

CONFIDENTLY LEADING THROUGH COLLABORATION, CUSTOMIZATION AND CREATIVITY

Board Report December 2023 Leadership & Learning

Gifted:

Consultants: Sherri Richter, Leanna Ferreira, Jenny Pennell, Rebecca Kidney, Lisa Gonzalez, Colleen Haynes, Leah Barger, Danya Davis

- Gifted team consultants continue to represent Mid-Ohio ESC and our region in advocacy and leadership within OAGC.
- Opportunities for students to become involved in several events are upcoming in January, including Academic Challenge & Spelling Bee. These events involve many members of our team and several area districts, schools, and students.
- Gifted & T&L team are actively assisting districts analyze their data to serve all students

T&L: Literacy & Math:

Consultants: Sherri Richter, Heather Dillon, Lisa Walter, Wendy Henige, Danya Davis, Leanna Ferreira, Rebecca Kidney

- We hosted the ongoing Adolescent Literacy Network sessions in December; they continue to receive overwhelming positive feedback. Teachers appreciate the opportunity to learn & network with teachers in the same content areas. This work is continued within the districts alongside support from the teacher attendees and our consultants.
- The T&L team continues to seek input from districts about how we can plan for and meet future needs by continuing to focus on customization. To that end, the team is intentionally focusing on continuing to expand our own areas of expertise.
- We are still waiting for the Ohio release of the 4-12 Dyslexia Modules and other procedures, and resources around statewide literacy mandates.

Grants:

- The CLSD (Comprehensive Literacy State Development) team recently presented at a regional meeting about the success of their work and its integration with other Mid-Ohio components of support.
- Suzanne Kochheiser, the Adolescent Literacy Specialist, continues to support districts within our region and region 1. Additionally, she attends and conducts learning opportunities across Ohio. She is also a strategic support with Goal Digital Academy.