

# Full Steam Ahead into the 2022-2023 School Year

July 20, 2022 Last Edition

We are so excited for a new school year to begin! The District team met on July 20th to check for progress on the reconfiguration. Overall, the team feels we are full steam ahead to be on target.



## Math Curriculum Work:

- ☐ Math curriculum work will take place on August 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 8th. (8:00-2:00)
- ☐ Location: Central Office Training Room
- ☐ One teacher per grade level from each school will work during this week.
- ☐ Teachers who complete curriculum work will receive a stipend.

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## ELA Curriculum Work:

- ☐ You can gain access to the new curriculum maps and pacing guides on the curriculum map shared drive. [Curriculum Map Shared Drive](#)
- ☐ The PLC process will be used throughout the year to finish and make adjustments to curriculum maps.

## Amplify and Bridges Professional Development:

- ☐ Amplify Training August 11th
  - ☐ Location 3-5 West Irvine
  - ☐ Location K-2 Estill Springs
- ☐ Amplify Training November 8th (Half Day-This is a TE day and everyone will be required to be there for a full day.)
  - ☐ Location 3-5 Estill Springs (12:00-3:00)
  - ☐ Location K-2 West Irvine (8:00-11:00)
- ☐ Amplify Coaching Support
  - ☐ September 26th
- ☐ Bridges Training August 1st & August 2nd Training will begin promptly at 8:30- 3:30 each day.
  - ☐ Location K-2 West Irvine
  - ☐ Location 3-5 Estill Springs

## Professional Development Stipend:

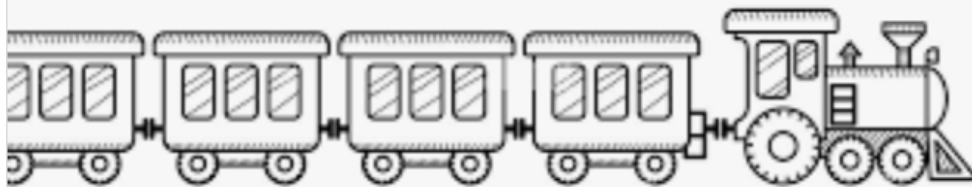
- ☐ Due to CCI, Amplify, and Bridges many staff members will have worked beyond their 4 allotted PD days.
- ☐ Teachers who have completed 4 days of PD prior to August 2nd will be compensated for 2 additional PD days. These days would be August 2nd and August 11th.
- ☐ Teachers who have completed 4 days prior to August 11th will be compensated for 1 additional PD day. This day will be August 11th.
- ☐ Teachers will be required to turn in a PD log with their timesheet on August 11th. This log should reflect the number of PD days they have attended this summer. Principals will approve PD logs and sign off on additional PD days.
- ☐ All PD logs and timesheets should be turned in by end of day August 11th to Charlotte O'Bryan.
- ☐ Teachers should expect this pay in September.

*You must work in person on these days to receive PD stipends*

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### Curriculum Materials:

- ☐ Amplify:
  - ☐ Amplify materials have been ordered.
  - ☐ Amplify is experiencing some delays in shipping. We have requested they send us an approximate date for shipment arrival.
  - ☐ Amplify free trial codes will be sent this week so that we can access materials while we are waiting for school wide online access.
- ☐ Bridges:
  - ☐ Bridges materials have all arrived and should be in each classroom.
  - ☐ Bridges Intervention Kits should be delivered soon.

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### Technology Standards:

- ☐ On July 24th elementary technology teachers worked on creating a curriculum plan for the 2022-2023 school year.
- ☐ Student evidence must be collected throughout the school year for each technology standard indicator.
- ☐ Technology teachers will cover a majority of the standards and collect evidence.
- ☐ Classroom teachers will be expected to utilize the technology standards within their regular instruction when they naturally fit into classroom instruction. Teachers should send any evidence collected to the technology teachers at their school.
- ☐ Technology standard information will be provided throughout the school year.
- ☐ Technology Standards: [https://education.ky.gov/curriculum/standards/kyacadstand/Documents/KAS\\_Technology.pdf](https://education.ky.gov/curriculum/standards/kyacadstand/Documents/KAS_Technology.pdf)

*Reminder: All technology, music, and PE teachers are required to spend 80% of their time working with students in their content area.*

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### Classroom Access:

- ☐ Contact your principals to determine if you are able to have access to your classroom.

### School Day:

- ☐ 8:05-3:05
- ☐ See teacher handbook for staff workday hours.

### Technology:

- ☐ Interactive Boards have been installed in all buildings with the exception of Estill Springs.
- ☐ Estill Spring's Interactive Boards nearly all are installed at this time.
- ☐ Professional development links should have been sent via email.
- ☐ Grant funding for Mac Lab and teacher training has been awarded. Information to follow.

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### Furniture:

- ☐ Furniture has been ordered for Estill Springs Elementary.
- ☐ At this time there is no need for new furniture at West Irvine Elementary.

### Library:

- ☐ West Irvine expected delivery date for new library books: July 25th
- ☐ Estill Springs expected delivery date for new library books: August 8th

### Kindergarten:

- ☐ Kindergarten camp was held at West Irvine July 14th.
- ☐ Kindergarten camp will be held at Estill Springs August 2nd from 5:00pm-7:00pm
- ☐ West Irvine and Estill Springs FRC are working together to get students registered for kindergarten by completing home visits.

**School Supplies:**

- ☐ Both schools have published a supply list for student needs.
- ☐ Any family experiencing financial hardship can reach out to our FRYSC office and will receive any school supplies needed to be prepared for this school year.
- ☐ All students that ask for supplies from their FRYSC should be granted the supplies they need with no questions asked.