



News For You

Keeping ROE #40 districts and staff informed

MAY 2018

SCHOOL LIBRARIANS Professional Development

Summer Getaway 2018 will be hosted by the University of Illinois' School of Information Sciences from July 12-14, 2018 in Champaign .

<https://publish.illinois.edu/summergetaway/>

"Excellence in Education Grants for Teachers" Program

The Illinois Retired Teachers Association (IRTA) Foundation is making \$36,500 in grant money available statewide in Illinois

This special grant money will provide additional funds to public school educators (Pre-K through 12) so that their students will have the means to participate in special projects.

Please download, complete, and submit the application online by visiting www.irtaonline.org and looking under the IRTA Foundation section. All proposals must be submitted by June 1, 2018. A special committee will select the recipients of the grant money over the summer. Grant awards will be presented in the fall.

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Mark Your Calendar

2018 ROE #40 Teacher Institute

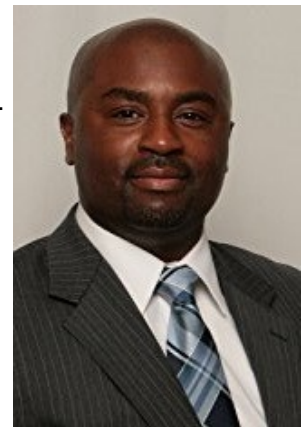
October 9, 2018 the ROE #40 Institute will be held at Jerseyville High School. The planning committee has already started working on this fall's event to make it even bigger and better than the last!

We Want You!

It's time to share your most exciting, innovative and successful programs, initiatives and best practices at the 2018 ROE #40 Fall Institute this coming October! ROE #40 is looking to SPOTLIGHT our district teams and individuals interested in leading breakout* sessions showcasing the GREAT things happening in your school. Send presentation details to kclanton@roe40.com by July 10, 2018. *Breakout sessions will be 45-50 minutes in length.

Keynote Speaker - DR. JESSE JACKSON III

Dr. Jesse W. Jackson III is one of America's foremost professional counselors and educators in the areas of 21st century professional development, leadership and teamwork. Dr. Jackson is an internationally recognized professional development expert, consultant, speaker, and international best-selling author. Dr. Jackson has counseled and consulted for more than 50 companies and addressed more than 20,000 people in 100 talks and seminars throughout the United States, as well as authoring 20 books. In his keynote on Oct 9, Dr. Jackson will share current research and proven techniques on managing challenging students of all types in your classroom.



This is our last issue for a few months. Visit [ROE 40.com](http://ROE40.com)

throughout the summer to stay up to date on our latest news and information!

Thank you to all of the educators and support staff for another great year! Enjoy your summer!

CONGRATULATIONS

ISBE
2018 SUPERINTENDENT
OF DISTINCTION
Brad Skertich
Southwestern
School District

[Click here to see the News Release on our Site](#)

Mark Your Calendar

May 25 ROE#40 Summer Hours Begin 7:30-3:30 Mon - Thu and 8 - 12 Fri
Aug 7,8 and 9 Bus Driver Refresher Course - Macoupin

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Directions Conference June 19 - 20

ROE 40 and the other 4 Regional Offices of Illinois's Area 5 will host the 3rd annual Midwest New Directions Conference. It will again be held in Collinsville on June 19 - 20, 2018 with an optional Administrator Academy on Monday, June 18th.

New this year, the 2018 event will have a distinct theme for each day. Tuesday, June 19th will feature a keynote and breakout presentations which revolve around Trauma and Inclusivity. Social Media and communicating your school's message to the community will comprise the second day's sessions. In the tradition of the Directions Conference, top-notch, nationally known speakers will headline each day's event. Jesse Jackson III will deliver his message, "Don't Kick Them Out! How to Manage & Address Negative Classroom Behavior Problems" on Tuesday, and Joe Sanfelippo will give his wildly popular keynote address on Wednesday titled, "Changing Your School's Narrative."

To find more information about the conference or to register, visit www.directionsconference.com.

Professional Development

Effective This Year (June 30, 2018) and beyond...

If you do not have ALL your PD in by June 30 of the year you renew:

- Your license will lapse
- You will owe \$500 to get it back
- You will still owe the remainder of your PD requirement in order to renew
- You cannot work until
 - 1) the \$500 is paid
 - 2) your PD is entered and hourly requirement met
 - 3) you renew and pay to register

If you recall, it used to be Sept 1 (or actually the first day of school) or sooner if you were teaching summer school in July/Aug. They have emphasized this to us today that this will be how the ELIS system will operate.

Bottom Line according to ISBE: Don't test the system. Complete and enter all of your PD into your ELIS account, and renew and register your license before June 30 of your renewal year.

2018 Educator License Renewals

The "renewal" hot link in educators' action centers will not be activated until the dates identified above.

Keep in mind that professional development for this renewal cycle must be completed by June 30, 2018 and PELs and ELS-CTEs must be renewed by August 31, 2018 to prevent them from lapsing.

Here is a list of helpful webinars or tutorials -

- Never logged into ELIS? How to create an ELIS Account <https://vimeo.com/196776894>
- Need to enter your Professional Development Hours? - <https://www.isbe.net/Documents/record-prof-dev.pdf>
- Have you been working in a NON-public school, retired or not working on your license during this cycle? You will need to update your Professional Development/Employment Status - <https://vimeo.com/196777012> or <https://www.isbe.net/Documents/nonpublic-oos-pd-exemption-reg.pdf>

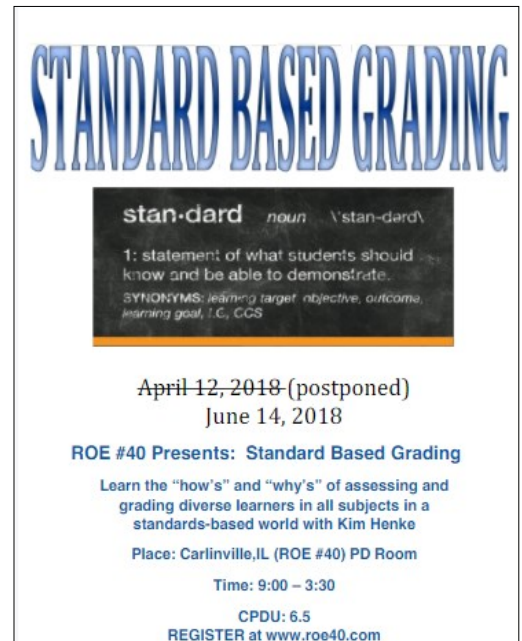
**To add your school's
News and/or
Job Openings
To this newsletter and/or [our website](#)
e-mail jlair@ROE40.com**

DIRECTIONS 
midwest education conference **2018**
June 19 - 20, 2018
Gateway Convention Center, Collinsville, IL
with optional Administrator Academy, June 18, 2018
Register NOW!

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

- 05/10 and 05/11 Keeping Our Students Safe, Westlake Country Club, Jerseyville
- 06/05 and 06/07/18 Teaching Creative Writing, Staunton
- 06/05 thru 06/08/18 ART: Ceramics Basics, Staunton
- 06/07 thru 06/28/18 ART: Harry Potter Scarf Knitting, Staunton
- 06/12 thru 06/15/18 ART: Wheel-Throwing in the Classroom, Staunton
- 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
- 06/14/18 Standard Based Grading, Jerseyville ROE
- 06/14 thru 07/19/18 ART: Wheel-Throwing Mugs, Staunton
- 06/16 and 06/18/18 Teaching Creative Writing, Staunton
- 06/18/18 Foundational Skills - Building Grade Level Readers (K-5)
- 06/19 thru 06/22/18 ART: Bookbinding in the Classroom, Staunton
- 06/26 thru 06/29/18 ART: Oil Painting in the Classroom, Staunton
- 06/26 thru 06/29/18 ART: Slip Transfers on Clay, Staunton
- 07/10 thru 07/13/18 ART: Jewelry Making, Staunton
- 07/10 thru 07/13/18 Gamifying Your Classroom
- 07/17 thru 07/20/18 ART: Textiles, Staunton
- 07/25/18 Teaching Creative Writing, Staunton



STANDARD BASED GRADING

stan·dard *noun* \ˈstan-dard\
1: statement of what students should know and be able to demonstrate.
SYNONYMS: learning target, objective, outcome, learning goal, I.C., CCS

April 12, 2018 (postponed)
June 14, 2018

ROE #40 Presents: Standard Based Grading

Learn the "how's" and "why's" of assessing and grading diverse learners in all subjects in a standards-based world with Kim Henke

Place: Carlinville, IL (ROE #40) PD Room
Time: 9:00 – 3:30
CPDU: 6.5
REGISTER at www.roe40.com

**See Macoupin Art Collective Flyer
on the next page**

the macoupin art collective

in the Classroom

multi-day sessions

These classes are geared towards teachers. We will learn new techniques and skills in numerous different mediums. IF you are a teacher seeking CPDUs, you can take these classes for **FREE!**

May 2- June 6 wednesdays
6:00pm to 8:00pm
Handmade Handbuilt Dishes

May 1- June 5 tuesdays
6:00pm to 8:00pm
Intro to Tiffany Style Stained Glass

May 3 - May 24 thursdays
6:00pm to 8:00pm
Watercolor Outside

June 5-8 tuesday-friday
6:00pm to 8:00pm
Ceramic Basics

June 5 & 7 tuesday & thursday
10:00am to 2:00pm
Teaching Creative Writing

June 7 - 28 thursdays
6:00pm to 8:00pm
Harry Potter Scarf Knitting

June 12-15 tuesday-friday
6:00pm to 8:00pm
Wheel Throwing

June 14- July 19 thursdays
6:00pm to 8:00pm
Wheel Throwing - MUGS

June 16 saturday
8:30am to 12:30pm & 1:30-5:30pm
Teaching Creative Writing

June 19-22 tuesday-friday
6:00pm to 8:00pm
Bookbinding

June 26-29 tuesday-friday
6:00pm to 8:00pm
Slip Transfer on Clay

July 10-13 tuesday-friday
12:30pm to 2:30pm
Jewelry Making

July 10-13 tuesday-friday
6:00pm to 8:00pm
Games in the Classroom

July 17-20 tuesday-friday
6:00pm to 8:00pm
Textiles

July 25 & 26 wednesday & thursday
12:00pm to 4:00pm
Teaching Creative Writing



for more information please visit:

www.macart.org

[Click Here](#) for more details and registration



Summer 2018 Education Course Offerings

Blackburn College has scheduled the following 3-semester hour classes for Educators wishing to add the Learning Behavior Specialist I endorsement to their Teaching Licenses:

Endorsement	Course Number & Title	Dates Offered
Learning Behavior Specialist I	ED 430-Methods of Teaching Special Education	7/2-7/27 <u>Blended format</u> (on campus 7/11, 7/12, 7/13)
	ED 432-Characteristics of Individuals with Disabilities	6/4-7/27 Online
	ED 434-Assessment in Special Education	5/29-6/22 <u>Blended format</u> (on campus 6/12, 6/13, 6/14)
	ED 439-Learning Behavior Specialist I Practicum (60 hours)	6/4-7/27 Field Placement

Summer Courses cost \$678.00 for each 3-semester hour course.

For more information, contact the Blackburn Education Department at **217-854-5686**.

To register, contact the Blackburn Records Office at **217-854-5772**.

Summer 2018 Education Department Course Descriptions

The following courses are required for the Learning Behavior Specialist I endorsement:

ED 430-Methods of Teaching Special Education (3 hours) -This course will address instructional methodology for teaching students age 3-21 with disabilities. Emphasis will be placed on planning, learning environment, collaboration, and curriculum modification and adaptation.

ED 432-Characteristics of Individuals with Disabilities (3 hours) – This course will address the characteristics of students with disabilities across categories such as: learning disabilities, emotional disturbance, mental retardation, autism, traumatic brain injury, orthopedic and multiple disabilities. Emphasis will be placed on understanding the impact disabilities have on cognitive, physical, emotional, social, and communication development of students age 3-21 and on appropriate strategies for intervention and educational modification.

ED 434- Assessment in Special Education (3 hours)- This course will emphasize the assessment process for students with disabilities including: strategies for identification and evaluation, interpretation of assessments, accommodations and modifications, ethical and legal responsibilities, reporting, and monitoring ongoing progress of students with disabilities.

ED 439- Learning Behavior Specialist I Practicum- Field experience for students completing the LBS I endorsement. One semester hour equals 20 hours of observation. Students complete a total of 60 hours of observation.