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## NC SIS Weekly Email Bulletin

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## CCES 2020 Registration is now Open!

[www.ncpublicschools.org/cces/](http://www.ncpublicschools.org/cces/)

**Register now for the CCES 2020 Conference! This year, we are excited to announce that credit card payments will be accepted!**

Early Bird Registration for the 2020 Connecting Communities of Education Stakeholders (CCES) is now open. Rates will increase February 29, 2020.

	Registration BEFORE February 29, 2020	Registration ON/AFTER February 29, 2020
1 Day only (Monday through Wednesday)	\$150	\$175
2 Days (Monday through Wednesday)	\$200	\$225
3 Days (Monday through Wednesday)	\$250	\$275
Post-Conference (Thursday)	\$75	\$100

All teachers, student services personnel, principals, superintendents, parents, school administrators, community and business representatives are invited. Our registration options provide flexibility for schools and districts. Visit the Registration Webpage for more information.

Registration Link: [bit.ly/CCES2020Registration](https://bit.ly/CCES2020Registration)

## Get Ready for the 3rd Round of Home Base Meet-Ups!

The third round of Home Base Meet-Ups for the 2019-20 school year is scheduled for Monday, February 24 through Thursday, February 27, 2020.

Don't miss this great opportunity to collaborate and network with your peers face-to-face. Live stream options for all products will be offered for those who cannot attend a face-to-face session.



For complete registration details, please link to the [February 2020 HBMU Invitation](#). Click on the [Home Base Meet-Up Registration](#) link to register, and visit the [Home Base Meet-Ups 2019-20 Schedule](#) for future meeting dates and locations.



## Make Plans to Celebrate #DLDay2020 Today!

### Spread the Word!

Digital Learning Day 2020 is February 27! Join thousands of educators and students to celebrate - Innovative! Every Classroom, Every Day!

Join teachers in classrooms across NC and the United States as we celebrate Digital Learning Day (#DLDay). No matter how big or small please plan to participate on February 27, and add your activity or event to the DLD map! We want to show the world how NC encourages innovative teachers to inspire incredible creativity in students across NC. Learn more at <https://digitallearningday.org/>!

## 2020-21 Master Course Code List



The 2020-2021 course codes are now available in PowerSchool and accessible for scheduling courses. The Master Course Code List can be viewed at <https://www.dpi.nc.gov/educators/home-base/powerschool-sis/courses>.

We apologize that the courses were not fully active on January 22 when the master list was released. For questions or concerns regarding course coding, please contact Brandon Young at [brandon.young@dpi.nc.gov](mailto:brandon.young@dpi.nc.gov).



## Important Reminders

### Exit Dates for No Show

NCDPI is finding that many public school units are using invalid exit dates for no-show students. Students who are considered no-shows for the 2019-2020 school year should have an entry/exit date that falls within the current year's term dates. Entering an entry/exit date as 6-30-19 instead of 7-1-19 or later, places the record in the previous school year. As a result, it will show the student as retained, which causes issues in several areas, including the RTA report and

ECATS.

Please correct any no-show records you have already entered using dates prior to 7/1/2019.

### **PowerSchool and vs75 or Earlier Chrome Browser Issues**

PowerSchool and NCDPI have found that using version 75 or earlier Chrome browsers adversely creates duplicate race codes in PowerSchool. PowerSchool ran a script to remove these duplicate records, but we are finding that more are being created daily.

Coordinators, please inform your data managers and others within your district of this issue and encourage them to either update their Chrome browser or use a different browser.

### **CRDC Reminder**

LEAs and schools are not required to run the PowerSchool CRDC Preview reports this school year. The federal submission period for the 2019/2020 school year data will begin in 2020/2021. The NC DPI and PowerSchool are currently working on improvements to the preview reports in preparation for the next collection. Please contact Terra Dominguez, [terra.dominguez@dpi.nc.gov](mailto:terra.dominguez@dpi.nc.gov), with any questions.



Greetings Learners!

It is with excitement that we announce upcoming Learning.com virtual professional learning opportunities. The webinar topics offered are based on feedback received from the Learning.com Needs Assessment Survey. Please visit <http://bit.ly/lcomspringpd2020> for the event invitation and registration links.

Participants may qualify for .1 CEU (equals to 1 hour of credit) for participating in the LIVE session of each webinar. We encourage you to share this invitation with your educators!

## NCWiseOwl Webinars

Four NCWiseOwl Gale Webinars are available. All webinars offer CEUs from GALE including full viewing of recorded webinars and alignment to the NC Digital Learning Competencies. Detailed descriptions for each webinar are located in the [NCWO Toolkit on the Professional Learning Page](#). Gale also houses [recorded webinars and registration](#) as a service for NC.



**AUDIENCE:** Teachers, Instructional Coaches, School Library Media, Instructional Technology, Other Certified Support Staff

- **18-Feb-2020 3:30-4:15 PM - [REGISTER](#) for Support STEM with your NCWiseOwl Gale Resources**
- **10-Mar-2020 7-7:45 PM - [REGISTER](#) for NCWiseOwl: Gale Resources and Tools for EL and SPED Students**
- **14-Apr-2020 3:30-4:15 PM - [REGISTER](#) for CTE and your Gale Resources from NCWiseOwl**



## NCEES Webinars

Mark your calendars for the upcoming NCEES webinars. All webinars will be recorded and posted to the Webinar Series document located on <http://bit.ly/ncees-support>. Click the titles below to register.

Please click the following link to review the full list: [NCEES 2019-2020 Webinars](#).

### UPCOMING WEBINARS:

#### 1. [New Assistant Principal NCEES Series 4](#)

**Note:** Participants only register 1 time for all 10 meetings included in the series.

**Description:** New assistant principals need consistent ongoing support. This New Assistant Principal NCEES Series will offer 10 meetings over the 2019-20 school year. Each meeting will address *timely topics* to support NCEES, ensuring fair and reliable practices for assistant principals to support teacher growth. This series will also focus on the growth and development of the AP using the NC School Executive Standards within the AP evaluation process.

An agenda outline for all 10 meetings has been developed. In addition, participants will have a [link to submit questions and ideas](#) for topics/ standards to be covered throughout the series. This participant driven agenda will provide relative professional development that is immediately applicable for leader success. A deeper study of the standards will be guided by the feedback survey. Also note: The agenda may change throughout the series depending on professional development needs of the participants.

[Link to agenda outline for all 10 meetings](#)

**Target Audience:** NEW Assistant Principals

**Remaining Dates:** February 25, March 31, April 28, May 26, June 16



Time: 4-5 p.m.



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## Need Technical Assistance?

**There are 3 ways to request PowerSchool support:**

1. CHAT: Chat support will be available for you through the PowerSchool Community at: [Launch Chat Support](#)
2. CASE: Submit a case via the PS PORTAL: <https://help.powerschool.com/>
3. CALL: **1-855-339-4790 (This is a dedicated NC Support line.)**

\*Please ensure you are dialing the dedicated NC line when contacting support via phone.

\*\* If you are reporting an outage or performance issue (P0 or P1), please CALL or use CHAT. This ensures immediate attention by PowerSchool support.

\*\*\*For all other Home Base support needs (*Schoolnet, NCEES/Unified Talent, IAM/SSO (NCEdCloud), Staff & Student UID (eScholar)*) contact the Home Base Support Center via web: [https://ncgov.service-now.com/sp\\_dpi](https://ncgov.service-now.com/sp_dpi) (24/7), or phone (919) 716-1840 (Monday - Friday, 7 a.m. to 4 p.m.).

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Remember to visit the [NC SIS website](#) for additional information including webinars and training documentation. Follow us on twitter [@NCHomeBase](#).

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