MEMORANDUM NO. 2019-114

TO: School District Superintendents
    Principals
    Teachers
    Curriculum Coordinators
    Career and Technical Education Coordinators
    Assessment Coordinators
    Special Education Directors

FROM: Shelley Hamel, Chief Academic Officer

DATE: September 30, 2019

SUBJECT: Open Range Wyoming Launch

OPEN RANGE WYOMING LAUNCH

The Wyoming Department of Education (WDE) will launch Open Range Wyoming, an Open Education Resources (OERs) web platform on September 30, 2019. The Open Range Wyoming platform is dedicated to developing and sharing OERs from around the state and the world. Watch this video for a quick tour of the site and additional information.

OERs are resources that are freely available online for everyone to use. OERs include full courses, course materials, modules, textbooks, streaming videos, tests, software, and any other tools, materials, or techniques used to support access to knowledge. The resources developed and shared to Open Range Wyoming will be aligned to Wyoming Content and Performance Standards and will be added to the platform hosted on OER Commons.

To find out more about all the site has to offer, visit the Open Range Wyoming hub on OER Commons and consider distributing this flyer to staff.

For more information, contact Alisa Cook at 307-777-3679 or alisa.cook1@wyo.gov or visit WDE Open Educational Resources.