



Fayette County Public Schools

PROFESSIONAL LEAVE BY DISTRICT PERSONNEL PLANNING MEETING - MAY 6, 2024

Post Approval Request	Staff Member(s)	Location	Substitute	Funding Source(s)	Total Cost
Professional Activity: Recruitment Trip-Puerto Rico	Jessica Sanchez	John D Price	NO	Gen Fund/Migrant	\$5,600.00
Location: San Juan, PR	Rose Santiago	John D Price	NO	Gen Fund/Migrant	\$5,600.00
Dates: April 10-14, 2024					
Work Days: 3					
Purpose: To recruit bilingual teachers, paras and classified staff to meet the need of our diverse student population.					
Post Approval Rationale: Previously submitted: needed date revision - To recruit bilingual teachers, paras and classified staff.					
Professional Activity: National Chinese Language Conference	Yue Hu	Frederick Douglass High	YES	Outside/Third Party	\$1,639.00
Location: Mountain View, CA	Yanhong Zheng	Millcreek Elem	YES	Outside/Third Party	
Dates: May 1-5, 2024					
Work Days: 3					
Purpose: To share new ideals and best practices in the field of chinese language in teaching.					
Post Approval Rationale: Late submission from the school.					
Professional Activity: Health Promoting Schools Committee Meeting	Michelle Coker	John D Price	NO	Outside/Third Party	\$370.00
Location: Bowling Green, KY	Gwendolyn Medley	John D Price	NO	Outside/Third Party	\$370.00
Dates: May 2-3, 2024					
Work Days: 1					
Purpose: To meet and network with Kentucky and Tennessee members.					
Post Approval Rationale: Late submission from Food Services.					
Professional Activity: Ford's Theater National Oratory Fellows	Daniel Parks	Meadowthorpe Elem	YES	Outside/Third Party	\$1,820.00
Location: Washington, DC					
Dates: May 3-7, 2024					
Work Days: 3					
Purpose: To continue training in the art of oratory through the Ford's Theatre.					
Post Approval Rationale: Late submission from the school.					
Professional Activity: Bilingual, Immigrants, Refugee, Educating Directors	Rose Santiago	John D Price	NO	Gen Fund/Migrant	\$3,550.00
Location: Minneapolis, MN	Jessica Sanchez	John D Price	NO	Gen Fund/Migrant	\$3,550.00
Dates: May 5-11, 2024					
Work Days: 6					
Purpose: To learn about bilingual, immigrants and refugee cultures and to explore strategies to support students and families that fall in these categories.					
Post Approval Rationale: Late submission from the Multilingual and Gifted and Talented Services.					
Professional Leave Request	Staff Member(s)	Location	Substitute	Funding Source(s)	Total Cost
Professional Activity: Relay: Observation and Feedback Workshop	James McMillin	John D Price	NO	Gen Fund/High School Chiefs	\$2,410.00
Location: New York, NY					
Dates: May 8-9, 2024					
Work Days: 2					

	Purpose: To attend a training focused on the most effective ways to coach every teacher to improve student learning by utilizing the four keys to effective observation and feedback.					
Professional	Kentucky Association of School Business Officials	Danette Land	John D Price	NO	Gen Fund/Budget Dept	\$1,073.00
Activity:	Spring 2024 Conference	Jessica Williams	John D Price	NO	Gen Fund/Budget Dept	\$1,073.00
Location:	Louisville, KY	Piper Lewis	John D Price	NO	Gen Fund/Budget Dept	\$1,073.00
Dates:	May 8-10, 2024	Janine Zombek	John D Price	NO	Title I	\$1,200.00
Work Days:	3					
Purpose:	To learn best practices in school business officials financial training.					
Professional	Relay: Observation and Feedback Workshop	Darius Adamson	John D Price	NO	Gen Fund/School Leadership	\$2,600.00
Activity:		Jordan Yates	Tates Creek High	YES	Title I	\$3,000.00
Location:	New York, NY					
Dates:	May 8-10, 2024					
Work Days:	3					
Purpose:	To attend a training focused on the most effective ways to coach every teacher to improve student learning by utilizing the four keys to effective observation and feedback.					
Professional	2024 Community Schools and Family Engagement Summit	Nicole Markle	John D Price	NO	Gen Fund/Public Engagement	\$2,225.00
Activity:						
Location:	Atlanta, GA					
Dates:	May 28-31, 2024					
Work Days:	4					
Purpose:	To bring together people from across the country who believe all children deserve a safe place to live and opportunities to learn and thrive.					
Professional	Professional Learning Communities at Work Institute	Meredith Bordas	Tates Creek High	NO	Title II	\$2,384.00
Activity:		Margaret Claus	Tates Creek High	NO	Title II	\$2,384.00
Location:	Vegas, NV	Megan Suttles	Tates Creek High	NO	Title II	\$2,384.00
Dates:	June 3-6, 2024					
Work Days:	0					
Purpose:	To improve Kentucky summative assessment scores in reading and math by ensuring our professional learning communities processes are efficient.					
Professional	Advanced Placement English Literature Reading	William Hamlin	Success Academy	YES	Outside/Third Party	\$2,700.00
Activity:						
Location:	Salt Lake City, UT					
Dates:	June 1-10, 2024					
Work Days:	5					
Purpose:	To represent FCPS in a professional manner while enhancing leadership skills and content knowledge and networking with peers across the nation.					
Professional	Lemelson-Massachusetts Institute of Technology	Ronald Chi	John D Price	NO	Gen Fund/Innovation	\$3,100.00
Activity:	Invention Education Summer Workshop	Vivian Coles	John D Price	NO	Gen Fund/Innovation	\$3,100.00
Location:	Cambridge, MA					
Dates:	June 11-14, 2024					
Work Days:	3					
Purpose:	To learn about how new technologies, such as virtual and augmented reality, AI and learning science, can enhance teaching and learning.					
Professional	International Baccalaureate Theory of Knowledge Category 2	Lindsey Trent	Tates Creek High	NO	Title II	\$2,925.00
Activity:		Carly Walker	Tates Creek High	NO	Title II	\$2,925.00
Location:	St. Pete Beach, FL					
Dates:	June 15-18, 2024					
Work Days:	0					
Purpose:	To get the content and assessment training required for teaching IB Theory of Knowledge.					
Professional	Professional Learning Communities at Work Institute	Emily Banks	Russell Cave Elem	NO	Title I	\$1,839.00
Activity:		Angela Newkirk	Russell Cave Elem	NO	Title I	\$1,839.00
Location:	Mascoutah, IL	Andrea Lucas	Russell Cave Elem	NO	Title I	\$1,839.00
Dates:	June 17-20, 2024	Jessica Vance	Russell Cave Elem	NO	Title I	\$1,839.00
Work Days:	0	Kylie McDonnell	Russell Cave Elem	NO	Title I	\$1,839.00
Purpose:	To gain specific, practical and inspiring strategies for transforming our PLC process at school.					
Professional	The Kennedy Center Arts Education Conference 2024	Rachel Losch	John D Price	NO	Outside/Third Party	\$2,200.00
Activity:		David Fonda	John D Price	NO	Outside/Third Party	\$2,200.00
Location:	Arlington, VA	Katherine Lowther	John D Price	NO	Gen Fund/ Fine Arts	\$1,951.00
Dates:	June 22-26, 2024					
Work Days:	0					
Purpose:	To focus on sharing promising practices prioritizing arts education, inclusive of arts integration, in schools.					
Professional	Advancement Via Individual Determination	Latonya Meekins	John D Price	NO	Grant/ESSER	\$3,599.00
Activity:	Summer Institute	Bill Bradford	John D Price	NO	Grant/ESSER	\$3,599.00
Location:	Tampa, FL					
Dates:	June 23-26, 2024					

Work Days: 3

Purpose: To develop skills and content knowledge that will be shared with building level staff.

Professional	International Society for Technology in Education	Bryan Wilson	STEAM Academy	NO	Title IV	\$2,475.00
Activity:	Conference					
Location:	Denver, CO					
Dates:	June 23-26, 2024					
Work Days:	0					
Purpose:	To present during the conference on how to integrate AI image generation products, such as Adobe Express into the classrooms.					
Professional	Technology Student Association National	Steve Greene	Frederick Douglass High	NO	Perkins Grant	\$2,013.00
Activity:	Conference	Pablo Alcala	Frederick Douglass High	NO	Grant/LAVEC	\$2,013.00
Location:	Orlando, FL	Erica Snow	Frederick Douglass High	NO	Perkins Grant	\$2,013.00
Dates:	June 25-30, 2024	Staci Davis	Southern Middle	NO	Perkins Grant	\$2,425.00
Work Days:	0	Molly Vanzant	Southern Middle	NO	Perkins Grant	\$2,425.00
Purpose:	To receive training as a TSA advisor.					
Professional	Visible Learning Conference 2024	Tabitha Atkins	Sandersville Elem	NO	Title I	\$3,850.00
Activity:		Caroline Wilkerson	Sandersville Elem	NO	Title I	\$3,850.00
Location:	San Diego, CA	Angela Schmidt	Sandersville Elem	NO	Title I	\$3,850.00
Dates:	July 7-11, 2024	Kathryn Salyers	Sandersville Elem	NO	Title I	\$3,850.00
Work Days:	0	Lynsey Roscoe	Sandersville Elem	NO	Title I	\$3,850.00
		Cecilia Castro	Sandersville Elem	NO	Title I	\$3,850.00
		Erika Oliver	Sandersville Elem	NO	Title I	\$3,850.00
		Grant Cantrell	Sandersville Elem	NO	Title I	\$3,850.00
		Ashton Trunnell	Sandersville Elem	NO	Title I	\$3,850.00
		Matthew Marsh	Sandersville Elem	NO	Title I	\$3,850.00
		Matthew Noblin	Sandersville Elem	NO	Title I	\$3,850.00
Purpose:	To implement research-based recommendations and explore how to make learning visible and reimagine our roles as educators and instructional leaders.					
Professional	Kentucky Association for Career and Technical	Rebecca Baker	Southside Tech Center	NO	Perkins Grant	\$1,170.00
Activity:	Education Conference 2024	Jeff McKinney	Southside Tech Center	NO	Perkins Grant	\$1,338.00
Location:	Louisville, KY					
Dates:	July 8-11, 2024					
Work Days:	0					
Purpose:	To provide updated information on career and technical education.					
Professional	Kentucky Association for Career and Technical	Crystal Holman	Southside Tech Center	NO	Perkins Grant	\$1,338.00
Activity:	Education Conference 2024					
Location:	Louisville, KY					
Dates:	July 8-12, 2024					
Work Days:	0					
Purpose:	To provide updated information on career and technical education.					
Professional	Solution Tree/Professional Learning Communities at	Kevin Payne	Southern Middle	NO	Gen Fund/Middle School Chiefs	\$4,249.00
Activity:	Work Institute					
Location:	San Antonio, TX					
Dates:	July 9-13, 2024					
Work Days:	5					
Purpose:	To build our knowledge base for PLC's and gain specific, practical and inspiring strategies for transforming schools into a place where students learn at high levels.					
Professional	Victory Over Violence Conference	Mary Aruna Swauger	Clays Mill Elem	NO	Gen Fund/FRYSC	\$835.00
Activity:		Roy Booker	Crawford Middle	NO	Gen Fund/FRYSC	\$835.00
Location:	Covington, KY					
Dates:	July 10-12, 2024					
Work Days:	3					
Purpose:	To develop skills and knowledge of best practices to improve FRYSC programming in support of families and students.					
Professional	National Association of Office Professionals	Catherine Bowers	John D Price	NO	Gen Fund/Assessment	\$1,931.00
Activity:	Annual Conference					

Location: Little Rock, AR
Dates: July 13-18, 2024

Work Days: 4

Purpose: To participate in a certification recognition ceremony and have continued professional learning, networking and collaborating with other educational administrative professionals.

Professional	Get Your Teach On National Conference	Macy Crump	Meadowthorpe Elem	NO	Title II	\$2,629.00
Activity:						

Location: Orlando, FL
Dates: July 20-25, 2024

Work Days: 0

Purpose: To develop strong foundational teaching practices to support professional growth and student learning, development and achievement.

Professional	Get Your Teach On National Conference	Elisabeth Darce	Cassidy Elem	NO	School Funds	\$2,651.00
Activity:		Isabella Hissong	Cassidy Elem	NO	School Funds	\$2,651.00
Location:	Kissimmee, FL	Lauren Jackson	Cassidy Elem	NO	School Funds	\$2,651.00

Dates: July 20-26, 2024

Work Days: 0

Purpose: To develop strong foundational teaching practices to support professional growth and student learning, development and achievement.

Professional	American Association of School Administrators	Demetrus Liggins	John D Price	NO	Gen Fund/Superintendent	\$1,600.00
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Activity: Safety Innovation Summit

Location: Salt Lake City, UT

Dates: July 21-23, 2024

Work Days: 2

Purpose: To learn how technology can be integrated and simplified to allow teachers to return their focus to delivering quality instruction and developing connections with their students.

Professional	Thinking Maps Training of Trainers	Elizabeth Ecton	Russell Cave Elem	NO	Title I	\$3,695.00
Activity:		Angela Newkirk	Russell Cave Elem	NO	Title I	\$3,695.00
Location:	Charlotte, NC	Meg Hoffart	Russell Cave Elem	NO	Title I	\$3,695.00
Dates:	July 21-24, 2024	Kelcie Hardy	Russell Cave Elem	NO	Title I	\$3,695.00
Work Days:	0	Andrea Lucas	Russell Cave Elem	NO	Title I	\$3,695.00

Purpose: To learn implementation of thinking maps for school wide implementation.

Professional	National Council for Social Studies Annual Conference	Aaron Davis	John D Price	NO	Title II	\$2,600.00
Activity:						

Location: Boston, MA

Dates: November 21-25, 2024

Work Days: 2

Purpose: To learn methods to promote responsive Tier 1 instruction and address the needs of targeted student groups to close the achievement gap and to network.