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# System Leaders Call January 6, 2022



### Agenda

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- VI. School System Relations
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## **Operations**



## **Key Dates**

Application	Action	Timeline
Planning Materials	LDOE School System Planning Guide & Workbook released Believe! Planning Template & Guidance / Super App released	October 20
Super App	Super App <b>DUE</b>	January 27
Believe!	Believe! application for early childhood lead agencies DUE	January 27
Super App	Super App competitive allocations approved (April BESE) LDOE approves CIR/UIR-Academics strategies	April
Believe!	Believe! allocations approved (April BESE)	April

<b>Operations Monthly Calls</b>	
Monthly Call Title	Zoom Link
Nutrition Support Monthly Call	February 7 at 1 p.m.
Federal Support and Grantee Relations Monthly Call	January 19 at 10 a.m.





## **Teaching and Learning**



### **IDEA Oct 1 Data Collection**

Oct 1 MFP/IDEA collection closes January 19

- Reports now available to assist include:
  - IDEA Child Count
  - SER/SIS and SIS/SER Crosscheck Reports
  - Personnel Reports
  - Compliance Reports
  - Discipline Reports

Please contact <a href="mailto:systemsupport@la.gov">systemsupport@la.gov</a> with questions.

### **Social Studies Curriculum Development**

The Department has partnered with <u>Core Knowledge</u><sup>®</sup> to create Bayou Bridges: A Louisiana Social Studies Curriculum for Grades K-8.

- Development began December 2022
- Grades 4-5 materials available this spring for piloting in fall
- Complete K-8 curriculum available for implementation by June 30, 2024
- More details announced via this call and future newsletters

Please contact <u>classroomsupporttoolbox@la.gov</u> with questions.

### **Seats Open for Zearn Training**

Zearn School Accounts are available at no cost to all public schools serving grades K-8.

#### **Next Steps:**

- Have teachers register for virtual professional learning sessions.
- Licenses are now active.
- <u>Register</u> to attend leader training in January or February. Sessions begin January 12.

#### Please contact <u>STEM@la.gov</u> with questions.

### **Math Refresh Updates**

Math Refresh Curriculum	Key Information
Zearn Math (available K-8)	<ul> <li>Strong <u>evidence</u> for improving</li> <li>State licenses provided beginning January 2023</li> <li>Print materials and related professional learning</li> </ul>
Eureka Math <sup>2</sup> (available K-8 and Alg I)	<ul> <li>pilot at one or more schools</li> <li>instructional materials and related professional learning</li> </ul>
Next Steps	<ul> <li>Review <u>Math Refresh Funding Guidance.</u></li> <li>Indicate plans and funding needs within completed <u>Super App</u> by January 27.</li> </ul>

Please contact <u>STEM@la.gov</u> with questions.

### **Phonemic Awareness Professional Development**

What: Heggerty - daily phonemic awareness lessons in 12 minutes or less.
When: School systems can choose their training dates through August 15
Who: PreK-1st grade teachers
Cost: FREE to schools

If interested, contact louisianaliteracy@la.gov.



### **Teacher Leader Summit/Summit Extensions**

- Save the Date! The 2023 Teacher Leader Summit will be held May 30 June 1, 2023 at the Ernest N. Morial Convention Center in New Orleans, LA.
- The next <u>Summit Extensions</u> will be held on January 20 in <u>Lafayette</u>, January 25 in <u>Shreveport</u>, and January 31 in <u>Baton Rouge</u>.
- Registration is still open for the Summit Extensions.

### **Compass Reminders**

Today, January 6, is the final day to upload 2021-2022 school leader evaluations.

- For the 2022-2023 school year, teachers and leaders who score "Highly Effective" or "Effective: Proficient" on the first <u>observation</u> do not require a second observation.
- Those scoring "Ineffective" or "Effective: Emerging" will require a second observation.
- Per Bulletin 130, all <u>Student Learning Targets</u> (SLTs) must be discussed between the evaluator and evaluatee.

Please contact compass@la.gov with questions.

### **School Support Institutes Session 3**

Dates	Cohort Locations
January 31	<i>Monroe Cohort</i> : The Hanger at ULM, 700 University Avenue, Monroe, LA 71209
February 1	<i>Shreveport Cohort</i> : Shreveport Convention Center, 400 Caddo Street Shreveport, LA 71101
February 2	<i>Lafayette Cohort</i> : University of Louisiana at Lafayette Student Union 620 McKinley Street, Lafayette, LA 70503
February 3	New Orleans Cohort: Ernest N. Morial Convention Center, 900 Convention Center Blvd, New Orleans, LA

- Visit <u>SSI logistics page</u> for detailed venue, parking and pre-work information.
- Contact <u>nadia.stewart@tntp.org</u> for any changes to registrations/cohort locations.

### **Leading Inclusive Special Education Programs Guidance**

Supporting Attendance for Students with Disabilities will release via the newsletter January 10.

- Webinar: January 17 at 1 p.m.
- <u>School System Planning Library</u> archives previous releases



Guidance for Leading Inclusive Special Education Programs:

Supporting Attendance for Students with Disabilities

Please contact <u>diverselearnersupport@la.gov</u> with questions.

## **Early Childhood Updates**

- Early childhood community networks are eligible to submit the <u>Early Childhood</u> <u>Believe!</u> application, the final stimulus application, for 2023-2024. The deadline for submission is January 27.
- Early Childhood Community Network Lead Agencies should submit <u>Coordinated</u> <u>Funding Requests</u> for the 2023-2024 academic year.
- The <u>Early Learning and Development Standards Public Comment Portal</u> is now open. The portal will remain open until **January 10**.

Please contact <u>earlychildhood@la.gov</u> with questions.

Teaching and Learning Monthly Calls		
Monthly Call Title	Zoom Link	
Diverse Learners Office Hours	January 24 at 3 p.m.	
Early Childhood Office Hours	January 10 at 3 p.m. January 17 at 3 p.m. January 31 at 3 p.m. February 7 at 3 p.m.	
Teaching and Learning Monthly Call	January 25 at 1 p.m.	





# Assessments, Accountability, and Analytics



### eSER October 1 IDEA Collection Update

The snapshot date for the Oct 1 IDEA collection will be January 19.

• This extension is intended to help systems ensure complete and accurate submission of data.

Collection Timelines	
Collection Snapshot Dat	
Dropout Corrections	January 13
October CLASS	January 13
October 1 IDEA	January 19
Spring LEAP 2025 HS Assessments	February 10
February 1 MFP	February 17
STS Midyear (in Legacy System)	February 17
K3 MOY Early Literacy Screener*	March 3



\*Pilot/Inaugural collection -- systems not currently administering MOY Literacy screeners should make a plan to ensure that end-of-year screeners are collected and submitted by May 30.

## **LEAP Connect and ELPT/ELPT Connect**

Date	Process	
January 13	<ul> <li>Last day to identify students for alternate assessments including LEAP Connect and ELPT Connect</li> <li>Last day to finalize accommodations on IEP, IAP or EL Checklist for students participating in LEAP Connect, ELPT and ELPT Connect</li> </ul>	
Past Due	All requests for exemptions from the listening and/or speaking domains for ELPT/ELPT Connect were due on January 5. Please send any remaining requests no later than Monday, January 9.	

Assessments, Accountability and Analytics Monthly Calls		
Monthly Call Title	Zoom Link	
Assessment and Accountability Monthly Call	January 17 at 3:45 pm	





# **Career and College Readiness**



### **House Bill 548** - Digital Devices

Digital device <u>guidelines</u> have been developed to provide school systems with health and safety resources relative to best practices for the effective integration of digital devices in public schools.

### **2023 Diploma and Seal Orders**

Requests for 2023 can now be made through the Diploma and Seal Order Form.

• Submit electronic orders by February 3.

Please contact transcripts@la.gov with questions.

### **2023 Jump Start Convention and CWA Summit**

Registration for the 2023 Jump Start Convention and CWA Summit will remain open until January 11 or until capacity is reached.

- Date: Wednesday, February 8
- Location: Raising Cane's River Center; Baton Rouge, LA

Contact jumpstart@la.gov with questions.

Career and College Readiness Monthly Calls		
Monthly Call Title	Zoom Link	
Child Welfare and Attendance Monthly Call	January 11 at 8 a.m.	
Alternative Education Community of Practice	January 11 at 10 a.m.	
School-Based Medicaid Monthly Call	January 17 at 2:30 p.m.	
Well-Being Community of Practice	January 18 at 9:30 a.m.	
Office of Career and College Readiness Monthly Call	January 26 at 3 p.m.	





# **School Choice**



### **Excellence in Authorizing Fellowship**

Hybrid opportunities focused on introducing national best practices in charter authorizing will be offered February through June.

- •Two In-Person Sessions
- •Four Virtual Sessions Synchronous
- Asynchronous Modules



**Target Audience:** Local system decision-makers with authority to oversee board-authorized charter schools from a charter authorizer's perspective.

**How to Apply:** The Excellence In Authorizing applications can be found on the Louisiana Believes website on the School Choice Page under Charter Authorization. Completed applications should be submitted to <u>schoolchoice@la.gov</u> by January 20th.

School Choice Monthly Calls	
Monthly Call Title	Zoom Link
BESE-Authorized Charter Monthly Call	January 12 at 9 a.m.
Local Authorizer Monthly Call	January 11 at 11 a.m.
Nonpublic Monthly Call	January 18 at 2 p.m.





# **School System Relations**



### **Teacher and Principal of the Year**

- State-level applications are due by midnight on January 11, 2023.
  - Candidates- <u>Online Portal</u>
  - Coordinators- <u>Online Portal</u>
- Informational Calls for Coordinators and Candidates
  - January 9 at 4 p.m.



Application process materials may be accessed in the <u>resources library</u>.

Please contact <u>excellenteducators@la.gov</u> with questions.

School System Relations Monthly Calls	
Monthly Call Title	Zoom Link
Informational Calls for Teacher and Principal of the Year Candidates/Coordinators	January 9 at 4 p.m.

# **Questions?**





# Thank you for joining today's call.

Schedules, access links, and information on webinars can be found in the <u>LDOE Weekly</u> <u>Newsletter</u> and <u>The School System Support Calendar</u>.

### **Helpful Links**

- Louisiana Believes Homepage
- <u>School Improvement Library</u>

### Support Toolboxes

- <u>Teacher</u>
- <u>System</u>
- <u>Principal</u>
- <u>Counselor</u>



