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TO: Superintendents

Curriculum Directors

Virtual Education Coordinators

Principals

FROM: Kari Eakins, Chief Policy Officer

DATE: July 20, 2020

SUBJECT: Digital Teaching and Learning Workshop

UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING – DIGITAL TEACHING AND LEARNING WORKSHOP

To support districts with the increased use of online learning this school year, the University of Wyoming has developed a virtual Digital Teaching and Learning (DTL) Workshop. Digital teaching and learning encompasses instructional practices that effectively use technology to strengthen teaching and learning experiences through best practices in pedagogy in online, hybrid, and face to face environments.

This five-day virtual train-the-trainer workshop contains asynchronous and synchronous elements that both model and engage educators in best practices for digital teaching and learning as they work through designing or redesigning courses. There will be three, 1.5-hour synchronous sessions throughout the week that the educator must be available to attend. Each district is allowed to register one educator for the workshop. That educator will then be equipped to take the knowledge and skills learned through the DTL Workshop back to their districts to train other educators in the content and concepts learned. This training would qualify for the virtual education professional development requirements.

Workshop Dates:

Session 1: August 3 - 7 Session 2: August 10 - 14 Session 3: August 17 - 21

Educators can register for the workshop <u>here</u>.



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