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MEMORANDUM TO SUPERINTENDENTS NO. 2013-001

TO: School District Superintendents
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SUBJECT: Second Annual Digital Learning Day

INFORMATION TO SHARE

Wyoming's Second Annual Digital Learning Day, February 6, 2013

The Wyoming Department of Education, in partnership with the Alliance for Excellent Education, is pleased to announce its participation in the second annual Digital Learning Day campaign. This national campaign is designed to celebrate innovative teaching and highlight practices that make learning more personalized and engaging for students, exploring how digital learning can provide all students with the opportunities they deserve—to build the skills needed to succeed in college, a career, and life. Through this work and by hosting a Digital Learning Day on February 6, 2013, Wyoming strives to build momentum for a wave of innovation that changes policies, shifts attitudes, and supports wide-scale adoption of these promising instructional practices.

Who should attend or present? All education stakeholders—district and school administrators, schools, teachers, students, librarians, parents, and business and community partners—are encouraged to register to support and participate in Digital Learning Day. District(s), school(s), teacher(s), libraries and community programs that are using innovative technologies to make a difference for students are invited to present and showcase how using digital media improves teaching and learning and makes a difference for students.

How will the Digital Learning Day be presented? Wyoming's Digital Learning Day will consist of multiple 45 minute webinars starting at 4pm, February 6th. By signing up now, you will reserve a seat to attend Wyoming's webinar presentations. A national town hall meeting will also be held to highlight and celebrate participants across the nation. To learn more about how to be a part of this national groundbreaking event, visit <http://www.digitallearningday.org>.

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How do I sign up? Participants can register as an attendee or presenter by completing a short online form:

<http://www.wyomingswitchboard.net/WyoDL.aspx>

The campaign is a movement that will help provide a quality education for every child. Change is up to you; please help build this wave for innovation, personalized learning, and great teaching by participating in the Digital Learning Day campaign effort.

How do I get more information? Please contact Lachelle Brant, 777-3679 or Scott Bullock, 777-7418, Distance Education Consultants, Wyoming Department of Education if you are interested in presenting on February 6th or if you have questions.

You can also “like” Digital Learning Day on Facebook at <http://www.facebook.com/NationalDigitalLearningDay> and follow the discussion on Twitter using the hashtag #DLDDay.

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