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**SUBJECT:** Plan A School Counselor Professional Development Days

## PLAN A SCHOOL COUNSELOR PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAYS

State Superintendent of Public Instruction Jillian Balow has said that career and technical education is not a Plan B, but a Plan A. To that end, the Wyoming Department of Education's Career and Technical Education Team will offer a K-14 school counselor professional development day from 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. in five communities in October. The development day will offer Hathaway scholarship updates and changes, information about the additional career and technical education state funding for concentrators, and Perkins V funding for career exploration in grades 5-8. Each day will include a panel discussion moderated by the local Chamber of Commerce director and presentations by local business and industry professionals.

- October 14 in Cheyenne at LCCC.
- October 15 in Rock Springs at WWCC.
- October 16 in Thermopolis at Big Horn Savings & Loan.
- October 17 in Casper at the Pathways Innovation Center.
- October 18 in Gillette at the Gillette College Tech Center.

Register [here](#).

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