NC SIS Weekly Email Bulletin

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DIT Patching

The NC Department of Information Technology (DIT) will be performing monthly Linux patching, including the UID System servers, this Sunday, February 24, 2019, between 4:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. The Staff and Student UID systems will be unavailable during this time. Therefore, please do not enroll, transfer and/or update student demographic information in PowerSchool during this period.
CCES Conference

The Connecting Communities of Education Stakeholders Conference is less than a month away! This conference aims to provide support staff with professional learning and resources for the daily operations and needs of school communities.

Check out some of the Home Base sessions offered!

PowerSchool Sessions
- **TR and TR7 codes** - Demonstrates how the T code is written automatically.
- **Getting Through the Day... Step-by-Step!** - Participants will receive step-by-step instructions for daily tasks such as: entry and withdrawal of students, daily attendance and report card processes. Participants will also have access to quick reference checklists for entry/withdrawal.
- **System Administrator: Security Settings** - Securing your PowerSchool system should be at the top of your to-do list. Begin by learning how to establish security groups and user access roles to define overall security access.

Schoolnet Sessions
- **The Basic Ins and Outs of School Net Manual Test Building** - Participants will learn the basics of Schoolnet and learn how to develop a Manual Test.
- **Schoolnet: The Recipe for PEPs and IEPs** - In this session, the presenter will show teachers how to find data in Schoolnet to be used in IEP and PEP meetings. Come on out to learn about a "recipe for student success!"
- **Creating and Monitoring Schoolnet Assessments** - Join us as we work through developing a Schoolnet pre-assessment to match a unit, analyzing the data from the assessment, grouping students and developing appropriate leveled assignments based on the identified groups.

Unified Talent (NCEES) Sessions
- **Generational Diversity** - This session focuses on how to capitalize on Millennials and Gen-Xers’ strengths.
- **Coaching Teachers Using Teacher-Led Conferences** - It’s time to rethink the way we conduct coaching conversations with teachers for improvement. Teacher-Led Conferences will minimize the burden on administrators and provide richer more relevant feedback opportunities to support growth for teachers.
- **Understanding the Teacher Evaluation Rubric** - This workshop will use a hands-on approach to confront the complexity of Teacher Evaluation Rubric and Process expectations, and consider ways the structure of the Teacher Evaluation Rubric supports teacher growth and improvement.

For more information on sessions offered, visit the [2019 CCES Sessions Details](#). For registration details, visit the Participant Registration page on the [CCES website](#). If you have questions pertaining to the conference contact the CCES committee at [cces@dpi.nc.gov](mailto:cces@dpi.nc.gov).
PowerSchool Coordinators Monthly Update

The next PowerSchool Coordinators Monthly Update will be held Thursday, March 7 from 3-4 p.m. Please register at https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/7003116505364241923. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information on how to join the webinar.

NCEES Training Webinars!

Please click here to review the full list: http://bit.ly/18-19NCEES_Webinar_Series

Evaluators of Principals! Don’t miss out on this 4-part Webinar Series exploring the Principal evaluation process and rubric. To view Part 1 and Part 2, click on the titles below:

- Part 1: “Understanding the Foundation of the Standards and the Evaluation Process for Principals”
- Part 2: "School Executive Standards 1-3"

Register now for these upcoming sessions:

- Part 3: School Executive Standards 4-7  Tuesday, March 5, 2019
- Part 4: Feedback Conversations Tuesday, March 26, 2019

Principals, did you miss “Addressing Misconceptions Using the NC Evaluation Process for Teachers”? Click the title to view this very informative session presented by Kimberly Simmons, NCDPI Educator.

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