



News For You

Keeping ROE #40 districts and staff informed

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New Data Dashboard

Opt-in Today!



The State Superintendent, Tony Smith, invites districts to opt into the Illinois State Board of Education's (ISBE) new Ed360 data dashboard. Learn more about Ed360 by reading this [one-pager](#) and visiting ISBE's Ed360 webpage, or enroll your district by following the [Opt-In Guide](#).

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2018 ROE #40 Olympiad

The 2018 Gifted Olympiad, coordinated by Regional Office of Education #40, was held in February at Cross Church in Carlinville.

3rd and 4th grade Olympiad was held February 5th - Congratulations to the top five teams: First Place: Staunton #2, Second Place: Southwestern #3, Third Place: Greenfield #1, Fourth Place: Bunker Hill #2 and Fifth Place: Southwestern #1.

5th and 6th grade Olympiad was held February 6th - Congratulations to the top five teams: First Place: Northwestern #3, 2nd Place: North Mac #4 and Greenfield #3, 3rd Place: North Mac Teams #1 and #2, 4th Place: North Greene #2 and Southwestern #1, and 5th Place: Greenfield #1.

7th & 8th grade Olympiad was held February 20th - Congratulations to the top five teams: First Place: Greenfield #1, 2nd Place: North Green #2, 3rd Place: North Mac #3, 4th Place Tie: Gillespie #4 and Greenfield #3, and 5th Place: Gillespie #2!

High School Olympiad was held February 13th - Congratulations to the top five teams: First Place: Jerseyville Team #2, 2nd Place: Staunton Team #1, 3rd Place: Greenfield Team #1, 4th Place: Northwestern Team #2, and 5th Place: Greenfield Team #2!

ROE #40

Spelling Bees

Calhoun, Greene and Jersey County 4th through 8th grade students took part in the annual ROE #40 Spelling Bee on Tuesday, February 27.

8th Grade: Antonio Presley, Carrollton, 1st Place and Marissa Cox, St. John's, Runner Up

7th Grade: Gabriella Kanallakan, Illini Middle School, 1st Place and Barbara Butler, Carrollton Grade School, Runner Up

6th Grade: Libby McCormick, St Francis/Holy Ghost, 1st place and Loretta Taul, Illini Middle School Runner Up

5th Grade: Mara Beiermann, St. John's, 1st Place and Nic Oliver, North Greene, Runner Up

4th Grade: Mylie Ramirez, Jersey East, 1st Place and Ethan Settles, Grafton, Runner Up

Macoupin County 4th through 8th grade students took part in the annual ROE #40 Spelling Bee on Wednesday, February 28.

8th Grade: First Place, Owen Griffiths, Carlinville and Runner Up Eli Ratcliff, Carlinville

7th Grade: Lacey Bramley, Northwestern and Runner Up Raymond Schneider, North Mac

6th Grade: First Place Roland Thyer, Bunker Hill and Runner Up Bryce Hohnsbehn, Gillespie Middle

5th Grade: First Place Ava Fernandez, Zion Lutheran and Runner Up Landen Emelander, Ben-Gil

4th Grade: First Place Harrison Yeager, Carlinville and Runner Up Charlie Bono, Mt. Olive



ILLINOIS' TEACHERS AND COUNSELORS

The Illinois State Board of Education is pleased to announce the opening of the 2018 Spring Window for the Illinois \$1,900 NBPTS Candidate Fee Subsidy on February 15, 2018.

The National Board Resource Center at Illinois State University will process applications for eligible Illinois teachers. Funding has been made available for 500 candidates. Please take this opportunity to start the NB process and invite other outstanding teachers or counselors to join you in becoming a National Board Certified Teacher. More details are available on [our home page](#).

Scholarship Opportunity

The Women of the Springfield Diocesan Council of Catholic Women are offering four \$500.00 college scholarships to four outstanding Catholic Senior Girls.

Deadline to enter is March 30, 2018. Winners will be announced in May and honored at the Woman of Distinction Banquet in June.

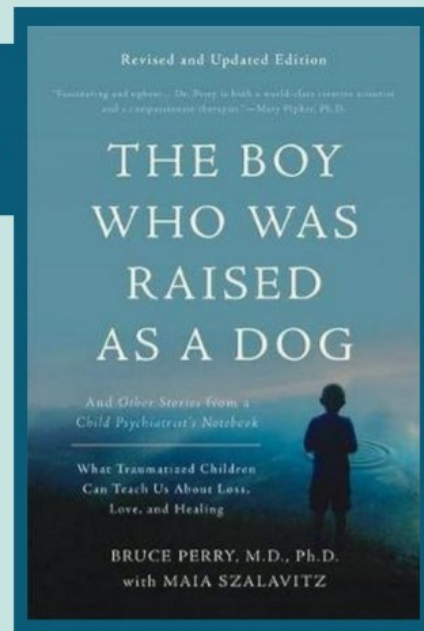
[Click here for application and guidelines.](#)

ONLINE BOOK STUDY

Trauma-Informed Primer

The Boy Who Was Raised as a Dog

by Bruce Perry & Mia Szalavitz



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MARCH 5 - APRIL 1, 2018

100% ONLINE DISCUSSION

15 PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT HOURS

\$35.00

PLUS DISCOUNT PRICE ON BOOK PURCHASE

Register: www.teachillinois.com

DIRECTIONS

midwest education conference 2018

<http://www.directionsconference.com/>

Start planning to attend now...

June 19 - 20, 2018

Gateway Convention Center, Collinsville, IL
with optional Administrator Academy June 18, 2018



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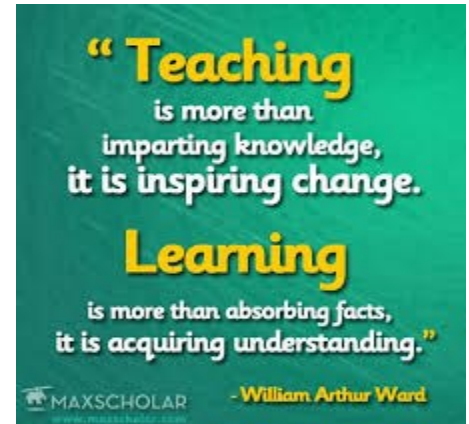
Professional Development

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[Visit our website for MORE details, other opportunities and registration!](#)

- 03/06/18 Hand Built Ceramics, Art, Staunton
- 03/07/18 Beginners Oil Painting, Art, Staunton
- 03/07/18 Knitting in the Art Classroom, Staunton
- 03/08/18 Beginners Wheel Throwing, Art, Staunton
- 03/13/18 Jewish Refugees & the Holocaust, Carlinville ROE
- 03/19/18 Strategies for Phenomena Based Science Classroom, Carlinville ROE
- 03/28/18 Yarn Dying, Art, Staunton
- 04/10/18 Social Emotional Learning 5.0 Admin Training (Principals), Jerseyville ROE



- 04/11/18 Stressed Out Brains, Carlinville ROE
- 04/12/18 Standard Based Grading, Carlinville ROE
- 04/17/18 Mentoring: Unmotivated Students, Carlinville ROE
- 04/20/18 Chainmaille, Art, Staunton
- 04/30/18 Foundations of Mindfulness (Day 1), Carlinville ROE (Days 2 and 3 are 5/11 and 6/7)

- 05/1/18 Social Emotional Learning 6.0 Admin Training (Principals), Carlinville ROE
- 6/12/18 Steaming Up the Classroom - Grades K-4, Carlinville ROE
- 6/13/18 Steaming Up the Classroom - Grades 5-8, Carlinville ROE
- 6/14/18 Meaningful Math, Carlinville ROE

[Register today!](#)

Education is not the filling of a pail, but the lighting of a fire!

Mark Your Calendar

- Mar 15 Superintendents Meet, Carlinville ROE, 9:00 a.m.
Mar 30 - Apr 2 ROE 40 Offices closed for Easter Weekend
April 11 Principals Meet, Jerseyville ROE, 9:00 a.m. - [Register](#)



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APPS GALORE

Tom Murray from Future Ready generated a list of over [300 digital tools and apps](#) through crowdsourcing. Become a digital citizen connoisseur with [Be Internet Awesome](#), share information with [Smore](#), or code with [Everyone Can Code](#).



2017 KIDS Summit Highlights

The inaugural "Mastering KIDS Summit" drew nearly 300 educators from across Illinois, including administrators, principals, kindergarten teachers, and other district staff. Participants joined in conversations at the Hyatt Regency in Rosemont about how to ensure that every child in Illinois arrives to kindergarten ready to thrive.

Ron Ferguson, a researcher, economist, and lecturer at the Harvard Graduate School of Education and Harvard Kennedy School, launched the Summit with a keynote address that underscored how school readiness starts at birth, and in partnership with families.

ISBE has committed to providing resources to support KIDS coaches for five years. Each school district in Illinois is assigned a KIDS coach to help with training and the ongoing implementation of KIDS. The Summit provided an opportunity for participants to connect one-on-one with KIDS coaches and to learn more about how to leverage available coaching services. To identify your KIDS coach or learn more about the services they provide, please email Michelle Escapa at mescapa@roe51.org.

These are just a few excerpts from the Highlights Flyer. [Click here to download and read more!](#)

OSHA SAFETY CLASS



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To register, complete the form at <https://goo.gl/forms/u2FrE1jZQnumadRj2>. Cost is \$150 per person; includes 2 days of training and lunch both days.



More questions?
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