

Elementary PA Day -September 5, 2023

All Professional Activity will be completed in-person in schools

Topic, Content, Resources	Presenters	Description
Welcome and Introductions	School Admin	Welcome and introductions of new staff
Mental Health <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - supporting mental health needs - referral processes - pedagogy - Slide Deck 	School Administrators and LPS Mental Health Lead	<i>Mental Health Literacy Foundations</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Foundational information about mental health literacy - Relationship between mental health and mental illness - Resources to support mental health literacy <i>Identity-affirming school mental health</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What is identity-affirming school mental health? - Why is it important? - Understanding cultural humility <i>Teaching Mental Health Literacy</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What is mental health literacy - Why teaching about mental health is important - Resource to support you in teaching about mental health literacy
Safe Schools and Violence in the Workplace <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Slide Deck 	School Administrators and LPS Safe Schools Team	<i>Building a Positive School Culture slide deck</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Use protocols to develop an understanding of developing a positive and safe school culture. - Work with staff to create common expectations and language to use with all students. Direction for collecting student voice. - Preparation to re-launch Restorative Practices
Operational Items	School Admin	- Handbook, schedules, attendance support, routines, etc.
Student Achievement Priorities Planning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Identify school needs based on previous data - Prioritize student and staff learning needs - Building a Positive Class Culture 	School Administrators and School Achievement Team	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Use previous data (EQAO, attendance, RC marks, suspension rates) to identify areas of focus for 23-24 - Goal setting (identify measures) - Share system supports and program priorities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o DLF areas of focus o Math priority schools o Math training o Voluntary Acadience training o Indigenous education - Resources discussion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Literacy o Mathematics o Digital resources (Knowledgehook, MathFactLab, Various Teams) - Building a positive Class Culture <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Student Engagement and Identity in Elementary Schools monograph o Comprehensive Math Plan and Comprehensive Approach to Structured Literacy Instruction (Classroom Community sections)