

THE HOWARD COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM
10910 Clarksville Pike
Ellicott City, Maryland 21042

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Series 2015 - 2016

August 6, 2015

DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT

**Countywide Professional Learning Day
August 18, 2015**

TO: All Staff

FROM: Linda T. Wise, Deputy Superintendent

Summary:

- The mandatory countywide Professional Learning day has been scheduled for August 18, 2015.
- The theme for this day is *Collaboration in Support of Rigor: Using the LMS to Improve Teaching and Learning*.
- Staff members not scheduled to attend professional learning sessions will work at the school site and be involved in school-based activities.
- Staff not scheduled to attend full day sessions, will return to work at the school site.

Action:

- Please view the attached schedule to determine the location and times of their professional learning sessions.

Questions:

- Please contact the appropriate session leader.

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Attachment

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Collaboration in Support of Rigor:
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Office	Grade/Participants	Times	Leaders	Location
Early Childhood Programs	All Kindergarten Teachers, General Education and Special Education	8:30 AM - 11:30 AM	Lisa Davis Kym Nwosu Amy Raymond OEIS	Hammond HS
Early Childhood Programs	NEW Kindergarten Teachers, General Education and Special Education	8:30 AM – 4:00 PM	Lisa Davis Kym Nwosu Amy Raymond	Hammond HS
Early Childhood Programs	New Pre-K and Kindergarten Teachers	11:30 AM - 12:30 PM	Lisa Davis Amy Raymond Kris Woodson	Hammond HS
Elementary Curricular Programs	Grade 1-5 Teachers and Interventionists	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	Kim Eggborn Stephanie Milligan Sandy Keaton Amy Reese John SanGiovanni Heather Dyer	Grade 1 - Reservoir HS Grade 2 - Pointers Run ES Grade 3 - Fulton ES Grade 4 - Reservoir HS Grade 5 - Lime Kilm MS
ESOL - Elementary	Elementary ESOL Teachers	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	Maha Abdelkader Erin Dalton Onorato	Attend Elementary Curricular Programs Grade Level Locations
ESOL - Secondary	Middle and High School ESOL Teachers	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Maha Abdelkader Deborah Puhak	Ellicott Mills MS
Fine Arts - Art	Pre-K-12 Visual Art Teachers	8:00 AM - 2:30 PM	Gino Molfino Jaye Ayres	River Hill HS
Fine Arts - Dance	High School Dance Teachers	8:00 AM - 2:30 PM	Gino Molfino Jaye Ayres Brooke Kulh-McClelland	River Hill HS
Fine Arts - Music	Prek-12 Music Teachers	8:00 AM - 2:30 PM	Terry Eberhardt Megan Hartten	Wilde Lake HS
Fine Arts - Theatre	High School Theatre Arts Teachers	8:00 AM - 2:30 PM	Gino Molfino Jaye Ayres Pam Land	River Hill HS
Gifted/Talented Education Program	Elementary, Middle, and High School G/T Resource Teachers	8:15 AM - 12:30 PM	Debbie Blum Katie Barbagallo Karen Saunderson	Harper's Choice MS
Health Education	Secondary Health Education Teachers	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Linda Rangos Tempe Beall	Mount Hebron HS
OCTE - BCMS	CTE-Business Teachers	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Sharon Kramer	River Hill HS
OCTE - Centralized Career Academies	ARL staff	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Natalie Belcher	River Hill HS
OCTE - CRD	CTE-CRD Teachers and High Special Educators	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Laurie Collins	River Hill HS
OCTE - FACS	CTE-FACS Teachers	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Laurie Collins	River Hill HS
OCTE - JROTC	JROTC Teachers	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Sharon Kramer	River Hill HS
OCTE - Engineering & Technology Education	CTE-Engineering Teachers	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Sharon Kramer	River Hill HS

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OIT/Library Media	K-12 Instructional Technology Education Teachers and Library Media Specialists	8:00 AM - 3:00 PM	Julie Alonso-Hughes Melissa Grabill	Folly Quarter MS
Physical Education	K-12 Physical Education and Adaptive PE Teachers	7:30 am - 12:30 pm	Linda Rangos Mike Senisi	Mount Hebron HS
Secondary English Language Arts	Grades 6-12 English Language Arts and Co-teachers, Reading Specialists and Secondary Special Educators	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Nancy Czarnecki Heidi Maciulla Kara Cosgrove Melissa Mack	Long Reach HS
Secondary Mathematics	Grade 6-12 math teachers and special education teachers supporting mathematics instruction (we plan to invite administrators as well)	8:00 AM - 3:00 PM	Bill Barnes Jon Wray Jennifer Novak Holly Cheung	Oakland Mills HS
Secondary Science	Grades 6-12 Science Teachers, Science Paraeducators, Special Educators and Paraeducators supporting Secondary Science	7:30 AM - 2:30 PM	Mary Weller Nate' Hall Jackie Austin	Marriotts Ridge HS
Secondary Social Studies	Grades 6-12 Social Studies Teachers, Social Studies Paraeducators, Special Educators and Paraeducators supporting Secondary Social Studies	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Mark Stout Robert Coffman Renee Bos	Centennial High School
Student Services	All Student Services Staff: Counselors School Psychologists Alternative Education Staff Health Services Staff Pupil Personnel Services Staff Home & Hospital Staff	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Lisa Boarman Kami Wagner	Howard HS
World Languages	Pre-K-12 World Language Teachers	8:00 AM - 12:30 PM	Leslie Grahn Jennifer Cornell	Atholton HS
SESSIONS FOR SPECIAL EDUCATORS				
Early Intervention Services - Infants and Toddlers Program	Infants and Toddlers Program Teams (Teachers, Therapists, SW, CHNs)	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	Jen Harwood	Ascend One
Early Intervention Services - RECC	Regional Early Childhood Centers (Pre, Pre-K, MINC, Pals, Early Childhood Special Educators and Related Service Providers)	12:30 AM - 3:30 PM	Anne Hickey Lisa Davis	Hammond HS
Early Intervention Services	MINC-EL Overview for MINC-EL NEW Staff Only	8:30 AM - 11:30 AM	Candice Felske	Ascend One
Early Intervention Services	MINC Academy for New MINC-P and MINC-FL Teachers, Therapists. Paraeducators who DID NOT attend July sessions	8:30 AM - 11:30 PM	Rachel Morey	Ascend One

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Department of Special Education	Academic Life Skills Teachers and Cedar Lane Teachers	8:30 AM - 12:00 PM	Elizabeth Augustin	Lake Elkhorn/Cradlerock Elementary
Department of Special Education	Special Education Paraeducators, School Psychologists and Administrators needing FULL Non-Crisis Intervention Training	8:00 AM - 5:00 PM	DSE Behavior Specialists	Lake Elkhorn/Cradlerock Elementary
Department of Special Education	Special Education Paraeducators, School Psychologists and Administrators needing the REFRESHER Non-Crisis Intervention Training	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM	DSE Behavior Specialists	Lake Elkhorn/Cradlerock Elementary
Department of Special Education	All New Special Education Para Educators and Student Assistants	8:30 AM - 12:30 PM	Debbie Misiag	Lake Elkhorn/Cradlerock Elementary
Department of Special Education	Special Education Work Study Teachers	8:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Laurie Collins	River Hill/ Attend CRD Session
Department of Special Education	Speech Pathologists	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	Emily Kinsler	Glenelg High School
Department of Special Education	Occupational Therapists	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	Joan Ogaitis	Glenelg High School
Department of Special Education	Physical Therapists	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	Jane Jung-Potter	Glenelg High School
Department of Special Education	Vision Teachers	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	Various Presenters and sites	Attend Grade Level/Content Sessions
Department of Special Education	Teachers of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	Judith Fox	Attend Grade Level/Content Sessions
Department of Special Education	Grade 1-5 Special Education	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	Various Presenters	Attend Grade Level Curriculum Sessions Grade 1 - Reservoir HS, Grade 2 - Pointers Run ES, Grade 3 - Fulton ES, Grade 4 - Reservoir HS, Grade 5 - Lime Kilm MS
Department of Special Education	Special Education Teachers new to Kindergarten /or who have not had KRA Training	8:30 AM - 4:00 PM	Lisa Davis	Hammond High School /Attend KRA Training
Department of Special Education	Special Education Teachers-Kindergarten who have had the KRA training	8:30 AM - 11:30 AM	Lisa Davis	Hammond High School/Attend KRA Refresher
Department of Special Education	Secondary Special Educators and Work Study Teachers	8:00 AM - 3:00 PM	Various Curriculum Office Presenters	Attend Curriculum Sessions at Various Sites