



Mid-Ohio Board of Governors May Update

**Carrie Wood and Nick Jacobs, Mid-Ohio Directors of Literacy
Read Ohio Regional Coaching Coordinators**

Read Ohio West and Central Teams:

Coordinators and instructional coaches have recently concluded the final convening of the state network associated with the project, marking a critical transition from collaborative learning to evaluative synthesis and reporting. As part of the culminating phase of implementation, each coach is required to conduct a comprehensive final learning walk within each ReadOhio partner school. These structured observations are designed to ascertain the extent to which explicit, systematic instruction is being faithfully enacted within the adopted high-quality instructional materials across designated focus grade levels, with particular attention to alignment with evidence-based literacy practices.

Concurrently, coaches will engage in the analysis of end-of-year student outcome data alongside the completion and refinement of each site's service delivery plan. Central to this effort is the utilization of each coach's data dashboard, which aggregates key indicators of instructional impact and student performance over time. Drawing upon these data sources, coaches will develop a formalized summary document—referred to as an Impact Report—that synthesizes building-level trends, with a particular emphasis on student screener data shared by each school. These reports are intended to provide a coherent narrative and visual of implementation fidelity, instructional shifts, and resulting student outcomes, thereby serving as both a reflection tool and a mechanism for strategic planning. ReadOhio stakeholders are awaiting end-of-year student data to finalize results and celebrate progress toward the project's goals.

State Presentations:

- State & National Presentation: Whitney Imhoff and Lisa Cook, Mid-Ohio ESC veteran coaches, will present at June Academy.
- Nick Jacobs and Carrie Wood will present at the Teacher Leader Summit with the Coordinator team.
- OESCA, our ESC agency, is conducting regional meetings in Ohio of which Nick Jacobs and Carrie Wood will be presenting at the WEST and Central meetings with the Department of Education and Workforce.
- Nick Jacobs and Carrie Wood continue to recruit and hire efforts (update in June) as we each are getting closer to a 27-member team for the next school year.

Thank you all for your support of the Read Ohio project!

Sincerely,

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