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CISPG LEARNING UPDATE

BUILDING VIBRANT CATHOLIC LEARNING COMMUNITIES

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CELEBRATING EARLY LEARNING IN THE NORTH

SD #57 is hosting a session entitled Early Learning in the North on Friday, January 29, 2016. Presenters include Shelley More and Lisa Schwartz, both highly regarded educators in the province of BC. Register on PD Reg at SD #57- cost is \$125. On Thursday, January 28, Shelley Moore is speaking at 7:00 pm — Duchess Park Theatre. The evening session is free and focuses on the new curriculum with an "inclusive lens." Please see attached for further information.

BUILDING STUDENT SUCCESS: BC'S NEW CURRICULUM

New information is available on the Ministry website! Check out the following materials and tools at: https://curriculum.gov.bc.ca/tools. Resources include:

- ✓ Videos on the new curriculum model and its components
- ✓ PDF document on "Starting Points in Planning"

BC EDUCATION DAILY #bcedchat

Check out this very valuable summary of articles, videos, and images shared with the #bcedchat hashtag.

The 2 SISTERS WEBSITE AND ONLINE SEMINARS:

Check out this link for some amazing literacy resources: https://www.thedailycafe.com/daily-5. The Daily 5™ is a framework for structuring literacy time so students develop lifelong habits of reading, writing, and working independently. Much of the information can be accessed for free, or you can sign up to access everything on the website. The 2 Sisters are also offering online seminars. More information can be found at:

https://www.thedailycafe.com/workshops/

WELCOME BACK!

Welcome back to school and many exciting initiatives for the New Year. In 2016, we will continue to explore the new curriculum and to share our discoveries and our challenges as we dig deeper into the "Big Ideas", core and curricular competencies and some new content. Please don't hesitate to contact me for additional support as we work through the new curriculum, assessment and reporting expectations.

These Learning Updates can be found on the cispg.ca website under the tab "curriculum".

Please continue to send pictures – I'm happy to include them ©

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