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Courtesy Reminder: Calendar Changes

Many of our NC public schools were compelled to close due to this week's inclement weather. As a courtesy reminder to our LEA and charter partners that may need to make up school days, please review and forward to the appropriate staff the document, [Calendar Change Process.pdf](#). It includes instructions on how to adjust your school calendar during the school year to account

for missed school days.

This process involves updates made by the LEA and NCDPI. **Therefore, once your updates are complete, submit a ticket to the [NCDPI Technology Support Center](#) to notify us that you are ready for NCDPI to complete their part of the calendar update process.**

CCES Early Bird Registration

[Early Bird Registration](#) for the 2018 Connecting Communities of Education Stakeholders Conference ends in less than two weeks. Register now and save!

The conference is scheduled for March 11-15 at the Sheraton Greensboro at Four Seasons Koury Convention Center. **Daily registration rates are offered** to better accommodate individual stakeholder needs.



CONFERENCE REGISTRATION RATES		
	RATES BEFORE FEBRUARY 1, 2018	RATES ON/AFTER FEBRUARY 1, 2018
1 day only	\$100.00	\$125.00
Any 2 days (Monday thru Wednesday)	\$175.00	\$200.00
3 days (Monday thru Wednesday)	\$250.00	\$275.00
Post-Conference (Thursday)	\$75.00	\$100.00

Please email cces@dpi.nc.gov if you encounter any registration problems.



CCES PowerTeacher Pro Sessions

Come check out PowerTeacher Pro sessions offered for Administrators and Teachers at the Connecting Communities of Education Stakeholders Conference (CCES)!

PowerTeacher Pro sessions for Administrators are designed for LEA coordinators to learn how to implement PowerTeacher Pro and explore how to create district-level calculation formulas and assignment categories for teachers. Administrators will also learn how to set up grading preferences for both standards-based and traditional grading.

PowerTeacher Pro for Teachers is designed for district/school administrators and teachers to explore the new HTML-based gradebook and its advanced features for both standards-based and traditional grading. Additionally, participants will learn how to set up default preferences, create assignment categories, work with assignments, analyze individual student performance, and run reports included in the gradebook.

A Message from the Technology Support Center

The Technology Support Center thanks all our LEA and charter school partners who shared their feedback in our survey conducted last month.



The majority of you communicated that you were "satisfied" to "very satisfied" with the knowledge and professionalism of our support analysts, and the overall service received from the support center. Many of you also shared that you were not satisfied with the amount of time it takes for us to respond/resolve your requests for support.

We appreciate your feedback and dedicate ourselves to work even harder in the new year to improve our service so that we exceed all your expectations.



NC SIS Training Calendar

Spring is almost here, and the Home Base Training Team has prepared webinars designed to meet your school business needs. Remember to visit the [NC SIS Training Calendar](#) frequently for training updates.

Hands-on training sessions will be held at the NC Department of Public Instruction, 301 N. Wilmington Street, Room 564, Raleigh, NC, unless stated otherwise. Click [HERE](#) for directions to NCDPI and parking information. All attendees must be an employee of the NC Public School System to participate. Management companies are not permitted to attend.

Registration links are provided below. Please try to register early for workshops due to space limitations.

Note: All registration information is subject to the North Carolina Public Records Law.

Upcoming Webinars

PowerSchool Pre-Scheduling Q & A Webinar

This webinar will not contain any presentation. It will be an open forum for attendees to ask their scheduling questions to a panel of DPI staff members. The intended audience for this webinar is LEA coordinators, data managers, and counselors.

Date: January 25, 2018

Time: 10 a.m. - 11 a.m.

Registration:

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6274018244054603265>

Date: February 1, 2018

Time: 10 a.m. - 11 a.m.

Registration:

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/7517205255255375105>

Date: February 7, 2018

Time: 2 p.m. - 3 p.m.

Registration:

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/8460696183049974273>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

**Please note all registration information is subject to North Carolina Public Records Law.

Remember to visit the [NC SIS website](#) for additional information including webinars and training documentation.

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