

Weekly Update



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Summer Programming Survey

ESCWR Summer Transition Supports	<p>The ESCWR is working to prepare summer programming for students in our district to help with the loss of instructional time due to COVID-19. An interest survey has been sent separately, but a link to that survey is also below for your convenience. We welcome any input or suggestions to programming we can provide to assist our districts.</p> <p>District Survey</p>
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Literacy Support

Professional Learning	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Wednesday, May 6th at 3:00 PM ODE's LM Clinton and Kara Putinsky will be sharing information about the 2019-20 Third Grade Reading Guarantee. Registration for this free session is required. Click here to register <p>For any questions about either of these virtual meetings, please contact Tricia Ebner</p>
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SST Region 4

Office Hours	<p>(Invitations are sent via email-If you need a link to office hours reach out to SST4 contact listed below)</p> <p>Special Education</p> <p>Weekly - Monday @ 9:30</p> <p>Contact: Lori Pinchot</p> <p>Regional Literacy Weekly Reading Teachers</p> <p>Weekly - Monday @ 10:00 - 10:30</p> <p>Contact: Pamela Kennedy</p> <p>Regional Literacy Bi-weekly Curriculum Coaches and Administration</p> <p>Monday, May 4th @ 10:45 - 11:15</p> <p>Contact: Pamela Kennedy</p> <p>PBIS</p> <p>Weekly - Tuesday 11:00-12:00</p> <p>Contact: Carrie McClure</p>
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	<p>Early Childhood</p> <p>Weekly- Wednesday @ 10:00</p> <p>Contact: Teresa Brown</p> <p>School Psychologists</p> <p>Weekly – Wednesday @ 9:00</p> <p>Contact: Sonia Stevenson</p> <p>SST4 Virtual Regional Professional Development</p> <p>Check out the SST Website for more information.</p>
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High Schools

Gaitway High School	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gaitway High School continues to host virtual drop-in parent nights each Thursday evening from 6PM-6:45PM. We invite all of our current parents/guardians and district representatives who might have a question for the Gaitway High School staff. • Our students and staff gather each Friday for our virtual "End of the Week" meeting where we award two "Student of the Week" awards. Our two recipients for last week were: Sam S. of Newbury High School and Jacob W. from Kenston High School! Congratulations to Sam and Jacob for their hard work and dedication to online learning through Gaitway High School. • The Gaitway High School students meet up in a social skills group each Wednesday hosted by our wonderful school social worker Kathy Schmelzer! This week, students and staff played a game of "Social Coping Strategies". Our students had an engaging and enjoyable time playing this much needed game during our school closure.
The Lake Academy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We are continuing with distance education. Last week, parent/teacher conferences were held virtually, and it was successful. Additionally, student progress reports were sent to the district representatives.

Mental Health Support

Social Workers	The ESCWR Social Work Team continues to meet the social emotional needs of students as well as assist parents and
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teachers with resources to ease some of the stress and anxiety at home.

Here are a few more resources to share:

[Daily Brain Breaks](#)

[Flexible Thinking: Dealing with Change](#)

[Leisure Schedule Boards](#)