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### **MEMORANDUM NO. 2016-024**

**TO:** School District Superintendents

FROM: Brent Young, Chief Policy Officer

**DATE**: February 16, 2016

**SUBJECT**: Phase II Assessment Literacy PD

# REGISTRATION FOR PHASE II ASSESSMENT LITERACY NOW OPEN

The Wyoming Department of Education is offering Phase II Assessment Literacy professional development (PD), provided by Jan Hoegh of Marzano Research, LLC. In 2015, The WDE provided 14 two-day assessment literacy and formative assessment PD opportunities throughout the state. Approximately 1,000 educators took advantage of the PD, and the response was overwhelmingly positive.

Phase II begins in March. The first two-day session is a repeat of the foundational work provided last year. The rest of the sessions are divided by grade level and content areas, and districts and/or schools are encouraged to bring teams to participate in the hands on development of proficiency scales.

Registration is now open. There is no cost to attend, and lunch is provided. Participation is limited to the first 100 registrants for each session. To register, go to: http://goo.gl/forms/qS7irxxKvO.

DATE	LOCATION	SESSION TITLE
March 29-30	Parkway Plaza, Casper	Repeat - Assessment Literacy & Formative Assessment
April 12	Holiday Inn, Riverton	Assessment Development For Elementary Educators
April 13	Holiday Inn, Riverton	Assessment Development For Secondary Educators

DATE	LOCATION	SESSION TITLE
April 26	District Office, Green River	Ela/Social Studies Assessment Development
April 27	District Office, Green River	Math/Science/Stem/Cte Assessment Development
May 2	Holiday Inn, Sheridan	Ela/Social Studies Assessment Development
May 3	Holiday Inn, Sheridan	Math/Science/Stem/Cte Assessment Development
May 4	Ramkota Inn, Casper	Performance-Based Assessment Development
May 5	Holiday Inn, Cheyenne	Performance-Based Assessment Development

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