

Curriculum Director Update

March 1, 2017

Upcoming MTSS PD at Ingham ISD

March			
3-1-17	NGSX Cohort 7, Day 1	8:30-3:30	TEC, ABC
3-1-17	PLC – Transition – Keys to Successful Transition	3:30-6:00	TEC, 302
3-1-17	SLP PLC	8:15-11:45	Wainwright
3-2-17	Instructional Strategies to Meet the Needs of All Learners in Secondary Math Day 2	8:30-3:30	TEC, 302
3-2-17	NGSX Cohort 7, Day 2	8:30-3:30	TEC, ABC
3-3-17	NGSX Lansing Cohort 2, Day 3	8:30-3:30	Wainwright
3-3-17	CHAMPS/DISC Hybrid Training, Day 2	8:30-4:00	TEC, 302
3-3-17	Capital Region Autism Network: Asperger Module	8:00-3:30	TEC, AB
3-4-17	4 TH Annual Transition Fair	11:00-2:00	CACC
3-6-17	Speech Language Pathologist-Creating Consistent Practice (2)	8:15-11:45	TEC, C
3-7-17	NGSX for Administrators	8:00-11:30	TEC, AB
3-7-17	GO Math Secondary Learning Walk	7:30-10:30	Haslett MS
3-8-17	Literacy Across Disciplines (LAD)	8:30-3:30	TEC 302
3-9-17	NGSX Cohort 5, Day 5	8:30-3:30	TEC, ABC
3-9-17	Personal Curriculum – Why? How? For Whom? Understand PCs: Identify allowable adjustments and how to establish a PC process. Day 2	1:00-3:30	Wainwright
3-9-17	Nonviolent Crisis Intervention	8:00-4:30	CACC, 505/506
3-10-17	CHAMPS/DISC Day 2	8:30-3:30	Hannah Center
3-13-17	HMH (GO Math) Vice President Visit	1:00-4:00	Mason Admin
3-14-17	NGSX Cohort 6, Day 4	8:30-3:30	TEC, ABC
3-14-17	Capital Region Autism Network: Coach Leader Meeting	8:30-11:30	TEC, 302
3-16-17	Capital Region Autism Network: Mini Intensive	8:30-3:30	TEC, ABC
3-16-17	Leadership Academy	7:30-9:30	GLAR
3-16-17	NGSX Lansing Cohort 2, Day 4	8:30-3:30	Wainwright
3-17-17	Data Coach Session	8:30-3:30	TEC, ABC
3-20-17	New Teacher PLC – Session 7	4:30-6:30	TEC, ABC
3-20-17	Nonviolent Crisis Intervention Refresher	1:00-4:00	CACC, 505/506
3-21-17	ELA Steering Committee	11:00-1:00	TEC, 302
3-22-17	Leverage Leadership, Cohort 2, Session 1	9:00-3:00	TEC
3-23-17	NGSX Lansing Cohort 2, Day 5	8:30-3:30	Wainwright
3-23-17	GO Math Technology Training	8-11:00 or 12:30-3:30	TEC, 302
3-25-17	Ingham ISD, Parent Advisory Committee, Summer Camp Fair	10:00-2:00	Michigan Athletic Club
3-27-17	Go Math! Training Grades 4-6, Year 1, Day 3	8:30-3:00	TEC, ABC
3-28-17	NGSX Cohort 7, Day 3	8:30-3:30	TEC, ABC
April			
4-11-17	NGSX Cohort 8, Day 1	8:30-3:30	TEC, ABC
4-11-17	Student Learning Objectives	9:00-3:00	TEC, BC

4-13-17	NGSX Cohort 8, Day 2	8:30-3:30	TEC, ABC
4-17-17	New Teacher PLC – Session 8	4:30-6:30	TEC, ABC
4-18-17	Capital Region Autism Network Meeting	8:30-11:30	TEC, 302
4-19-17	NGSX Cohort 6, Day 5	8:30-3:30	TEC, ABC
4-20-17	NGSX Cohort 7, Day 4	8:30-3:30	TEC, ABC
4-21-17	Data Coach Session	8:30-3:30	TEC, ABC
4-24-17	MTSS Secondary Problem Solving Committee	9:00-11:00	TEC, 302
4-25-17	Leverage Leadership, Cohort 2, Session 2	9:00-3:00	TEC
4-26-17	Speech Language Pathologist-Creating Consistent Practice (3)	8:15-11:45	Mason City Hall
4-27-17	Nonviolent Crisis Intervention Refresher	1:00-4:00	CACC, 505/506
May			
5-1-17 – 5-19-17	UNIVERSAL SCREENING WINDOW (AIMsweb, DIBELS andFASTBridge)		
5-2-17	NGSX Cohort 8, Day 3	8:30-3:30	TEC, ABC
5-9-17	Leverage Leadership, Cohort 2, Session 3	9:00-3:00	TEC
5-11-17	Data Coach Session	8:30-3:30	IISD, ABC
5-11-17	Literacy Across Disciplines (LAD)	8:30-3:30	TEC 302
5-15-17	New Teacher PLC – Session 9	4:30-6:30	TEC, ABC
5-18-17	Leadership Academy	7:30-9:30	GLAR
5-18-17	NGSX Cohort 7, Day 5	8:30-3:30	TEC, ABC
5-23-17	Elementary Data Review	9:00-3:30	TEC, ABC
5-23-17	ELA Steering Committee	8:00-10:00	TEC, AB
5-25-17	NGSX Cohort 8, Day 4	8:30-3:30	TEC, ABC
5-26-17	Secondary Data Review	9:00-3:30	TEC, ABC

Reminders & Timelines

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

Reminder: The Spring Universal Screening Window will be May 1, 2017 – May 19, 2017. Contact Kelly Trout with any questions, kt trout@inghamisd.org or 517.244.1261.

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

School Improvement - Laura Colligan

- Updates discussed at meeting.

Literacy – Mary Jo Wegenke and Shelly Proebstle

- **ELA Steering Committee:** All has been going great. Future meetings have been set on Tuesdays.
 - **March 21st** (11:00-1:00pm)
 - **May 23rd** (8:00-10:00am)

Math Updates - Tara Becker-Utess and Rob Stephenson

- **The Presidential Awards for Excellence in Mathematics and Science:** Teaching are currently accepting nominations. See this link for more information: <https://www.paemst.org/nomination/nominate>
- **Go Math Weebly** hosts all of our important documents and trainings at www.iisdgomath.weebly.com
- **Go Math Trainings** at the ISD: Here is the link to all of our formal PD sessions at the ISD <https://goo.gl/ezohy>
- **Algebra Nation:** The state has purchased Algebra Nation, which is a supplementary resource for Algebra 1 courses that has print materials as well as online resources including online videos and tutors. If your school has not received information and you would like information, you can contact Kayleigh Edgcombe (Kayleigh@algebranation.com).
- Please know that we are happy to come out to your district to provide personalized PD on Go Math as needed.

Social Studies – Tara Becker-Utess

- **Updated Standards:** (from MDE Social Studies Consultant): They are close to sending draft 8 on and then public input will be solicited online. The feedback will go back to the writers who will make adjustments as necessary. They will head to the board for final approval at the June meeting. 79 of the 100 citizenship questions are easily covered in the standards.
- **M-STEP and Social studies:** There are online practice sets for social studies MSTEP items that are moving away from simple memorization and into higher DOK's. I spent some time reviewing the items that have recently been written and the technology enhanced items really ask students to analyze sources rather than just remembering a fact or date. Here is the link to the practice questions: <https://wbte.drceidirect.com/MI/portals/mi/>
- Resources to help adapt primary documents to work with struggling readers:
 - <http://teachinghistory.org/teaching-materials/teaching-guides/23560>
 - <http://sheg.stanford.edu/>
- **The MI Open Book Project** has completed another round of online textbooks for social studies. <http://textbooks.wmisd.org/> now has third through 8th grade as well as economics, civics, and US history.
- **The PASST project** has completed more assessments that can be used in social studies classrooms. These performance based/DBQ based assessments can be found at <http://passtmoodle.wmisd.org/login/index.php>. You will need to create an account for the Moodle and use the following enrollment keys: Current enrollment keys:

3rd grade: Stevens T Mason

4th Grade: Henry Ford

5th grade: John Adams

6th Grade: Five Themes of Geography

7th Grade: Alexander the Great

8th Grade: Andrew Jackson

HS US: Ronald Reagan

HS World: Napoleon

HS Civics: John Locke

HS Econ: Adam Smith

Science – Rob Stephenson

- **Presidential Awards for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching:** Do you know or are you an exemplary math or science teacher in **the seventh through twelfth grade**? Please consider nominating him/her/them for the PAEMST Awards. The Presidential Award for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching is the highest recognition a K-12 teacher can receive for outstanding science or mathematics teaching in the United States. Recipients of the award receive the following:
 - A certificate signed by the President of the United States.
 - A paid trip for two to Washington, D.C., to attend a series of recognition events and professional development opportunities.
 - A \$10,000 award from the National Science Foundation.

Nominations and the Applications are now available online (www.paemst.org) for the 2017 Presidential Awards for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching. The application deadline for 7-12 grade teachers is May 1, 2017. Elementary teachers (K-6) are eligible to apply in 2018.

Project Practice

- Teachers By Teachers Showcase; Questions, please contact Courtenay Morsi, cmorsi@inghamisd.org.

Educator Evaluation

- Questions, please contact Rick Couturier, rcouturier@inghamisd.org or Lanea Martin, lmartin@inghamisd.org.

Leverage Leadership

- Questions, please contact Lanea Martin, lmartin@inghamisd.org.

Early Childhood

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

PD Information

GO Math PD: Paul Murphy, VP of HMH in charge of the Personal Math Trainer, will be visiting Ingham ISD. Sign up is on WisdomWhere.

March 13, 2017

1:00pm

Mason Public Schools, Harvey Center, Board Room

GO Math PD: Haslett Middle School will be hosting our first Secondary Coaches Network. We will see a 7th grade advanced math lesson and spend time discussing the lesson as well as general Q/A from participants. Contact Tara to sign up to attend.

March 17, 2017

7:30-11:00am

Haslett Middle School

GO Math Technical Support Training: Tara will discuss some of the common technical problems that arise in Think Central and My HRW and how to fix them. She will also discuss how to submit other problems that arise either to local tech or HMH. Sign up is on WisdomWhere.

March 23, 2017

8:00-11:00am **OR** 12:30-3:30pm

Ingham ISD

PD Opportunities Outside Ingham ISD

AP Computer Science: The Michigan Mathematics and Science Center Network (MMSCN), through a grant with code.org, is pleased to announce a professional learning opportunity to support AP Computer Science Principles. The grant will provide local schools with the following:

- Resources for teaching AP CSP in the fall of 2017
- A sample AP CSP Course Audit
- Professional learning for 60 teachers throughout Michigan at no cost (Stipends for teachers are not included.)
- A curriculum from Code.org for the AP CSP Course

Schools interested in taking advantage of this opportunity will be expected to have an AP CSP course on their school schedule for Fall 2017. Schools wanting more information on how to take advantage of this opportunity can visit our Michigan website at www.micoding.weebly.com. At this site, teachers who plan to apply should sign up to receive an application. Applications are now available.

Wexford-Missaukee ISD is hosting a project citizen training on March 16th. This program correlates with the high school civics standards and engages students in examining public policy issues facing their schools and communities. SCECH and sub reimbursement is available. See more information here: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdbAvU32P-r_Gj0ZKPO9-tzSey-NpA2D1u5fnzt1D0_6WnDg/viewform

March 16, 2017

Wexford-Missaukee ISD

The Michigan Association of Mathematics Teacher Educators (MI-AMTE) is hosting their annual conference. The Theme is Developing Systems to Face the Challenges of Today and Tomorrow. For more information: <https://goo.gl/z57NVV>

March 18, 2017

Michigan State University

Secondary Mathematics: Wayne State University and Ford Motor Company are offering two workshops to secondary mathematics teachers. "We are offering two separate one-day workshops at the end of March. They are being held at the Ford Dearborn Assembly plant and include a math view of manufacturing. One workshop is for middle school and the other is for high school." (*fliers attached*)

Middle School Workshop

March 27, 2017

(This will be about percentages)

OR

High School Workshop

March 28, 2017

(This will be about algebraic modeling)

The Michigan Council for Social Studies Conference: Register at: <http://www.mcssmi.org>

April 28th and 29th, 2017

Kent County ISD in Grand Rapids

The Capital Area Science and Mathematics Center is hosting a PD focusing on early numeracy including addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division. The first round of this PD, starting in April is covered by grant funds for the first 25 people who sign up. It consists of 8 days of training through next October. The course comes with a diagnostic assessment that can be used in the classroom, but only by the person who attends the training. Here is a link for more information on the training dates: <https://goo.gl/6rZFcr> and more information on the training itself: <https://goo.gl/loHrsH>

The Henry Ford museum is offering summer PD around the industrial revolution. Teachers can apply to be NEH scholars and attend for free with a stipend. More information can be found here: <https://www.thehenryford.org/education/at-the-henry-ford/professional-development/americas-industrial-revolution-workshop/>

Fulbright Distinguished Awards in Teaching Short-Term Program Opportunities Abroad for US K-12 Educators. This is a 2-6 week program where teachers are able to travel abroad to consult with and support projects with schools, non-profits, teacher training institutions, and other educational organizations. Teachers may travel to Botswana, Colombia, India, Medico, the Palestinian Territories, South Korea, or Vietnam. More information is located at: <https://www.fulbrightteacherexchange.org/about-short-term>

EduPaths are partnering with groups around the state to develop Civil Rights modules for teachers to complete. More information will be forthcoming.

The Michigan Council on Economic Education is putting out econobites if you are interested in learning more about Economic Education opportunities. Go to www.michiganecon.org and sign up for the newsletters in the upper right corner.

The James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation offers \$24,000 James Madison Graduate Fellowships to individuals desiring to become outstanding teachers of the American Constitution at the secondary school level. Compete only against other applicants from the states of their legal residence. Visit jamesmadison.gov for details and the application process. For general information, call 800-525-6928 or contact us online at: Madison@scholarshipamerica.org

IWitness Video Challenge 2017: Help your students find their voice in IWitness and find inspiration to create positive change in their own community. More than \$10,000 in prize money from Ford Motor Co. will be awarded to students, teachers and schools who submit winning video essays about their experience. Visit <http://iwitness.usc.edu/SFI/> for info.

North Carolina State MOOC: For those interested in a course on teaching statistics, North Carolina State is offering a free self-paced course. Here is more information: <https://goo.gl/vmqkLY>

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Leadership Academy	Laura Colligan & Sean Williams
MTSS Coaches	Lanea Martin
Literacy	Mary Jo Wegenke & Shelly Proebstle
Math	Rob Stephenson & Tara Becker-Utess
PBIS	Rick Couturier & Lara Slee
Priority School Work	Shelley Ruh & Sean Williams
Project Practice	Courtenay Morsi & Kelly Trout
School Improvement	Laura Colligan & Lanea Martin
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