

MAY 15 PRO D DAY – LSS WORKSHOPS

Exploring the Impact of Primary Disabilities in Online Learning

This workshop is being offered twice. Click on the desired time to register: [9:00-9:45](#) OR [10:00-10:45](#)

Students come to us with a variety of exceptionalities and various levels of need. This workshop will give an overview of what primary disabilities are and how those may impact our learners in either a school or online setting. After this session, participants can use their knowledge of primary disabilities to shape their approach when supporting student learning.

Host: Tyler Yost Audience: All Staff

Anyone Can Draw - Directed Drawing repeat 9:00-9:45

Directed drawing is an easy, step-by-step approach to drawing. This session will focus on how to do this in a virtual session and how to use directed drawing to enhance language, vocabulary, and pre-academic skills.

Host: Angela Montgomery Audience: All Staff

Day Camp – OHS and Communication Training 9:00-10:00

The training will focus on how to communicate with students and staff (non-violent crisis interventions) along with some health and safety discussions.

Host: Megan Little & Manveer Khangura Audience: Day Camp Staff

Weekly Learning Buffets 10:00-11:00

In this session, you will learn to create at-home learning buffets for your most complex learners. Learning buffets include a wide variety of activities and skills, and prioritize student and family choice.

Host: Angela Montgomery Audience: All Staff

No-Tech Tools to Support Student Behaviour 10:00-11:30

This virtual workshop explores tech and no-tech tools to support student behaviour. We will present information as well as facilitate discussion among attendees who can share their wealth of knowledge. iOS apps and digital tools that may be highlighted include Padlet, go noodle, 360 Thinking App and apps that may help to promote calming and self-regulation.

Host: SET-BC Audience: All Staff

Anxiety in the Classroom 10:00-12:00

Anxiety can affect people of all ages. In the classroom it can affect student's emotions, behaviours, and ability to learn. In this workshop we will discuss what anxiety can look like, specifically in the school setting, and some strategies you can implement to promote coping and learning.

Host: Mental Health Clinicians Audience: All Staff

Q & A Period for Level B Testing 11:00-12:00

Ask any and all questions related to Level B assessment and interpretation.

Host: School Psychologists Audience: School LSS Staff

EA Conversations – Online Edition 11:00-12:00

EAs, please join this online session to engage in discussions and share resources to support the online learning of our K-5 students.

Host: Jerry Loepky Audience: Elementary EAs

Psychotropic Medication for Children & Adolescents – The Dark Art 11:00-12:30

The world of psychotropic medication can be confusing and challenging to educators. Understanding what medications students are taking and why, as well as possible side effects, can bring a new level of skill and empathy into the student/teacher relationship.

Host: Mental Health Clinicians Audience: Counsellors and Teachers

EASE (Everyday Anxiety Strategies for Educators) Home Edition 1:00-2:00

BC Ministry of Family Development has created a home edition of EASE. This resource of strategies that parents/educators can utilize at home to help with anxiety and build resiliency. In this 1 hour workshop you will explore and practice some of the strategies of the Home Editions. This workshop will be experiential.

Host: Adriana Belsher & Leslie Carter Audience: K-7 Classroom Teachers

Incremental Rehearsal 1:00-2:00

Incremental Rehearsal is an evidence based intervention for memorization of letter sounds, sight words, math facts and general information. Can be done at home or with EAs.

Host: School Psychologists Audience: School LSS Staff

Digital Tools to Support the Thinking Classroom 1:00-2:30

This professional development opportunity provides an overview of digital tools that support Universal Design for Learning. It also provides opportunities for discussion of strategies to foster meaningful inclusion for all students. Participants will be provided with resources and implementation strategies to support their teaching practices. Digital tools that may be highlighted include Padlet, Popplet, Flipgrid, GoNoodle, OneNote, and MSForms.

Host: School Psychologists Audience: All Staff

For pro d on other days and self-paced professional development opportunities, visit the [LSS Website](#).