Minnesota Department of Education

Planning for Students' Successful Transition to Postsecondary and Employment Toolkit Workshop

Office of College and Career Success

The Minnesota Department of Education and the Regional Centers of Excellence are pleased to invite middle and high school teams to participate in a free half-day workshop focused on implementation of the Planning for Students' Successful Transition to Postsecondary and Employment: Personal Learning Plans legislation (120B.125).

This legislation requires all students beginning no later than 9th grade to have a Personal Learning Plan around key elements. This plan will have many names, but it should be looked at as a life plan that includes academic scheduling, career exploration, career and employment related skills, community partnerships, college access, all forms of postsecondary training, and experiential learning opportunities.

The Planning for Students' Successful Transition to Postsecondary Education and Employment (120B.125) Toolkit provides resources around all required elements as well as some recognized strategies and partnerships that could assist with implementing this directive. The training will provide opportunities to discover what elements schools already have in place and what needs to be addressed. Several schools will present information about the strategies that they are using. Time for planning will be provided.

SESSION INFORMATION

Date	Location	Registration
September 15, 2014 12:00 p.m. registration 12:30-3:30 p.m.	Minnesota Department of Education 1500 Highway 36 West Roseville, MN 55113	Register for MDE Site Contact Jolene King at 218-737-6521 or jking@lcsc.org for registration questions.
September 18, 2014 8:00 a.m. registration 8:30-11:30 a.m.	Southeast Service Cooperative 210 Wood Lake Drive SE Rochester, MN 55904	Register for Rochester Site Contact 507-288-1282 or register@ssc.coop for registration questions.
October 13, 2014 8:00 a.m. registration 8:30-11:30 a.m.	Metro ECSU 2 Pine Tree Drive Suite 101 Arden Hills, MN 55112	Register for Metro Site Contact 507-288-1282 or register@ssc.coop for registration questions.

Cost: No Charge - CEUs will be available.

Questions about training? Contact Beth Barsness at beth.barsness@state.mn.us or 651-582-8336.