


Provider Newsletter

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CORY KANTH	Educational Specialist (801) 538-7660 cory.kanth@schools.utah.gov	<p>In relation to Teacher Clarity, please ensure that the teacher of record (including a CACTUS Id) is recorded in each enrollment request at the time a record is accepted. This is a requirement.</p> <hr/> <p>In addition, please ensure that the planned course start date is recorded in each enrollment request at the time a record is accepted. This is a requirement.</p> <hr/> <p>Small Schools have been notified that Small Schools funding may cover Remedial Credit as well as original credit. This may be misleading, because only Original Credit is available through SOEP. The intent of this notification was to communicate that the school may approve courses a student is taking for remediation, because these courses will be subsidized. However, courses used for remediation will still be the full "Original Credit" course, and not a course paired down to essential standards.</p>
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BRITANNI TAYLOR	SOEP Licensing Program Specialist (801) 538-7504 britanni.taylor@schools.utah.gov	<p>Have you had stakeholders from your community asking what PCBL looks like? Have you had teachers excited about PCBL but wanting some support on how to implement it in their classroom? USBE has a newly created set of resources to help. We are excited to announce that Utah's PCBL Framework has been updated to include hyperlinks to our newly built Evidence-Based Practices (EBP) playing cards! You can access them simply by scrolling down to each component of the Framework and clicking on the EBP you want to know more about. Each EBP is organized into the What? Why? and How? of the practice, along with implementation strategies for educators to use with their students and families. Alternatively, you can find a folder with all of the EBPs here.</p>
WINONA MOSS	Financial Analyst (801) 538-7986 winona.moss@schools.utah.gov	<p>Please remember that SEATS will be locked to status changes October 10th until the accounting process is complete. If you encounter the message, please come back in a day or two to change statuses.</p> <hr/> <p>I am excited about the progress our LEAs are taking to incorporate PCBL into the classroom. I have attached a document that clarifies what personalized, competency based learning is and what it is not, the myths and realities in the link are intended to address the most common misconceptions. Please feel free to ask any of our team members about PCBL and how you can incorporate it into your online teaching content.</p>
JILL BALDWIN	Educational Specialist (801) 538-7668 jill.baldwin@schools.utah.gov	 <p>My name is Jill Baldwin and I'm overjoyed to be the most recent addition to the USBE SOEP team. I have been working with the SOEP program as an educator at an online provider for the last decade. And I look forward to transferring my knowledge and skills to continue to support and strengthen this program that opens educational doors for so many students and families in our state.</p>