

**PROFESSIONAL LEAVE BY DISTRICT PERSONNEL**  
**REGULAR MEETING - February 2, 2026**

Post Approval - Activity	Location	Dates	Work Days	Purpose	Staff Member	Location	Funding Source(s)	Estimated Max Expense
National Superintendent Meetings	Jan 07 - Jan 09, 2026	Washington , DC	3	Rationale: Late notice of event. Outreach & Engagement: This professional learning will further empower me to build strong partnerships with students, families, and community stakeholders, and effectively engage all stakeholders in supporting student success.	Demetrus Liggins	GENERAL ADMINISTRATION	Third Party - AASA	\$1,405.00
Council of Great City Schools 2026 Chief Human Resources Officers Conference	Feb 01 - Feb 06, 2026	Nashville, TN	5	Rationale: January 26 Board Meeting postponed. Organizational Health & Effectiveness: This professional learning will advance my ability to better support school staff, district systems and practices to improve student outcomes and overall district success.	Shamiah Booker	HUMAN RESOURCES	Third Party - Employee Self Pay	\$1,600.00
					Anthony Mills	HUMAN RESOURCES	Third Party - Employee Self Pay	\$1,975.00
Activity	Dates	Location	Work Days	Purpose	Staff Member	Location	Funding Source(s)	Estimated Max Expense
Football Defensive Fundamentals and Athlete Safety Clinic	Jan 30 - Feb 01, 2026	Springdale, AK	1	Student Achievement: This professional learning will equip me with updated pedagogical strategies, content knowledge and enhance my leadership skills to better provide the support needed for academic success.	Wesley Johnson	PAUL LAURENCE DUNBAR HIGH	Other - Athletic Funds	\$795.00
Kentucky Music Educators Association	Feb 04 - Feb 06, 2026	Louisville , KY	3	Student Achievement: This professional learning will equip me with updated pedagogical	Zachary Shannon	LEESTOWN MIDDLE	Third Party - Employee Self Pay	\$580.00

Professional Development Conference					strategies, content knowledge and enhance my leadership skills to better provide the support needed for academic success.	Kevin Christie	BRYAN STATION MIDDLE	Third Party - Employee Self Pay	\$647.00
						Kathryn Vanfleet	STONEWALL ELEMENTARY	Third Party - Employee Self Pay	\$762.00
Kentucky Music Education Association Conference	Feb 04 - Feb 07, 2026	Louisville, KY	3	Student Achievement: This professional learning will equip me with updated pedagogical strategies, content knowledge and enhance my leadership skills to better provide the support needed for academic success.	Anna Adams	LEXINGTON MIDDLE SCHOOL	Grant - Title I	\$1,023.00	
					Taylor Huffaker	LEXINGTON MIDDLE SCHOOL	Grant - Title I	\$1,023.00	
					Robert Bowling	EDYTHE J HAYES MIDDLE SCHOOL	Third Party - Employee Self Pay	\$685.00	
					John Bowmer	JESSIE M CLARK MIDDLE	Third Party - Employee Self Pay	\$727.00	
Kentucky Music Education Association In Service Conference	Feb 05 - Feb 07, 2026	Louisville , KY	2	Highly Effective, Culturally Responsive Workforce: This professional learning will deepen my knowledge and enhance my professional skill set while supporting the development and sustainability of a highly effective, diverse workforce that meets the evolving needs of all students.	Jonathan Stites	JESSIE M CLARK MIDDLE	Third Party - Employee Self Pay	\$797.00	
					April Kite	EDYTHE J HAYES MIDDLE SCHOOL	Third Party - Employee Self Pay	\$797.00	
Kentucky Association for School Technology Spring Conference	Mar 11 - Mar 13, 2026	Louisville, KY	3	Student Achievement: This professional learning will equip me with updated pedagogical strategies, content knowledge and enhance my leadership skills to better provide the support needed for academic success.	Stephanie Meyer	RISE STEM ACADEMY FOR GIRLS	Grant - Title I	\$765.00	

Technology Student Association State Conference	Mar 15 - Mar 18, 2026	Louisville , KY	3	Student Achievement: This professional learning will equip me with updated pedagogical strategies, content knowledge and enhance my leadership skills to better provide the support needed for academic success.	Taylor Steele	LAFAYETTE HIGH SCHOOL	Grant - Perkins Federal	\$1,350.00
Qualtrics X4 Experience Management Summit	Mar 16 - Mar 20, 2026	Seattle, WA	5	Outreach & Engagement: This professional learning will further empower me to build strong partnerships with students, families, and community stakeholders, and effectively engage all stakeholders in supporting student success.	Cierra Spaulding	PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT	Third Party - NCFL	\$2,749.00
Society for Health and Physical Education National Conference	Mar 16 - Mar 21, 2026	Kansas City, MO	5	Student Achievement: This professional learning will equip me with updated pedagogical strategies, content knowledge and enhance my leadership skills to better provide the support needed for academic success.	Ladonna Porter	BEAUMONT MIDDLE SCHOOL	Third Party - Berea College Education Studies	\$2,295.00
Ron Clark Academy Expo being paid for by The Sonic Foundation	Mar 18 - Mar 20, 2026	Atlanta, GA	2	Student Achievement: This professional learning will equip me with updated pedagogical strategies, content knowledge and enhance my leadership skills to better provide the support needed for academic success.	Stephanie Whitson	ATHENS CHILESBURG ELEMENTARY	Third Party - The Sonic Foundation	\$2,900.00