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TO: School District Superintendents
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FROM: Dicky Shanor, Chief of Staff

DATE: August 19, 2019

SUBJECT: 2019 Back-to-School Toolkit

2019 BACK-TO-SCHOOL TOOLKIT

The Wyoming Department of Education has updated the Back-to-School Toolkit for the 2019-20 school year. The toolkit provides basic information and updates about education in Wyoming. These resources can be shared freely with staff, students, parents, and community members.

New additions to the toolkit include a WY-ALT FAQ, cut score information for WY-TOPP and WY-ALT, and an update to PTSB Teacher Certification for computer science. The 2019 Wyoming Education Snapshot will be added to the toolkit in September, following the release of assessment data.

The 2019 toolkit includes:

- [Accountability FAQ](#)
 - [ESSA in Wyoming Fact Sheet](#)
- [Assessment FAQ](#)
 - [WY-TOPP FAQ for Parents](#)
 - [WY-TOPP FAQ for Teachers](#)
 - [WY-TOPP Cut Scores](#)
 - [WY-ALT FAQ](#)
 - [WY-ALT Cut Scores](#)
- [Standards FAQ](#)
- [Computer Science Statutory Changes](#)
 - [PTSB Teacher Certification Update](#)
 - [Parent Flyer](#)
 - [Student Flyer](#)
- [Hathaway FAQ](#)

- [Hathaway logos](#)
- [A list of education acronyms](#)

The full toolkit is also available at edu.wyoming.gov/toolkit.

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