

BOCES Curriculum and Instruction Council November 14, 2013

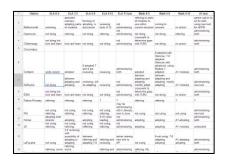
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Updates

- SED update Assessment slides
- Legislative Update
 - Several Assemblymembers will be holding a hearing on Monday, November 18,
 4:30-6:30p, at Baker High School in Baldwinsville
- Instructional Technology and Design (ITD)
 - o Check out the <u>website</u> for information about training, ITD TALKS, and more.
- Curriculum, Instruction & Assessment (CIA)
 - o Responsive Classroom <u>Level 2</u>: Dec 11
 - o Going Deeper into the Literacy Shifts: Text Complexity- Dec 12
 - Scaffolding for Student Outcomes: Meeting Needs of Diverse Learners- Dec 17
 - o Jan 14 and 15- Classroom Instruction that Works
 - o CCLS for SS Teachers 6-12: Jan 17
 - Next session of <u>PBL 101</u> Feb 3
- Teacher Centers
 - Received additional money this year. Regions of Teacher Centers will be collaborating to spend this money on groups of teachers reading and studying about an issue (they are calling these PLCs).
- Higher Education
 - No report
- CNY NYS ASCD (website)
 - The next meeting is December 10, 2013:" How To Talk (About Common Formative Assessments)"
 - More than 70 people attended the last meeting: "What's a PLC, Really"
- Since its introduction at the December BCIC meeting, 300 educators are using the new ISS app, BOCES IS, for iphones, iPad, or Android devices

Race To The Top

- Standards
 - Bill Daggett speaking Janaury 9, 2014, at Rodax 8, 3-6p. Superintendents have registration information. Each district has an alottment of slots.
 - Continue to update the <u>chart</u> that displays each district's plans for the modules and CC-aligned Regents exams
 - Work continues with <u>Digging Deeper into</u> <u>Algebra 1 Modules</u> Nov 21
 - Math Networking
 - K-2 is Dec 2

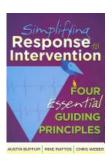


- o 3-5 is Dec 10
- o 6-8 is Dec 12
- Implementing Literacy Across Content K-12: Dec 5
- o ELA 3-8 Support South: Dec 17 and North: Dec 18
- o PLC Networking Group: Dec 19
- Support for Common Core Research was introduced
 - Regional training on October 25th is scheduled
 - Follow-up sessions will be scheduled
 - Web resources are being provided (research.ocmboces.org)
- Math Boot Camp
 - Friday night keynote address with Andrew Chen
 - Saturday grade level groups doing the math in their grade level and to spend time with Andrew Chen
 - Location: Central Square Middle School
 - Really Good Food!
 - o January 17 & 18, 2014
 - More info and registration <u>here</u>
 - Oswego/OCM BOCES/TC Joint Project
- Data-Driven Instruction
 - Mike Mattos is confirmed to be here on October 24, 201<u>4</u> as part of a "Turn your Rtl Upside-Down" event
 - SRC arena is reserved for 1,000 people
 - Minimal cost
 - The RSE-TASC is getting copies of his two Rtl books for each district – we might want to consider reading one or both and holding discussions prior to (or after) BCIC meetings like we have done in the past
 - Six shifts of DDI
 - o Resources
- Professional Practice (including APPR)
 - Make sure that all of your evaluators are getting their ongoing training as required by the APPR law
- Culture
 - BOCES has started to make arrangements for a PLCs at Work Institute in the summer of 2015
 - It will probably be another hybrid, but we are trying to host the real event (perhaps at the SRC Arena)

Other Business

- WCNY Enterprise America
 - Open House/Information Session/Guided <u>Tours</u> on December 11th at the new facility
 - o Please RSVP
- PBL^{NY} will occur August 5-7, 2014. Keynote speakers will include Yong Zhao, Sam Chaltain, and others.
- The School Law conference is set
 - July 31, 2014, at the Doubletree.







- o \$190 per person, aidable
- Strands for: Principals, Central Office Leadership, Business Officials, Labor Relations/Personnel, Special Education, and Boards of Education.

Assessment

- Regents Regional Scoring
 - Any district that wishes to participate (for January scoring) should indicate their intention by November 15th
- 3-8 Regional Assessment Planning and Preparation
 - We learned about another scoring vendor
 - Price information will come soon from the RIC
 - Please be ready to share your intention about 3-8 at the next BCIC meeting we will make this a focus of the meeting, learning what each other is planning and considering the impact on the scoring clusters

Future Meeting Planning

Is there a district that is willing to share a promising practice at a BCIC meting? Nothing too elaborate is required, just 10 minutes of explanation and some Q and A. Let Jeff know if you are willing. We need someone to go first!

The next BCIC meeting is December 19, 2013, in the Henry Large Conference Room. The major item on the agenda will be the 3-8 scoring conversation.

2014-2015 dates for BCIC have been set (all will be in Rodax 8 Large Conference Room):

September 11, 2014 October 9, 2014 November 13, 2014 December 11, 2014 January 8, 2015 February 12, 2015 March 12, 2015 April 9 or 16, 2015 May 14, 2015 June 11, 2015