

CESA 7 Learning Services presents:

Closing the Excellence Gap

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Schedule:	Dates: October 30th and November 13th, 2019 Time: 9:00-3:00 (check-in is 8:30 a.m.) Location: CESA 7	
Audience:	PK-12 Educators	
<p><i>Participants will learn tips and strategies to address issues of disproportionality in the identification and instruction of high ability/high potential students in our schools</i></p>	Session Topics:	
	October 30, 2019	
	Time	Topic
	9:00 – 9:15 am	Welcome, Introductions & Housekeeping <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review Agenda Norms
	9:15-9:20 am	Opening Video
	9:20-10:05 am	Disproportionality and the Excellence Gap overview <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discuss overarching concepts Review statewide data trends Discuss the process for calculating where gaps exist Reviewing Local Data re Disproportionality and the Excellence Gap <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Note, this requires a laptop and access to WISEdash
	10:05-10:35 am	Culturally Relevant Practices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Culturally Relevant Practices in Action
	10:35-10:45 am	Break
	10:45-11:45	Introduction to U-STARS~PLUS TOPS (Teacher’s Observation of Potential in Students)
	11:45-12:30 pm	Lunch
	12:30-2:30 pm	TOPS tool – Continued
	2:45-3:00 pm	Wrap Up and Ticket out the Door
	November 13, 2019	
	Time	Topic
	9:00-9:10 am	Welcome & Lingering Questions
	9:10-9:45 am	Equitable Multi-level Systems of Supports that include Advanced Learners
	9:45-9:55 am	Break
	9:55-11:00 am	Differentiation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is differentiation? Why differentiate?
	11:00 – 12:00	Differentiation continued <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Low-prep strategies such as Anchor Tasks and Exit Tickets Other strategies Differentiation often involves different work as opposed to more work
	12:00 – 12:45 pm	Lunch
12:45 – 1:30 pm	Family Engagement	
1:30-2:00 pm	Strategic Action Plan & Lessons Learned	
2:00-2:30 pm	Planning time	
2:30 pm	Share-out and Wrap-up	
Registration Fees:	Registration fees are inclusive of two days of training and lunch each day. \$198/Learning Services Full Members \$240/Learning Services Limited Membership \$280/Non-Members	
Registration Details:	<p>Login to myquickreg.com - Click on <u>CESA 7-All events</u> and click on Calendar date October 30th, 2019 to complete registration, or click HERE. Registration Deadline – October 18th, 2019</p> <p>For questions, please contact: Nancy Schlies, e-mail: nschlies@cesa7.org</p>	