

ERLC REPORT TO CASS BOARD OF DIRECTORS

November 2022

Further to the ARPDC Governance and Operations Manual, the Regional Consortia are guided by six goals of implementation which will have varying levels of application throughout the year. The following provides a monthly summary of activities dedicated to the achievement of these goals as they would apply to the timing of this report.

Goal 1: Facilitated professional development which supports the effective implementation of components of the Alberta Education Business Plan, Jurisdiction and school education plans, and Education Partner Strategic Plans

- 148 Professional Learning Sessions, 3,488 participants, 5,309 hours of learning
- Upward trend in requests from School Divisions and schools (37 in November)
- All open sessions accessible to teachers throughout the province

Goal 2: Facilitate professional development which supports the effective implementation of curricula, including instruction, assessment and student learning outcomes

- Currently supporting all 18 (100%) of ERLC Regional School Divisions
- 24 New Curriculum Sessions
- Increasing number of requests and support being provided to schools of choice
- Added additional Assessment, Mental Health, and P.Ed and Wellness sessions
- Imbedding Assessment and offering General Assessment sessions as a dedicated opportunity
- Moving forward with K-3 and K-6 Science Implementation Sessions and FLAL
- Increasing P.Ed and Wellness sessions, and scheduling of 4-6 Math and ELAL sessions

Goal 3: Coordinate, broker and act as a referral centre to assist partners to identify available professional development resources.

- Continue to fill requests from multiple partners, schools and School Systems in providing and booking speakers for teachers, EA's, University ESA's, etc.
- Partnering with ECSD and EPSD to provide a CTS/CTF one day conference on January 26
- Partnering to provide a School System Restorative Justice Event with ECSD
- Working with School Systems for Teacher and EA PD Days and series through the year

Goal 4: Deliver professional development based on the identified and emerging needs of educational partners.

- November requests included Inclusive Education, English Language Learners, Smart Boards, Digital Citizenship, Assessment, FNMI, Mental Health and Wellness, P.Ed and Wellness, Science, Leadership, Literacy, Math, French Immersion, Technology Integration..

Goal 5: Promote and support the development of professional development leadership capacity.

- Host CLC's throughout the year
- Partner with School System and School Leaders in planning and Leading Curriculum Sessions
- Providing support for leadership in 7 school systems, AISCA series and open sessions
- Partnering with U of A in Technology in Schools, Principal Leadership and MILE programs

Goal 6: Provide educational partners with access to professional development at a reasonable cost Data continues to show a high degree of satisfaction for the value of ERLC's support.