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MEMORANDUM NO. 2022–111

TO: School District Superintendents
WISE Coordinators
High School Counselors
High School Principals

FROM: Trent Carroll, Chief Operations Officer

DATE: September 12, 2022

SUBJECT: WDE Seeking High School Counselor Feedback

WDE SEEKS INPUT ON HATHAWAY SUBJECT AREA DATA COLLECTION

The Wyoming Department of Education (WDE) school accountability system measures school performance based on student performance indicators. One of the tenets of a successful school accountability system is the ability to have transparent and verifiable indicators. The Hathaway Scholarship Level is used in the WAEA College and Career Readiness indicator calculation and the ESSA Post Secondary Readiness indicator calculation for traditional and alternative high schools. The WDE collects the Hathaway Scholarship levels on the WDE950 Graduated Student Transcript data collection, but has had no way to verify the reported data is accurate.

To internally calculate and verify reported Hathaway Scholarship levels, the WDE wants to start collecting Hathaway Scholarship subject codes at the student course level, and is seeking feedback from high school counselors to learn more about their processes.

The WDE has scheduled two separate meetings on Thursday, September 15, 2022.

- From 1:30-3 p.m., Infinite Campus User's Meeting.
- From 3-4:30 p.m., PowerSchool User's Meeting.

Register [here](#). Users must register with their work email address, and a link to the Zoom meeting will be sent out a few hours before the event. Sessions will be recorded and sent after the meeting has concluded.

For more information about the Hathaway Program, contact Brad Barker, Hathaway Scholarship Consultant, at 307-777-6226 or bradley.barker@wyo.gov.

For more information about Hathaway Subject Code Project, contact Susan Williams, Data Collection and Reporting Supervisor, at 307-777-6252 or susan.williams@wyo.gov.