

# PGS UPDATES

Issue #1

Department of Professional Growth Systems Week of August 8th, 2022

#### Professional Learning Opportunities and Information

#### McREL2.0 Fall Cohort

10/15 Session 1 11/5 Session 2 12/3 Session 3 1/21 Session 4

Saturdays from 8:30 ~ 3:00 at O Brien MS. Sign up soon in MyPGS!

#### WASL Cohort Updates

WASL Application Dates Window Opens ~ 8/22 Applications Due ~ 9/9 Notifications ~ 9/30

Click here for more information.

#### In-Service Credit for Site-Based Learning Teams

Now that the new school year has begun, your sites are putting together teams to support your students – MTSS, SEL, Leadership, PBIS, plus many more. Or your site may want to engage in a book study as a team. Your participants can earn in-service credit if you have at least 7.5 hours of meeting time **outside of contract hours**. You must submit an application for these activities so that they can be posted in MyPGS. The in-service credit and professional learning hours will then appear on your MyPGS transcript. The in-service credit can be used for salary advancement, and the professional learning hours can be used for license renewal. Applications are available on our website: <a href="https://www.washoeschools.net/Page/508">https://www.washoeschools.net/Page/508</a>.

Novice Dean Collegial - Open to all newly hired deans for the 22-23 school year. Sign-up soon in MyPGS.

Facilitators – Amy Wright and Jay Culbert at Westergard Elementary from 4:00 – 6:15

Sept. 13<sup>th</sup> Oct. 11<sup>th</sup> Nov. 29<sup>th</sup>

Jan. 17<sup>th</sup> Feb. 28<sup>th</sup> Apr. 18<sup>th</sup>

May 16<sup>th</sup>

Novice AP Collegial - Open to all newly hired APs for the 22-23 school year. Sign-up soon in MyPGS.

Facilitators – Amy Wright and Nicholl Johnson at Sparks HS from 4:00 – 6:15

Sept. 19<sup>th</sup> Oct. 17<sup>th</sup> Nov. 14<sup>th</sup> Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup>

Feb. 27th Apr. 17th May 5th



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#### Leadership Pathway Project "LPP" and ESSER Reminders and Updates



- All deans and APs funded through ESSER are required to attend LPP professional learning throughout the school year. Additional coursework will be uploaded. Current courses include McREL, WASL, and AP and Dean Collegials. Additional opportunities will be communicated throughout the school year.
- All WCSD administrators are invited to participate in the LPP. Applications are available on our leadership development webpage: <a href="https://www.washoeschools.net/site/default.aspx?DomainID=187">https://www.washoeschools.net/site/default.aspx?DomainID=187</a>. Scroll to the bottom of the page. Applications are due Tuesday, Sept. 6th.

### Supervision and Evaluation 22-23 Cycle and SLOs

Updated calendars and resources available at on MyPGS within the resources tab: <a href="https://washoe.truenorthlogic.com/ia/empari/tab/Resources?ct=Resources.">https://washoe.truenorthlogic.com/ia/empari/tab/Resources?ct=Resources.</a>

Updated documents and guidance on SLOs for the 22-23 school year: https://www.washoeschools.net/Domain/228.

#### WCSD Leaders,

We wish you all a wonderful start to the school year! Please let us know how we can support you with SLOs, supervision and evaluation, professional learning, interns, ARL candidates, data analysis, teacher leader opportunities, the LPP, etc!



-Katie Louise Weir, Director of Professional Growth Systems, and the entire PGS team (\*\*)