



EASTERN UPPER PENINSULA
INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT
General Education Department
Report to the EUPISD Board of Education

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October Newsletter

At the two administrator meetings this summer, three focus areas were determined by the group: Early Literacy/Numeracy, SEL, and Staff Shortage. This month, collaborative work led by local administrators (both superintendents and principals) will begin. Some initial action items include regional events, needs assessments, and legislative communications.

The first of these events will be Manufacturing Day, on October 26. EUP 9th grade students will have the opportunity to attend a half-day session with the following companies: Precision Edge, Carmeuse Lime and Stone, Cloverland Electric, Superior Fabrication, Lake Superior State University, and Northern Wings. Tammy Rutledge, Kevin St Onge, and Julie Coneset work with Michigan Works and LSSU to provide this event.



Patricia Jones, our new Work-Based Learning Coordinator has been out meeting with students, employers, and administrators as well as learning the new systems and timelines associated with her new role. She is in the process of developing informational documents for students, parents, and employers regarding compliance, IDPs (individual development plans), curriculum, learning, and outcomes. Informational presentations at districts are planned to occur in January.

Our collaboration with LSSU continues to strengthen with regional student events partnering with the Admissions Department. This will reduce costs on the K-12 side while increasing campus visits and recruiting opportunities for LSSU.



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