolving conflict to celebration and team-building. Learn the origins of circles and how to use them. Experience the power of sitting in circle. Learn how to use circle techniques to reconnect!

<u>Sheltered Instruction Observation Training (SIOP) -</u> <u>August & October</u>

The SIOP Model remains one of the few research-based interventions designed to assist mainstream classroom teachers in working with English learners. This 3-day workshop will include the 8 SIOP model components including lesson preparation and instructional indicators to aid in the organization and delivery of effective instruction. Register <u>HERE</u>.

<u>School Leader Partnership – Administrators</u> <u>Academy</u>

Superintendents and Principals can now register for meaningful discussion and coaching/mentoring opportunities regarding common challenges as educational leaders.

> Superintendent Detail & Registration Principal Detail & Registration

Annual Safety Conference – September 26

Each year the ROE hosts a school safety conference that addresses current issues and concerns, showcases best practices and provides meaningful safety updates. This year we have invited representatives from the Sandy Hook Elementary School to engage in lessons learned. Mia Langheim with the Illinois State Police and other safety experts will be joining us as well. Register <u>HERE</u>.

Central Office Network - August 10

The DuPage Regional Office of Education is hosting the annual <u>Central Office Networking</u> event. In efforts to better serve the needs of all central office administrative assistants, the ROE has been compiling central office district questions and suggestions as this is also an opportunity to learn and share best practices throughout all 42 districts in DuPage. Register <u>HERE</u>.

Back to School Fair - August 2

The ROE, in partnership with the tremendous volunteers and efforts of the Credit Union and Catholic Charities, are planning the annual Back to School Fair taking place August 2nd. Donations such as school supplies, backpacks and other school kits will be provided along with several other donor agencies to help with a successful start of the new school year. Monetary donations can be mailed to the DuPage Education Foundation (memo: Back to School Fair) at 421 N. County Farm Rd. Wheaton, IL 60187.

Legal Lite for New Teachers - August

The ROE is encouraging all 1st and 2nd year teachers to attend the annual Legal Lite workshop highlighting legal issues pertaining to roles and responsibilities of new teachers. This 2.5-hour PD workshop will cover topics including: professional conduct, DCFS obligations, confidentiality issues, computer usage, student discipline, special education obligations, leave of absence and much more. Register <u>HERE</u>.

Offered 8:30am – 11:00am: August 8, 2017 or August 15, 2017

2017 Principal Evaluation Instrument Workshops Still Offered in August

After receiving many requests for training, the DuPage ROE is pleased to host free workshop sessions for the new 2017 Principal Evaluation Instrument. The sessions will provide an overview of the instrument, directions for completing the program in Excel or Google Docs, as well as answering your questions. This session is appropriate for those responsible for evaluation as well as those being evaluated. Participants are encouraged to bring a laptop computer. To register click <u>HERE</u>.

Differentiation in Reading Instruction: Leading the Work, October 5

Please join us for a literacy differentiation workshop presented by New York Times bestseller and teacher, Jennifer Serravallo. This <u>6</u>-hour PD course will provide educators and administrators with strategies for goalsetting that are accessible to the classroom along with current research and practical techniques proven to strengthen student literacy across content area. Register <u>HERE</u>.