



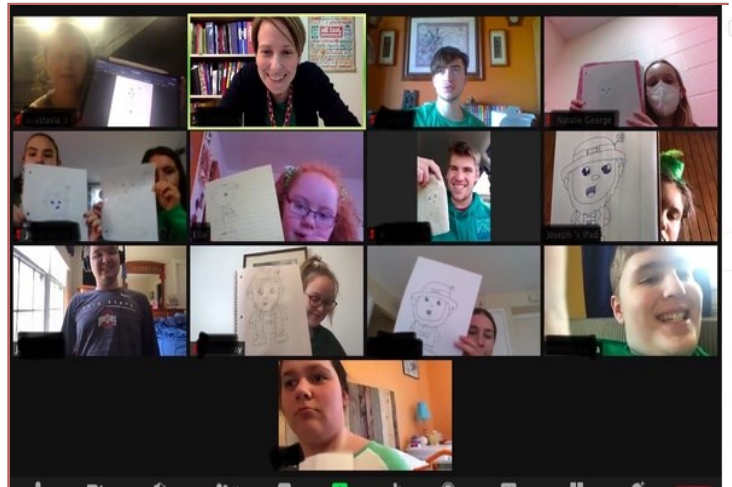
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Fall 2021 Professional Development



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Customization & Resource Fair

Consulting & Customization

The ESC of the Western Reserve strives to support your district's specific needs in a variety of ways. Should you need consultation support or professional development not listed, please contact our team for assistance. We have several professional development topics ready, and any of our courses can be customized to your unique needs! We can deliver sessions virtually, as an on demand self-paced course or in-person to your team. For additional information or requests please contact Shannon Ranta at sranta@escwr.org.

No Wrong Door Lake County-Community Resource Fair

Who: Guidance Counselors, Social Workers, & Administration, Grades Pre K-12

What: Coming Soon! This October learn more about community resources available to your students and their families! This event will include agencies that are instrumental in assisting your student's needs. Our resource fair will have representatives on-site to answer your questions about services all in one place! The event is aimed at assisting school staff in reestablishing community connections post COVID-19 closures and to help you create new connections. No Wrong Door Lake County is a collaboration with Lifeline of Lake County, 211.

When & Where: Date & Time to be determined (October) ESCWR Hale Road Building

Facilitator: Kristin M. Llewellyn & Lifeline of Lake County staff members

Questions: Contact Kristen at kllewellyn@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Early Childhood

Early Childhood Professional Development

Who: Preschool Staff and Administrators

What, When & Where:

EC Admin Kick Off	August 26, 8:30 AM- 10:30 AM	Virtual Event
EC Admin Core Team	9/14 & 11/15 8:30 AM- 10:30 AM	Virtual Event
EC Admin Leadership Series	9/ 14 & 11/15 11:00 AM- 1:00 PM	Virtual Event
Child Outcome Summary Process	September 17, 8:30 AM- 11:30 AM	Room 116
Prioritizing Needs in the ETR	October 1, 9:00 AM- 10:30	Virtual Event
EC Fall Regional	November 5, 8:30 AM- 11:30 AM	Virtual Event
EC Evidence Based Literacy	November 5, 12:30 PM- 3:30 PM	Virtual Event

Facilitators: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Krista Dickens at kdickens@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Heggerty Coaching Hour

Who: Early Childhood Teachers and Administrators

What: Spend an hour with fellow educators using Heggerty. Practice lessons, discuss strategies, and share successes while working together to find solutions to challenges in the classroom.

When : October 29, 1:00 PM– 2:00 PM

Where: Virtual Event

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Jennifer Kuhn at jkuhn@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Early Childhood

Evidence Based Practices in Emergent Literacy

Who: Early Childhood Teachers and Administrators

What: Spend 3 hours learning, practicing and creating materials for evidence based strategies to help develop language and literacy in your preschool classroom. A hands-on learning experience with explicit instruction modeled while creating materials for lessons. Manipulatives provided.

When : November 5, 12:30 PM– 3:30 PM

Where: Virtual Event

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Krista Dickens at kdickens@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Developmentally Appropriate Practices in Early Childhood

Who: Early Childhood Teachers & Administrators

What: NAEYC defines “developmentally appropriate practice” as methods that promote each child's optimal development and learning through a strengths-based, play-based approach to joyful, engaged learning. In this session participants will unpack the 2020 NAEYC Position Statement on Developmentally Appropriate Practices and discuss implementation strategies.

When : November 12, 8:30 PM–11:30 PM

Where: Technology Learning Center, Room 116

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Krista Dickens at kdickens@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Beyond Behavior Management Book Study

Who: Early Childhood Teachers & Administrators

What: All children—not just those with challenging behaviors—require guidance as they develop the social and emotional skills they will use the rest of their lives. This resource provides everything you need to help children build and use six essential life skills: attachment, belonging, self-regulation, collaboration, contribution, and adaptability.

When : 12/10, 11/14, 2/11, 3/4– Must attend all 9:00 AM– 10:30 AM

Where: Virtual Events

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Krista Dickens at kdickens@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Literacy

Regional Literacy Book Study; Reading Comprehension Blueprint

Who: Teachers and Administrators, Grades K-12

What: Comprehension is a process for successful readers. Reading expert Nancy Hennessy offers a clear blueprint for understanding the complexities of reading and comprehension. Objectives: Participants will; 1. Explore Scarborough's Reading Rope and use a framework for organizing instruction. 2. Use tools for planning lessons to meet the needs of all students. 3. Share assessments for determining student needs and progress.

When: 9/28, & 11/30 11:30 AM– 1:30 PM

Where: Technology Learning Center, Room 100

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Jennifer Kuhn at jkuhn@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Regional Literacy Leader Networks

Who: Teachers & Administrators

What: Participants will receive updates on the latest developments in literacy from the of Ohio Department of Education's State Literacy Network along with opportunities to share and learn along with regional leaders on such timely topics as the science of reading; reading interventions in a digital world; decision rules; adolescent literacy; evidence-based-strategies and tips for coaching others to provide the best instruction to serve all readers.

When : 9/21, 10/19, 11/23 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM

Where: Technology Learning Center, Room 100 (9/21), Conference Room B (10/19, 11/23)

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Jennifer Kuhn at jkuhn@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Literacy Network Improvement Community

Who: Teachers & Administrators

What: Network Improvement Community of literacy leaders first determining problem of practice and then collaborating to find solutions.

When: October 20, 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Where: Technology Learning Center, Conference Room B

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Jennifer Kuhn at jkuhn@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Special Education

Effective Visual Supports (Social Stories, Visual Schedules, & A Token Economy)

Who: Special Education and General Education Teachers, Grades PK-12

What: Teachers will be given an overview on how to create effective visual supports for students.

When & Where: September 13, 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM; Virtual Event

Facilitators: Carena Brittain and Janet Sapp

Questions: Contact Janet Sapp at jsapp@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

ETR Basics

Who: Teachers & Administrators

What: After participants watch the required LMS modules from the ODE website, they will be able to get clarification and guidance on writing compliant Evaluation Team Reports (ETRs). Participants new to writing ETRs are encouraged to attend.

When & Where: September 21, 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Lori Pinchot at lpinchot@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Virtual Family Forums— Transition Age Youth

Who: Parents, Intervention Specialists, Staff working with transition-aged youth age 8 and up

What: This series will present an overview of the unique process of transitioning students with disabilities age 14-22 from the educational environment to their life beyond school. Please view the [flyer](#) for event information and registration!

When & Where: 9/21, 11/2, & 12/7, 6:00 PM–8:00 PM; Virtual Events

Facilitators: Michelle Frygier, Jaina Gandolfi, & Mandi Baggett

Questions: Contact Michelle Frygier at mfrygier@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Special Education

SPED Leaders

Who: Special Education Administrators

What: A variety of Special Education topics will be discussed in a virtual forum. Participants will get ODE updates, discuss relevant topics and be able to engage in peer-to-peer question and answer opportunities.

When & Where: 9/ 23, 10/14, & 12/7 8:30 AM-11:30 AM; Virtual Events

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Lori Pinchot at lpinchot@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

IEP Basics

Who: Teachers & Administrators

What: After participants watch the required LMS modules from the ODE website, they will be able to get clarification and guidance on writing compliant Individual Educational Plans (IEPs). Participants new to writing IEPs are encouraged to attend.

When & Where: September 28, 8:30 AM- 11:30 AM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Lori Pinchot at lpinchot@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Special Education Series

Who: Teachers & Administrators

What, When & Where:

Special Education Series	October 19, 8:30 AM– 3:30 PM	Room 116
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Special Education Series	December 2, 8:30 AM– 11:30 PM	Room 116
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Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Lori Pinchot at lpinchot@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

General Education

Preventing and Responding to Challenging Behaviors

Who: Paraprofessionals, New staff or Non Special Education Teachers, Grades PK-12

What: Basic introductory presentation on strategies and techniques to reduce challenging behaviors in the classroom.

When & Where: October 6, 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM; Technology Learning Center, Room 106

Facilitators: Carena Brittain and Janet Sapp

Cost: \$25 for Lake or Geauga County Schools

Questions: Contact Janet Sapp at jsapp@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Design Thinking 101 with PSE + HIVE Makerspace

Who: Teachers & Administrators, Grades K-12

What: Join Lakeland's HIVE makerspace team and Partners in Science Excellence to navigate a human-centered 3 part design challenge in a virtual gathering, then visit Lakeland's campus to try your hand at makerspace equipment. This series is for beginners and seasoned design thinkers alike; all are welcome.

When & Where: September 15, 4:00 PM - 5:30 PM; Virtual event with in-person component at Lakeland Community College

Facilitator: Lakeland HIVE & Partners in Science

Questions: Contact Leah Konopka Hartmann at lkonopka@lakelandcc.edu

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

How to Respond as a Paraprofessional: General Education versus Resource Room

Who: Paraprofessionals, Grades PK-12

What: Learn best practices for supporting students in the general education and resource room settings.

When: October 27, 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM

Where: Technology Learning Center, Room 106

Facilitators: Carena Brittain and Janet Sapp

Cost: \$25 for Lake or Geauga County School Districts

Questions: Contact Janet Sapp at jsapp@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Universal Design for Learning

UDL Primer for Leadership

Who: Administrators

What: As a leader, are you willing to explore new ways for your teachers to engage students through purposeful planning? Do you want your teachers to provide flexibility for students as they demonstrate mastery of content learned or skills acquired? Are you hoping to find ways for teachers to provide instruction in a way that reaches more students? Then this PD is for you! This training is geared for building and district administrators, curriculum coaches and directors, as well as special education directors who are interested in implementing the UDL instructional framework into their building or district.

When & Where: September 14, 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM; Technology Learning Center, Room 116

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Steve Ramos at sramos@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

UDL: Addressing the Variability of All Learners (3 Days)

Who: Teachers & Administrators

What: These three days of training are geared for educators to explore ways to engage students through purposeful planning as well as providing flexibility for students to demonstrate mastery of content learned or skills acquired.

When: 10/5, 10/13, & 10/21 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Where: Technology Learning Center, Room 116

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Steve Ramos at sramos@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

UDL Book Study Series

Who: Teachers & Administrators

What: This book study will be offered to teachers and teams of teachers interested in beginning or continuing their understanding of Universal Design for Learning. The book selection will be: UDL Now: A Teacher's Guide to Applying UDL in Today's Classrooms, by UDL expert, Katie Novak.

When: November 9, December 8, & January 5, 3:30 PM– 4:30 PM

Where: Virtual Events

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Steve Ramos at sramos@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

PBIS

PBIS Tier 1 (3 Day Training)

Who: New PBIS Team Members, PBIS District or Building Teams

What: Will assist districts/community schools with meeting the requirements for ODE Policy on Positive Behavior Interventions and Support, and Restraint and Seclusion.

When & Where: 9/20, 9/21 & 9/27 8:30 AM - 3:00 PM; Technology Learning Center, Room 116 (In-person recommended but virtual participation is available.)

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Carrie McClure at cmclure@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

PBIS in Award Winning Schools

Who: District and Building PBIS Coaches

What: PBIS updates are given, networking and a virtual tour is provided.

When & Where: 9/22 & 11/4 8:30 AM- 11:00 AM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Carrie McClure at cmclure@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

PBIS Tier 2 Reboot

Who: PBIS Team Members

What: For TEAMS previously training in PBIS Tier 2 but not implementing fully. This half-day refresher will review Tier II systems and practices, technical assistance and coaching.

When & Where: September 29, 8:30 AM- 11:30 AM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Carrie McClure at cmclure@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

PBIS

PBIS Tier II (2 Day Trainings)

Who: Bronze award winning PBIS Teams

What: For BRONZE Award Winning PBIS TEAMS previously trained in PBIS Tier I & currently implementing PBIS Tier I with 70% fidelity per TFI. In-person recommended but virtual participation is available.

When & Where:

PBIS Tier II Day 1 of 2	10/4, 8:30 AM– 3:00 PM	Room 116/ Virtual
PBIS Tier II Day 2 of 2	10/5, 8:30 AM– 3:00 PM	Room 116/ Virtual

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Carrie McClure at cmclure@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

PBIS Tier III (2 Day Trainings)

Who: Silver Award winning PBIS Teams

What: For SILVER Award Winning PBIS TEAMS previously trained in PBIS Tier I & Tier II and currently implementing PBIS Tier I on II with 70% fidelity per TFI. In-person recommended but virtual participation is available.

When & Where:

PBIS Tier III Day 1 of 2	10/18, 8:30 AM– 3:00 PM	Room 116/ Virtual
PBIS Tier III Day 2 of 2	10/20, 8:30 AM– 3:00 PM	Room 116/ Virtual

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Carrie McClure at cmclure@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Curriculum

Ins and Outs of Assessment

Who: Teachers and Curriculum Leaders , Grades K-12

What: Ins and Outs of Assessment will dive into using the OST model curriculums, test blueprints, and DOK levels when creating formative assessments for individual teacher use or as district-wide common assessments. The session will also cover Lexile levels for incorporating disciplinary literacy into assessments.

When & Where: September 16, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: Shannon Ranta

Cost: \$25 for Lake or Geauga County School Districts

Questions: Contact Shannon Ranta at sranta@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Utilizing ODE Benchmark & Checkpoint Assessments

Who: Teachers, Curriculum Leaders, and district testing coordinators

What: ODE Benchmark and Checkpoint Assessments are free growth monitoring assessments that mimic state testing. Benchmarks are 8-12 question strand assessments, while checkpoints are 1-3 question assessments addressing singular standards. Assessments can be given at any time by any teacher or used as a district assessment. The session will cover how to access, assign, and track data in the system.

When & Where: October 14, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: Shannon Ranta

Cost: \$25 for Lake or Geauga County School Districts

Questions: Contact Shannon Ranta at sranta@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Curriculum

High Quality Student Data (HQSD): How to access it, track it, and use it

Who: Teachers, Curriculum Leaders, and District Testing Coordinators

What: High Quality Student Data (HQSD) is used to guide instructional decisions and meet student learning needs. Utilizing data correctly is key in making sound instructional decisions for students and providing evidence of student learning attributable to the teacher being evaluated. In the session participants will learn how to access, track, and use the data. Various types of data sources will be explored, including OST data such as value added, vendor assessments, and in district sources.

When & Where: November 11, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: Shannon Ranta

Cost: \$25 for Lake or Geauga County School Districts

Questions: Contact Shannon Ranta at sranta@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

District Testing Coordinators Networks

Who: District Testing Coordinators & Administrators

What: District Testing Coordinator Network meetings will be held quarterly. The network will cover all ODE testing information, changes, and legislative updates. Newly added requirements such as HQSD, dyslexia screeners, and graduation requirements will be additional topics of discussion as information becomes available. The meetings will always conclude with network time to ask questions and seek guidance from the group.

When & Where: 9/29, 11/17, 2/23, & 5/4 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM; Virtual Events

Facilitator: Shannon Ranta

Questions: Contact Shannon Ranta at sranta@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Mathematic Principles Incorporating NCTM's 8, & Mathematics Teaching Practices

Who: Math Teachers & Administrators, Grades 6-12

What: We will work through how to incorporate NCTM's 8 Mathematics Teaching Practices in order to build mathematical understanding. Strategies will be shared to create instructional frameworks that include the practices, samples of what the practices look like in action, as well as scaffolding to build to full implementation of the practices.

When & Where: December 8, 10:00 AM– 12:00 PM
Virtual Event

Facilitator: Shannon Ranta

Cost: \$25 for Lake or Geauga County Schools

Questions: Contact Shannon Ranta at sranta@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Curriculum

Science of Reading 101

Who: Teachers, Instructional Coaches, & Administrators , Grades K-12

What: Close to 40 years of reading research is making its way into practice and policy making. Learn the basics of the Science of Reading movement and why it is important for literacy instruction in your classroom, building, and/or district. Participants will learn what cognitive and neuroscience has uncovered about the brains of skilled readers and how the research can inform our literacy instruction.

When & Where: September 28, 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: Kelly Moran

Cost: \$25 for Lake or Geauga County School Districts

Questions: Contact Kelly at kmoran@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Creating a Local Literacy Plan

Who: Literacy Coaches, Administrators, ELA teachers, & Curriculum directors, Grades K-12

What: Systemic and impactful change in literacy achievement starts with a well developed building or district literacy plan. Join this session to learn the basics of putting together your personalized Local Literacy Plan. Participants will learn why having a plan is important, how to mirror their Local plan with that of the State's Plan to Raise Literacy Achievement, and ideas for intervention and engagement. Action steps, templates, and example plans will be shared.

When & Where: September 15, 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM ; Virtual Event

Facilitator: Kelly Moran and Shannon Ranta

Cost: \$25 for Lake or Geauga County School Districts

Questions: Contact Kelly at kmoran@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Curriculum

Reviewing Instructional Materials (A guide on using EdReports and Common Sense Media)

Who: Teachers, Instructional Coaches, & Administrators, Grades K-12

What: Prepare for your next curriculum materials adoption by narrowing your search to only those materials that are of high quality. This session will provide you with an overview of the EdReports tool so that you can grow in your understanding of what criteria constitutes high quality instructional materials. Participants will learn how to compare programs, review reports, and create a planning timeline for their next textbook adoption.

When & Where: October 5, 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: Kelly Moran and Vanessa Karwan

Cost: \$25 for Lake or Geauga County School Districts

Questions: Contact Kelly Moran at kmoran@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Evidence Based Intervention Supports

Who: Teachers, Coaches, School Psychologists, & Administrators, Grades K-12

What: In this session participants will learn the difference between research based and evidence based interventions. Session topics include how to navigate three different evidence based protocols for layering in interventions, and best practices for compiling and tracking data. Example flow charts, data forms, and team meeting templates will be shared.

When & Where: October 14, 1:00 PM- 3:00 PM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: Kelly Moran

Cost: \$25 for Lake or Geauga County School Districts

Questions: Contact Kelly Moran at kmoran@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Curriculum

Educator Wellness & Stress Management

Who: Teachers, Support Staff, and Administrators Grades K-12

What: Explore self care techniques and develop new habits for a healthier and happier teaching experience. This session will review how stress affects the brain and body and ways to mitigate stress in the workplace and beyond. Action steps for physical, social, emotional well being will be shared.

When & Where: November 8, 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: Kelly Moran

Cost: \$25 for Lake or Geauga County School Districts

Questions: Contact Kelly at kmoran@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Growing Your Instructional Leadership Capacity

Who: Teachers and Administrators, Grades K-12

What: Whether you are a seasoned administrator, an aspiring instructional coach, a soon-to be-building principal, or a self-proclaimed emerging teacher leader this professional growth session is for you. Participants will engage in experiences that will broaden their leadership network, develop mentoring skills, and explore individual character traits for successful leadership. Explore the power of reflective practice, creating a personal mission statement, and developing your leadership presence.

When & Where: December 2, 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: Kelly Moran

Cost: \$25 for Lake or Geauga County School Districts

Questions: Contact Kelly at kmoran@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Gifted & OTEES 2.0 Bridge Training

How to Get Started With Differentiation for the Gifted Children in Your Classroom

Who: Teachers and Administrators, Grades K-12

What: In our classrooms, there are a myriad of differences among our students. As educators, we build relationships and try to help all our students. However, with so many levels of learning daily, how can we create the best learning environments? Differentiation is one way that can promote learning and be manageable for the educator to implement. Join us to discuss gifted students and creating opportunities to expand their learning. These three afternoon sessions will provide teachers and practitioners with concrete and practical ways to manage the different ability levels in the classroom. Attendees will leave with ideas, strategies, and methods that they will be able to use in their classrooms.

When & Where: 10/14, 11/18, & 12/16; 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM; Technology Learning Center, Room 116

Facilitator: Derek Hacher, Summit County ESC

Cost: \$25 for Lake or Geauga County School Districts

Questions: Contact Derek at DerekH@summitesc.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

OTES 2.0 Bridge Training

Who: OTEES 1.0 credentialed evaluators

What: The Ohio Teacher Evaluation System 2.0 Bridge Training is required for existing OTEES 1.0 credentialed evaluators to address shifts with OTEES 2.0. Bridge Training is a pathway that leads to OTEES 2.0 re-credentialing with the objectives of;

- Promoting an understanding of the procedures within OTEES 2.0 and how they differ from OTEES.
- Promoting an understanding and application of the OTEES 2.0 teacher performance rubric while learning to collect evidence that demonstrates teacher performance.
- Applying lessons learned and best practices from OTEES 2.0 implementation to date.
- Learning about and identifying High Quality Student Data (HQSD).

Upon completion of the OTEES 2.0 Bridge Training evaluators (participants) may re-credential through the new on-line credentialing system. The OTEES 2.0 Bridge Training will provide a better understanding of the OTEES 2.0 Framework and Model, allow practice of skills and allow for sharing of resources and best practices in educator evaluation.

When, Where & Cost: September 15th through September 29th; Online Course; \$175

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

ACT Preparation

Embedding ACT-Like Content, Assessment, & Strategies in Daily Classroom Teaching

Who: High School English, Language Arts, Reading, Math, & Science teachers, Grades 10th & 11th

What: A 3-hour class that helps you understand how to prepare your students for the ACT--without changing much of what you currently do!

When & Where: November 18, 9:00AM - 12:00PM; Technology Learning Center, Room 116

Cost: \$199 per teacher per session

Facilitator: Next Level Prep

Questions: Contact Jim Kebe at jim@nlpohio.com

Event Registration: Registration information is forthcoming

ACT Student Seminar

Who: High School students preparing for the ACT, Grades 10, 11, & 12

What: Our six-hour student preparation seminar helps demystify the ACT by explaining the test structure, the academic content covered on it, testing and time management strategies students can employ to maximize their performance.

When & Where: October 1, 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM; Technology Learning Center, Room 116 or 10/5, 10/6, or 10/7 at 6:00 PM– 8:00 PM; Virtual Events

Cost: \$99 per student

Facilitator: Next Level Prep

Questions: Contact Jim Kebe at jim@nlpohio.com

Event Registration: Registration information is forthcoming

Social/Emotional Learning

Recognizing Grief: How to help yourselves & your students following a loss

Who: Faculty & Staff, Pre-K-12

What: In a time when loss has become more prominent and pervasive this training will help identify and explore grief and trauma.

When & Where: October 6, 8:00 AM - 9:00 AM; Virtual

Facilitator: Natalie Smith LISW-S and Colleen Wetherwax LISW-S

Questions: Contact Colleen at wetherwaxc@ravenwoodhealth.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Executive Functioning Toolbox

Who: Faculty & Staff, Grades Pre-K-12

What: This session will define the critical components and development of executive functioning, as well as connecting educators to concrete support, and strengthening skills to incorporate with students in the classroom setting.

When & Where: October 20, 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: Sarah Drenik, MSW, LSW

Cost: \$25 for Lake or Geauga County Schools

Questions: Contact Sarah Drenik at sdrenik@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Generation Z: What? So What? Now What?

Who: Faculty and Staff , Grades Pre-K-12

What: Generation Z is anyone born after 1996; a generation that is more racial and ethnically diverse than any generation prior. A generation referred to as “digital natives” as they do not know/remember a time before smart phones and a generation on track to be one of the most well educated, yet least likely to have job as a teenager. This training will focus not just on the difference between the generations, but also what does that mean for us as educators, mentors, professionals and what can we do to support them.

When & Where: September 15, 8:00 AM - 9:00 AM; Virtual

Facilitator: Natalie Smith LISW-S and Colleen Wetherwax LISW-S

Questions: Contact Colleen at wetherwaxc@ravenwoodhealth.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Social/Emotional Learning

Shifting Mindsets: Finding natural ways to cope

Who: Faculty and Staff, Grades Pre-K-12

What: Life is always shifting; up, down, and all around. This training looks at not just “coping skills”, but ways to highlight the things we do naturally to shift our mindset and perspective when the daily stressors of life hit. Often, we hear, “I don’t have time for anything other than what I already do” or “coping skills don’t work”. This training will provide not only a tangible list and description of coping skills (both for big and small emotions), but also the practical examples of how to weave them into your student/clients day in a way that feels more natural and consistent. We hope to provide a different perspective on how to view and use coping skills to provide natural shifts in mood and attention when needed.

When & Where: November 3, 8:00 AM - 9:00 AM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: Natalie Smith LISW-S and Colleen Wetherwax LISW-S

Questions: Contact Colleen at wetherwaxc@ravenwoodhealth.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Interventions and Active listening Series

Who: Teachers and Paraprofessionals, Grades K-12

What: Three part series addressing students in conflict, ways to communicate to connect with students and interventions for challenging behaviors. Part 2 will address active listening and ways to validate and decode students at the level they are emotionally as well as developmentally. Part 3 of this series will address behavioral interventions for challenging behavior including proactive approaches and communication responses.

When & Where: 9/16, 10/21, & 11/18 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM; Virtual Events

Facilitator: Donna Fischer, LPC, Kathy Schmelzer, LSW

Cost: \$25 for Lake or Geauga County School Districts

Questions: Contact Kathy at kschmelzer@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

PLC's

SLP PLC

Who: Speech Language Pathologists

What: Facilitated discussions on current topics related to school based SLP's and ODE updates.

When: 10/14 & 12/9, 2:00 PM– 3:00 PM

Where: Virtual Events

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Lori Pinchot at lpinchot@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

UDL PLC

Who: Administrators

What: Participants will explore a different guideline each month. This exploration will be participant driven & include resources, problems of practice, challenges and successes for each guideline.

When: 9/22 & 10/27, 12/1 3:30 PM– 4:30 PM

Where: Technology Learning Center, Room 116, Room 100 (12/1)

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Steve Ramos at sramos@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

EC Itinerant

Who: Preschool Intervention Specialists

When: 9/24 & 12/3, 9:00 AM– 11:00 AM

Where: Tech Learning Center, Conference Room B, Room 100 (12/3)

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Krista Dickens at kdickens@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Family Community Engagement PLC

Who: Teachers and Administrators

When: 9/28 & 11/30, 1:30 PM– 3:30 PM

Where: Technology Learning Center, Room 105

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Steve Ramos at sramos@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

PLC's

EC Psych PLC

Who: Early Childhood Psychologists

What: Participants will have the opportunity to collaborate with one another and receive ODE updates.

When: 9/20 & 11/2, 1:00 PM– 2:00 PM

Where: Virtual Events

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Tricia McCollum at tmccollum@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

RESA Support Network: RESA Expectations

Who: Resident Educators and RESA Mentors, Grades Pre-K-12

What: This session will outline the requirements and expectations for the year. We will provide an overview of expectations, registrations in the course, Google Classroom requirements and we will engage in supports for new teachers.

When & Where: September 16, 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM; Technology Learning Center, Room 116

Facilitators: Mary Balmford and Vanessa Karwan

Questions: Contact Mary Balmford at mbalmford@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

School Psychologist PLC (School Age)

Who: School Age Psychologists

What: Various topics relevant to school psychologists (school age) will be discussed in a virtual format. Participants will have the opportunity to collaborate with one another and receive ODE updates.

When: 9/21 & 11/3, 1:00 PM– 2:00 PM

Where: Virtual Events

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Lori Pinchot at lpinchot@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Fiscal Network Meetings

Fiscal Management Network

Who: Fiscal Teams

What: Enhancing public perception of the importance of public education and the local school district.

When & Where: September 8, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: Greg Slemons and Dan Wilson

Questions: Contact Dan at dwilson@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Fiscal Management Network

Who: Fiscal Teams

What: Analyzing school district Board of Education (BOE) member elections & levy results. Understanding individual ballot issue results including reelection of incumbent BOE members and tax levy results by type for both new and renewed levies. New Board member onboarding.

When & Where: December 8, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: Greg Slemons and Dan Wilson

Questions: Contact Dan at dwilson@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Fiscal Management Network

Who: Fiscal Teams

What: Developing and presenting the fiscal impact of ESSER Funding on the school district budget.

When & Where: March 9, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: Greg Slemons and Dan Wilson

Questions: Contact Dan at dwilson@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Fiscal Management Network

Who: Fiscal Teams

What: Developing public presentation of the annual financial performance for individual school districts.

When & Where: June 8, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: Greg Slemons and Dan Wilson

Questions: Contact Dan at dwilson@escwr.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

RemotEdx Support Squad

The Five Simple Principles to Engage Every Family

Who: Teachers

What: At its core, The Five Simple Principles to Engage Every Family Process supports schools and districts in demonstrating progress toward the stated student learning goals through effective and targeted family engagement practice. View the [flyer](#) for additional information.

When & Where: 9/17, 9/24, 10/1, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22; 9:00 AM- 10:30 AM; Virtual Events

Facilitator: Western Ohio Service Collaborative with Dr. Steve Constantino

Questions: Contact Stacy Southard at stacy.southard@woscpd.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Parent Liaison Mini-Courses

Who: Teachers who support family engagement

What: Learn how to bring about real shifts in culture through process, reflections, and diligent effort. View the [flyer](#) for additional information.

When & Where: 9/16, 9/23, 9/30, 10/7, 9:00 AM- 10:30 AM; Virtual Events

Facilitator: Western Ohio Service Collaborative with Dr. Steve Constantino

Questions: Contact Stacy Southard at stacy.southard@woscpd.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Unconscious Bias: Understanding Bias to Unleash Potential

Who: Teachers

What: Learn to recognize the impact of bias on behaviors, decisions, and performance.

Increase empathy and curiosity in personal interactions to surface and explore bias.

Explore ways to face bias with courage and create the space where everyone is respected, included, and valued. Commit to addressing biases that limit individual performance and the performance of others.

Design a plan that will identify the key elements to create a roadmap for diversity, equity, and inclusion in their district.

When & Where: 9/13, 9/20, 9/27, 9/14, 9/21, 9/28, 11/1, 11/8, 11/15, 11/17; 8:30 AM– 3:30 PM; Virtual Events

Facilitator: North Central Ohio ESC w/ Franklin Covey

Questions: Contact events@ncescnet

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Transition

Graduation Updates 2021-2022

Who: Teachers and Administrators

What: Overview of the different plans required by ODE for graduation, transition, and student success. Emphasis on how these plans look for students with disabilities will be discussed.

When: 9/15 8:30 AM- 10:00 AM and 9/29 2:00 PM– 3:30 PM

Where: Virtual Events

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Crystal Bryski at cbryski@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Transition 101

Who: Teachers and Administrators

What: Transition 101 will focus on the basics of transition planning. The training will reference the essential components of the Transition Plan for students with disabilities to guide participants in using Age Appropriate Transition Assessments to develop Post Secondary Goals & determine meaningful Transition Services & Activities.

When: September 24 8:30 AM- 11:00 AM

Where: Virtual Event

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Crystal Bryski at cbryski@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Regional Transition Council

Who: Special Ed Teachers & Administrators

What: The goals of the Regional Transition Council (RTC) are to act in an advisory capacity to develop effective transition planning. The overall strategies and information shared are designed to improve outcomes of employment, education, training, and independent living for students with disabilities who are transitioning into the adult world. The meeting provides information dissemination and facilitates networking.

When : 10/12 & 12/14 9:00 AM– 10:00 AM

Where: Virtual Events

Facilitator: State Support Team 4

Questions: Contact Crystal Bryski at cbryski@sst4.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Infinite Campus

Ad Hoc Reporting I

Who: District Staff

What: The purpose of this session is to provide an introduction to the basic fundamentals of Ad Hoc reporting in Infinite Campus. This training is intended for users who are new to the reporting tool. This session will focus on components within the Query Wizard like Student Filter Fields, Filter Parameters, and more.

When & Where: September 21, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM; Virtual Event

Cost: Cost is included in LGCA Member Support Agreement

Facilitator: Julie Combs, LGCA

Questions: Contact Julie at julie.combs@lgca.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Ad Hoc Reporting II

Who: District Staff

What: This training is intended for Ad Hoc users at the intermediate level. This session will guide you through commonly used Ad Hoc reports while diving deeper into Logical Expressions, Grouping & Aggregation, and more.

When & Where: October 19, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM; Virtual Event

Cost: Cost included in LGCA Member Support Agreement

Facilitator: Julie Combs, LGCA

Questions: Contact Julie at julie.combs@lgca.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Infinite Campus

Guidance Counselor Features

Who: District Staff

What: This training will cover features in the program that are applicable to those in the Guidance Office. These items will include Course/Section information with a focus on grading elements, Walk-in Scheduling, Transcripts, MYAP & more.

When & Where: August 19, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM; Virtual Event

Cost: Cost included in LGCA Member Support Agreement

Facilitator: Sue Vinborg, LGCA

Questions: Contact Sue Vinborg at sue.vinborg@lgca.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Custom Forms

Who: District Staff

What: The purpose of this training is to review how to create Custom Forms in Adobe, and how to upload those Forms into Infinite Campus. This session will also review how to assign Forms to students and initiate eSignature requests.

When & Where: November 16, 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM; Virtual Event

Cost: Cost included in LGCA Member Support Agreement

Facilitator: Julie Combs, LGCA

Questions: Contact Julie at julie.combs@lgca.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Infinite Campus

Grading Set-up & Processing for Elementary Schools

Who: District Staff

What: This training will cover Grading Tables, Grading set-up for Courses, controlling the Grading Window, grade changes, Report Card & Transcript design, as well as Transcript data in Infinite Campus.

When & Where: October 5, 12:00 PM - 2:30 PM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: Sue Vinborg, LGCA

Questions: Contact Sue at sue.vinborg@lgca.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Grading Set-up & Processing for Middle/High Schools

Who: District Staff

What: This training will cover Grading Tables, Grading set-up for Courses, controlling the Grading Window, grade changes, Report Card & Transcript design, as well as Transcript data in Infinite Campus.

When & Where: October 5, 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: Sue Vinborg, LGCA

Questions: Contact Sue at sue.vinborg@lgca.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)

Academic Planner: Tracking Graduation in MYAP

Who: District Staff

What: The purpose of this session is to review the tracking features within the Infinite Campus Multi-Year Academic Planner (MYAP) for graduation. This training will cover how to use the feature from the perspective of staff, students & parents.

When & Where: September 23, 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM; Virtual Event

Facilitator: Kim Adams, LGCA

Questions: Contact Kim Adams at kim.adams@lgca.org

Event Registration: [Register here](#)