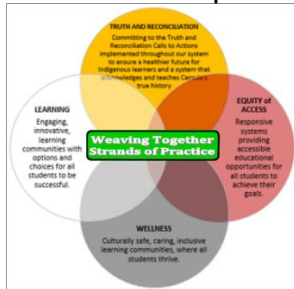


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Here is your Wednesday weekly update!
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LATEST UPDATES

Weaving Together Strands of Practice: Sessions 2 & 3!

Attendance at previous sessions is an advantage, not a requirement. Please join us!



Session 2: Facilitated Collab with Leyton Schnellert

November 2nd, 3:30pm to 5:00pm – Van Bien Training and Development Centre

Join us for a facilitated collaborative discussion about Shane Safir's book *Street Data*, as well as her SD57 presentation on October 5th.

District Directions: **Truth and Reconciliation**, **Equity of Access**, **Learning**



Leyton Schnellert – Dr. Leyton Schnellert is an associate professor in the Faculty of Education at UBC's Okanagan campus with vast experience in educational settings from SFU, K-12 education and professional development facilitator across BC, the Yukon and NWT. He's presented, facilitated and published locally, provincially, nationally and internationally with a focus of supporting teachers to bridge research and practice. His session will facilitate a very engaging and practical conversations towards educational leadership through a reflective and collaborative practice.

Please register on PD Reg: <https://schdist57.sharepoint.com/sites/pdhub>

Session 3: Hayley Watson: Open Parachute

November 3rd, 3:30pm to 5:00pm – Vanier Hall

Join us for an engaging presentation by Hayley Watson about Open Parachute and mental health.

District Directions: **Truth and Reconciliation**, **Equity of Access**, **Wellness**, **Learning**



Hayley Watson – Creator of the Open Parachute Program – a cutting edge video-based curriculum content for students and training for teachers Hayley works with schools to embed mental health into their culture on every level. She offers wellbeing training for teachers and educators, empowering them with confidence in sustaining their own self-care while also teaching mental health and wellness to young people. Her session focuses on creating school-wide systems for wellbeing.

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Indigenous Education Presents Juno Award Winner William Prince October 28th at Vanier Hall




SD57 Indigenous Education presents Juno Award Winner William Prince on October 28th at PGSS/Vanier Hall during second period (between 10:08am and 11:28am). The event starts at 10:15am and will end by 11:15am. This is an event hosted by SD57 Indigenous Education with a focus on inviting Indigenous students throughout the district through our Indigenous Education Workers; however, our programs are inclusive, and all students are welcome to join as space permits.

Transportation is not provided and is the responsibility of the school to arrange.

Please RSVP your number of students and chaperones (teachers, support staff, family/parent/guardians etc.) **to Laura Young** (lyoung@sd57.bc.ca) **to ensure we do not go over capacity for this event. She will respond with confirmation as long as we have room!**

William Prince approaches the big questions with humility and curiosity, and his songwriting is a masterclass in skillful simplicity. Since his JUNO Award win in 2017, Prince's momentum has continued to build, with each new album adding depth and dimension to an exceptional body of work that has received international acclaim. From national network television appearances, top tier media coverage and performances at major international festivals, William Prince has become one of the country's most respected and celebrated songwriters.

POPEY 2022-23 Online Workshop Schedule



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After-School Specials

A series of 4 one-hour
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Series Two: Writing Across the Curriculum

Join POPEY as we explore a variety of scaffolded supports for writing to, with, and by our students across a range of genres. We can help develop students' identities as writers by immersing them in the steps of the writing process and teaching them specific writing behaviours and strategies to create a variety of texts.


This series of workshops will be held from **3:15–4:15pm** (PST) on the following dates:

- Wednesday, November 9th – Non-Fiction Writing
- Wednesday, November 23rd – Narrative Writing
- Wednesday, November 30th – Persuasive Writing
- Wednesday, December 7th – Writing About Reading

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Series Three: Supporting SEL and Playful Literacy Learning

Join POPEY as we explore a range of playful literacy learning opportunities that support outdoor exploration, story workshop, social emotional learning and global citizenship, and intentional conversations to foster student curiosity.

This series of workshops will be held from **3:15–4:15pm** (PST) on the following dates:

- Wednesday, February 1st – Outdoor Learning
- Wednesday, February 8th – Story Workshop
- Wednesday, February 15th – Literacy, SEL, and Global Citizenship
- Wednesday, February 22nd – Fostering Curiosity Through Conversation

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Pro-D Day Online Workshops

9:00am to 11:00am (PST)

The Foundations of Literacy Learning

Join POPEY as we explore the scope and sequence of foundational literacy skills, including phonological awareness, letter knowledge, letter-sound relationships, vocabulary, spelling patterns, and word structure. We'll look at how to design effective lessons for integrating phonics and vocabulary study across your literacy block.

This workshop will be offered from 9:00am – 11:00am on the following dates:

[November 25th](#); [January 27th](#); [February 17th](#); [May 19th](#)



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Pro-D Day Online Workshops

12:30 – 2:30pm (PST)

Bringing Authentic First Peoples Content to the K-3 Classroom

Join POPEY as we share information and guidance from BC's First Nations Education Steering Committee (FNEESC) regarding the use of culturally appropriate and meaningful First Peoples content, materials, and teaching methods. We will share FNEESC's resources for ways to incorporate local Indigenous content and authentic First Peoples texts into K-3 classrooms and students' literacy and social-emotional learning experiences.

This workshop will be offered from 12:30pm – 2:30pm on the following dates:

[November 25th](#); [January 27th](#); [February 17th](#); [May 19th](#)

New DLC Resources SharePoint



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SharePoint

Announcing a new way to find out about new kits, novels, professional books, and more from the SD57 District Learning Commons! All staff now have viewing access to the New DLC Resources SharePoint. News posts will be added as new resources come in. <https://schdist57.sharepoint.com/sites/NewDLCResources>

Click the [Subscribe](#) button if you want to receive an email when there is a new news post. Our Teacher-Librarians will receive emails automatically to send on to their school staff.

To borrow resources, click on their links to order them via our online catalogue or contact DLC Circulation: DLCBookings@sd57.bc.ca or call 250-645-4334 Press 1

Please contact Jessica Brown (jebrown@sd57.bc.ca) if you encounter any difficulties with the SharePoint itself.

Upcoming Professional Development from Curriculum Innovation

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- October 26th, 3:30pm to 4:30pm: **Now What? Non-Fiction Reading Assessment & Writing Snapshot, Grade 8 Focus** (In-Person at District Learning Commons)
So, you have done the Grade 8 Non-Fiction Reading Assessment and the Writing Snapshot... now what? Join other grade 8 teachers and Nancy Reid as we take a look at how to use the information learned from these assessments to plan our instruction. Please choose either the NFRA or the Writing Snapshot and bring along your students' assessments to refer to.
- October 27th, 3:30pm to 4:30pm: **BAS: Grades 1-7** (In-Person at District Learning Commons)
Repeat of October 21st session
You are invited to join Nancy Reid to explore the Benchmark Assessment System, aka the BAS. We will take a look at the various components and lay the groundwork for how you could use the information gathered about learners.
- November 8th, 3:30pm to 5:00pm: **BAS: Grades 1-7** (In-Person at District Learning Commons)
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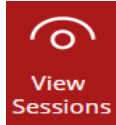
- November 15th, 3:15pm to 4:15pm: **SNAP Collaborative Marking: Grade 1-7** (In-Person at District Learning Commons)
Join Jennifer Dionne/Debbie Kaban for a collaborative SNAP marking session. The first 10 minutes will be spent discussing the SNAP rubric and what proficiency in each competency looks like. The rest of the time will be spent on actual marking. Please bring your student's completed SNAPs. These assessments are to be entered into MyEd by November 24th.
- November 16th, 3:00pm to 4:00pm: **Virtual MathUp Check in #1: Rural Schools** (Online, via Teams meeting)
Hosted by Jennifer Dionne. We will be working in small groups to discuss what is working, what is taking longer than we thought and possible strategies going forward.

REMINDERS



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