2022-2023 GIFTED EDUCATION

NETWORK MEETINGS

Beginning in 2022-23, there is **no cost** for any district or nonpublic staff to participate in the IU13 Gifted Network meetings. These half-day job-alike gatherings will be facilitated by IU13 and open to any staff invested in supporting the academic growth of gifted/advanced learners and complying with Chapter 16 regulations. A key component of <u>each</u> meeting will be time set aside for collaboration with grade-level, job-alike colleagues. District/school staff will also have the option to plan as a team during a portion of the meeting.

Communication for the Gifted Network will primarily take place through **Schoology**, and anyone interested may join this Group for updates, resources, and discussions. The access code is **FBGZM-ZHCMD**. Registration will be required for each meeting for planning and Act 48 purposes. All meetings take place at the Conference and Training Center at IU13 in Lancaster, PA.

Academic Differentiation

Wednesday, October 5 8:30-11:30 AM

Click here to register

Revisiting Executive Function

Friday, December 16 8:30-11:30 AM

Click here to register

Understanding Test Results

Thursday, February 9 8:30-11:30 AM

Click here to register

Chapter 16

Monday, March 27 8:30-11:30 AM

Click here to register

Student Projects and Competitions

Friday, May 19 8:30 AM-3:00 PM

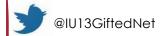
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Intended audience: Gifted support teachers, general education teachers, school psychologists, guidance counselors, and administrators

NOTE: Three (3) optional afternoon Gifted Education Workshops will be offered on the same day as network meetings for those who purchase a professional development series membership or register to attend an individual workshop. Scroll to page 2 to view details.

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2022-2023 GIFTED EDUCATION PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SERIES

Timed to coincide with three of the Gifted Network meetings, IU13 will provide a professional development series specifically designed to connect educators with experts in the field of gifted education. These half-day Gifted Education Workshops will focus on current best practice in gifted education and be led by national experts. Chapter 16 requires that staff receive professional development in gifted education, and Schoology will be used to share information and build collaboration across districts. Act 48 will be provided for those who attend and complete required evaluations. When possible, hybrid options for attendance will be arranged. The targeted audience for these workshops includes gifted support teachers, general education teachers, building or district administrators, school psychologists, counselors, and social workers. All workshops take place at the Conference and Training Center at IU13 in Lancaster, PA.

The membership fee for this annual series is \$100 for the first staff member from a district. Additional staff can be added for \$80 each. If interested, a membership form is available upon request. The cost of individual workshop registration is \$100.

Vertical Differentiation: Strategies that Stretch

Wednesday, October 5 -- 12:30-3:30 PM

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• Emily Mofield, Ed.D., Lipscomb University, will highlight evidence-based strategies to stretch student thinking, promote deep learning, and provide layers of challenge for gifted students. Emily's award-winning books and research are relevant to general education classrooms and gifted service options.

LEARNING AND STRESS: Minimizing Stress and Maximizing Emotional Regulation and Learning for School Success

Friday, December 16 -- 12:30-3:30 PM

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• Margaret Foster, M.A.Ed., Learning Specialist, Educonn, LLC, is the co-author of Boosting Executive Skills in the Classroom (with Dr. Joyce Cooper-Kahn). Join us as we explore, discuss, and build on our own understandings of learning and stress and emotional regulation as we support gifted and advanced learners in our schools.

The Struggle is Real: Recognizing and Responding to #giftedkidburnout

Monday, March 27 -- 12:30-3:30 PM

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• Brian Housand, Ph.D., University of North Carolina Wilmington, will lead a vital and engaging discussion regarding "growing up gifted." Gifted adolescents and young adults are turning to social media and sharing their experiences, and it is brutally disheartening. Key strategies will be discussed that help to alleviate student dispair and prevent it from happening in the first place. Don't miss this important the chance to take part in a very important discussion.

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