

Curriculum Director Update

June 7, 2017

Upcoming MTSS PD at Ingham ISD

June			
6-12-17	Digging Deeper Into Data – Literacy & Math	9:00-3:00	TEC, ABC
6-13-17	NGSX Cohort 8, Day 5	8:30-3:30	TEC, ABC

Reminders & Timelines

LINKS: All of the links noted in this hardcopy flier will be available in the electronic version on the Wiki.

Missed a meeting? No problem! You can always visit the wiki - <http://curriculumdirectors.wiki.inghamisd.org/home>. You will be able to easily find the updated meeting schedule, contact list for curriculum directors, and documents shared at meetings. If you have anything you would like uploaded, forward it to Amy Baldwin and she will keep it up-to-date.

Updates

Please refer to the SIS Team List below for any questions outside of the immediate updates listed below.

School Improvement/GELN

- Program Reporting: The 2016-17 Section 31a Program Report will be due on **July 15, 2017** and will be submitted through the Michigan Electronic Grants System Plus (MEGS+)
- **Performance Reporting:** Link: http://www.michigan.gov/mde/0,1607,7-140-6530_30334-43638--,00.html
 - **New!** District Accountability Reports on At-Risk Students/Section 31a (on MISchoolData.org) Posted 5/4/2017
 - **New!** Section 31a At-Risk Accountability Reports at a Glance Posted 5/4/2017
 - **New!** Understanding Accountability Reports for Section 31a At-Risk Students. Posted 5/4/2017

Literacy –Shelly Proebstle

- **3rd Grade Reading Bill** – discussed at meeting.
- **MDE is hosting district coaches institute focused on K-3** essential instructional practices. Limited spaces will be by invitation. Tentative dates:
 - **September 11-14** (Detroit area)
 - **September 25-28** (Grand Rapids/Lansing)

Math Updates - Tara Becker-Utess and Rob Stephenson

- **District-Specific PDs:** If you have any Go Math professional development needs specific to your district, Tara will be available in June after school gets out and will be back full time in August.
- **Full day Go Math Training (August 7th):** provided by HMH. There will be a K-6 and 7-12 session at the ISD from 8:30-3:30. This is appropriate for new teachers or anyone who has not yet attended the overview training for Go Math by HMH.
- **3 Hour New Teacher Go Math Training (August 15th):** provided jointly by Ingham ISD and Eaton RESA. This training will be from 8-11am OR 12-3pm and will be hosted at Ingham ISD. The focus will be the K-6 program, however, if you have new secondary teachers, let us know and we can schedule 1:1 sessions with them as needed.
- **Go Math Technical Issues Flow Chart:** While Tara is out on Maternity leave, there is a flow chart that will help you, your administrators, and your teachers know how to submit technical or curricular questions regarding Go

Math. A video overview is here: <https://www.screencast.com/t/JeBB55pwg>. A PowerPoint is here: <https://goo.gl/VLuWft> (flow chart is located on the Wiki in the May folder)

- **Go Math Weebly** hosts all of our important documents and trainings at www.iisdgomath.weebly.com

Social Studies – Tara Becker-Utess

- **Standards Update: (from MDE Social Studies Consultant):** The writers met on May 9th for final touches. It is going to the board in June and then there will be online public review over the summer. I will make sure to get the information on how/where to comment to you as soon as I know where/when it is. The writers will meet in the summer to review the comments. Then, it will go to the board in October of 2017.
- **GoOpen Community** – Repository Process and Selection
- **Summer PD Opportunities Around Michigan** (flier included)

Science/STEM – Rob Stephenson

- All NGSX-Preparing for the Michigan Science Standards through the Next Generation Science Exemplar 17/18 (Cohorts 9-14 now open in WisdomWhere)
- Questions, please contact Rob Stephenson, rstephenson@inghamisd.org.

Early Childhood

- Questions, please contact Michelle Nicholson, mnichols@inghamisd.org or Corrie Mervyn, cmervyn@inghamisd.org.

Special Education

- Questions, please contact Andrew Rable, arable@inghamisd.org.

Additional PD Opportunities In and Outside Ingham ISD

(please pass this information along to your buildings)

2017 Alt+Shift Summer Institute: Rethink Possibilities: Registration is now open. This conference includes many innovative sessions in making learning accessible to all students. Register at: <http://tinyurl.com/h8a2m9j> Registration closes on June 11, 2017.

June 20-22, 2017

Traverse City

Michigan Literacy Leadership Workshop: Outcomes will include building an awareness of the school-wide and center-wide practices in literacy, support leadership teams with identifying and developing their building/district needs and building a collaborative network. (flier included)

June 26, 2017

9:00-3:45pm

Phenomenal Science K-5 Curriculum: Central Michigan SMTC is looking for Phenomenal Science Field Testers, Teacher Leaders, and Grade Level Coaches for an intense week of unit revision this summer. Contact Darcy McMahon at mcmah1ds@cmich.edu with questions or for more information. [Central Michigan SMTC](#) update: [Phenomenal Science](#): Phenomenal Science units will also be piloted in schools all over the state. If interested in coaching, reviewing, or piloting units, please contact Darcy McMahon: mcmahon@baystem.net or Matt Samocki: samoc1mj@cmich.edu. For further information, access a PowerPoint at the following URL:

https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1hJj197QRvZr6d_c-tGunVrF_iAdnB_V7SXiaX2wchvg/edit?usp=sharing

June 26-29, 2017

Forests, Fields, Fins and Felonies: Professional Development Openings at DNR Academy of Natural Resources

Forests, Fields and Fins, the DNR's core class at the Academy of Natural Resources, features all day field excursions with wildlife and fisheries biologists, foresters and other resource experts. This week of natural resources field camp also brings in a surprising twist when teachers also get to spend an entire day with Michigan Conservation Officers. Educators, both formal and non-formal, learn the science of field observation, gathering evidence at a crime scene, interviewing techniques and much more. The Academy is held July 9th-14th, 2017 at the DNR's Ralph A. MacMullan (RAM) Conference Center on Higgins Lake. Five nights lodging, fifteen meals and instruction are included for only \$295 with a scholarship from the Novi Chapter Safari Club International. Graduate credits and SCECH are also available. For more information about the 2017 ANR program, check out the webpage at www.michigan.gov/anr

July 9-14, 2017

Teacher Institute: Engineering Applications in Physical Science: This is a great chance for current or future teachers to experience real-world engineering projects first hand, and then see how to integrate a scaled down version into a class project for students to solve physical science problems. The class will show how engineers use principles from the physical sciences to solve problems and design systems. Key concepts will be linked to the Next Generation Science Standards and Michigan Curriculum Frameworks for precollege education. Where: Michigan Tech Campus Cost: \$2,396 (includes 4 graduate credits and course materials). Optional room and board available from July 16-28 for \$892 Credit: 4 graduate credits through Michigan Tech's Department of Cognitive and Learning Sciences. For course registration, please contact: Rachelle Gariepy, Teacher Professional Development Coordinator - teacherpd@mtu.edu - (906) 487-2460

July 16-28, 2017

Design a Sustainable Future Teacher Institute for Gr. 4-12 Teachers: Investigate product life cycle, building design, renewable energy sources, low impact site design, water reuse, smart transportation and food systems with cutting edge research scientists and engineers at Michigan Technological University and community/teacher experts. Engage in hands-on engineering lessons. Gather resources for teaching about sustainability while addressing the new Michigan Science Standards. Share STEM sustainability career options with your students. Spend an exciting week in the Keweenaw Peninsula enjoying the Great Outdoors July 24-28, 2017 at Michigan Tech's Great Lakes Research Center. CREDIT: Earn 30 SCECHs (pending, no additional cost) or 2 Graduate Credits (additional cost). COST: \$300 off campus includes 5 lunches, field trips, classroom supplies; \$650 on campus (also includes five nights lodging and meals) Apply online: [Registration Form](#) For more information: Joan Chadde, Institute Coordinator jchadde@mtu.edu or 906-487-3341) Applications & payment due by June 15, 2017. Visit these links:

<http://blogs.mtu.edu/cseo/2017/05/09/designing-a-sustainable-future/>
https://events.mtu.edu/event/designing_a_sustainable_future#.WRlbfwvJTZ

July 24-28, 2017

Michigan Council of Teachers of Mathematics Annual Conference: This is the annual conference for MCTM. There are 6 scholarships available for teachers who would like to attend for \$500 (The conference fee is \$210 for a non-MCTM member). For more information and to register: <https://www.mictm.org/index.php/scholarships/teacher-conference>

July 25-27, 2017

Traverse City

Free science PD-HUMAN IMPACTS AND NGSS/MSS: A PROJECT FOR TEACHERS-- Focus on teaching human impacts as required by NGSS/MSS. The relationship between food, human health, climate change, air & water quality. Explore how to combine the three dimensions of NGSS/MSS and earn a \$200 stipend and 15 SCECH's. August 8 – 10, 2017 / 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. Michigan State University. Contact & Application Information Drs. Jane Rice & Joyce Parker, rice@msu.edu Apply by June 15, 2017 at: <https://goo.gl/forms/RyxksEKaQWQ3LXMs1>

August 8-10, 2017

9:00-3:00 pm

CREATE for STEM Teaching Science Outdoors: Protecting MI Water: Now accepting applications for two sessions the professional development program, https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B8eI_H8esgf6R1luQ3VTRy13RmM/view If you use an RSS news reader, you can see a feed of CREATE Institute events at <http://create4stem.msu.edu/event/upcoming.xml>

Macomb ISD Summer Math PD: Click here for information: <https://www.smcore.com/bau9e>

General Educational Information

Invitation to potential Green Chemistry authors (High School Teachers)

Mark Benvenuto (UDMercy) and Larry Kolopajlo (EMU) are coediting a book dedicated to green chemistry education, and invite high school teachers to contribute a chapter. Volume 1 titled Sustainable Green Chemistry (DeGruyter, ISBN 978-3-11-044189-5) has just been published. Volume 2 is in the final stages of proof, and we are lining up authors for volume 3 that will focus on Green Chemistry Education. A formal call generally goes out in June, and a final chapter is due in early December. Possible subject matter could involve creating a new course on green chemistry, training students, or integrating green chemistry into existing courses. Other ideas include: outreach, training teachers or industrial workers, case studies, new laboratory experiments, replacement labs, introducing industrial applications of green chemistry to students or teachers, or alternative energy. Please let Larry know if you are interested. His email address is: lkolopajl@emich.edu

\$500 Field Trip Grant Applications Available

The Michigan Nature Association, a statewide nonprofit conservation organization, is accepting applications for mini-grants for the 2017-2018 school year. The \$500 grants are intended to assist teachers with transportation or other costs for student field trips to natural areas. The deadline for fall field trips is September 8, 2017. Applications and other information can be found at www.michigannature.org/menus/education/html or contact Julie Stoneman (866-223-2231) jstoneman@michigannature.org

Information on the effectiveness of Khan Academy's SAT/PSAT practice on student test scores: <https://goo.gl/sMCZjw>

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Instructional Technology	Heidi Gascon & Andrew Shauver
Leadership Academy	Laura Colligan & Sean Williams
Leverage Leadership	Lanea Martin
Literacy	Mary Jo Wegenke & Shelly Proebstle
Math	Rob Stephenson & Tara Becker-Utess
MTSS Coaches	Lanea Martin
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Priority School Work	Shelley Ruh & Sean Williams
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School Improvement	Laura Colligan & Lanea Martin
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