

Elementary Principals Meeting Tuesday, February 24, 2015 <mark>9:00 – 10:30 am (change in starting time from previous years)</mark> Center Conference Room, Administration Building, Henry Campus

Agenda

Welcome and Introductions

Updates

• SED Update

Meeting Topics

• Revisiting Retention Research and practices

- Review the research
 - Hechinger Report
 - Is Retaining Students in the Early Grades Self-Defeating?
 - Resource <u>collection</u>
- Share practices
- Discussion

• Regional Vision and Project Based learning

- Innovation Tech is up and running
- We are looking for an alternative location for Tech High School Cortland
- <u>PBLNY 2015</u> is August 3-5, 2015, registration will go up this before the end of the month
- PBL 101 cohorts being added and there will be two during the summer (but not at PBLNY 2015)
- PBL 400 level courses are available scheduled

• Meeting Planning

- Should we try some elementary principals meeting for the southern part of the BOCES like we used to?
 - 11 Principals responded, better dates (I am not making this up):
 - March 3 better for 6 responders
 - March 9 better for 6 responders
 - March 11 better for 6 responders
 - March 16 better for 6 responders
 - Will try a meeting for the southern part of the BOCES on March 16th, 9a, in McEvoy 701.
- May meeting topic:
- Roundtable

Future meetings (and locations)

• Thursday, May 7, 2015