# **Weekly Update**



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## Hale Road Building

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Jennifer Felker, Donna Cook and Jerlisa Calhoun are collaborating for a future partnership with Applewood. We believe this will be a great opportunity for our students therapeutically. The Lake Academy and Hale Rd. staffs are thinking of a new name, mission and vision.

# **Literacy Support**

### Professional Learning

ESC of the Western Reserve is pleased to host a May 13th ODE ELA and Social Studies Meetup focusing on the use of primary sources in elementary classrooms, bringing ELA and social studies together. Register for this 9:00 AM presentation by visiting this link. If you have questions, please email Tricia Ebner.

### SST Region 4

#### **Office Hours**

(Invitations are sent via email-If you need a link to office hours reach out to SST4 contact listed below)

#### **Special Education**

Weekly - Monday @ 9:30

Contact: Lori Pinchot

#### Regional Literacy Weekly Reading Teachers

Weekly - Monday @ 10:00 - 10:30

Contact: Pamela Kennedy

#### Regional Literacy Bi-weekly Curriculum Coaches and Administration

Monday, May 18th @ 10:45 - 11:15

Contact: Pamela Kennedy

#### **PBIS**

Weekly - Tuesday 11:00-12:00

Contact: Carrie McClure

#### **Early Childhood**

Weekly- Wednesday @ 10:00

Contact: Teresa Brown

#### **School Psychologists**

Weekly - Wednesday @ 9:00

Contact: Sonia Stevenson

#### SST4 Virtual Regional Professional Development

Check out the SST Website for more information.

### **ESCWR Vocational Programs**

#### **Updates**

- Job Training Program EAST & WEST continue to provide virtual learning to all students using Google classroom, Zoom, and individual job coach sessions. All students are engaging and turning in assignments. We are working to include our local employers in our class Zooms for employer updates.
- Project SEARCH- Our partners are working on a plan for a virtual graduation ceremony for all students and families.
   More information to be announced.
- Nancy Neal, Store Manager, at Unique Like Me connects with students through a lunch bunch Zoom and continues to work on projects for the store. More information to come regarding reopening of the store.
- Continued communications regarding student integration back into the community job sites continue as we plan for the 20-21 school year.

# Mental Health Support

Webinar	Back by popular demand, Dr Cordiano will host a webinar on May 19th entitled "Supporting Students' Well Being During a		
	Pandemic." Please <u>click</u> to view the flyer.		

## **Related Services**

Virtual Field Day	Mr. D and Mr. Shaun, our Adapted Physical Education teachers,	
	will be hosting a virtual "field day" on Monday, May 18th for our	
	STARS, SAIL and ACHIEVE programs. They have planned a	

variety of activities and have shared this information with teachers and families in order to prepare for the festivities. Staff will be participating to model activities and to join in the fun!

### S.T.A.R.S./SAIL

#### Updates

The STARS and SAIL autism program staff continue to provide your students with a distance learning format which could include virtual instruction, distance learning paperwork and assignments, or a hybrid of the two formats. Our programs are diligently working to create memorable virtual opportunities for the students and families! Some examples are a virtual Music Therapy Night, a Doodle Drawing Night, group sessions to practice wearing a mask, and many other exciting virtual activities! Please reach out to Alanna Hruska at ahruska@escwr.org if you have any questions, need support from our staff, etc.