

SOUTHERN LEHIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT
5775 Main Street
Center Valley, PA 18034

TO: Board of School Directors

RE: Professional Conference Attendance

DATE: April 22, 2013

Name	Conference	Location	Date	Days	Substitute Cost	Fund Source	Total Cost (including cost for substitute)
Kelly Dougherty	2013 National Science Conference <i>Pearson invited me to San, Antonio, TX to attend the 2013 National Science Conference. This invitation is part of a Most Valuable Teacher Award given by Pearson.</i>	Antonio, TX	4/11-13/13	4	200.00	O (Pearson)	200.00
Jessica Kohler	Verbal Behavior Milestones Assessment and Placement Program: Administration & Programming <i>This training will provide an overview of the components of the VB-MAPP assessment tool including assessment characteristics, conceptual basic, administration, interpretation, and programming.</i>	Schnecksville, PA	4/23/13	1	100.00	L	124.30

Cristina Gruver	<p>Utilizing Cutting-Edge Tech to Enhance Foreign Language Education</p> <p><i>The content of this seminar focuses on the use of technology to help students practice the 5 C's from the national standards for Foreign Language Learning Technology will be used to access authentic cultural information and communication in the target language.</i></p>	Philadelphia, PS	4/24/13	1	100.00	L	272.45
Deanna Kubat	<p>PA ALIO</p> <p><i>This is a use4s group for our FAS/HR System specific to clients in the state for the PA, allowing for addressing needs issues with the syste4m and also to explore upcoming system enhancements.</i></p>	Enola, PA	4/26/13	1	0.00	L	100.00
Rebecca Hamm	<p>Lehigh County Envirothon</p> <p><i>The Envirothon is a national environmental events for school students throughout North America that provides learning opportunities and exploration about the environment throughout the school year. It culminates with a day of competition that measures how much the students have learned about these environmental topics: Aquatics, Solis, Wildlife, Forestry, and the Current issues topic.</i></p>	Emmaus, PA	5/2/13	1	100.00	L	100.00

Leah Christman	Annual PASA Women's Caucus Conference	Hershey, PA	5/5-7/13	3	0.00	L (Supt./AS)	1,190.00
Kristen Lewis	<i>Conference will provide sessions on Challenges facing women of color, Special education updates, Media relations, PA Educator Effectives System, Paths to educational leadership, Updates from PDE, Staff diversity, Legal updates, Managing catastrophic events, and Legislation and education.</i>						
Todd Miller	Hiking 101	Emmaus, PA	5/23/13	1	100.00	L	130.00
Tricia Anderson	<i>This conference allows us to learn how to utilize our natural environment to complement the learning of specific topics such as, ecology (ecosystem, geography, life science, etc.)</i>						
Michele Krippe	Childhood Neurology	King of Prussia, PA	5/28/13	1	100.00	L	371.49
	<i>This conference will provide updated information on head and brain injury autism, seizures, migraines, tourette4s and other neurologic conditions found in the pediatric population.</i>						
Karen Ryan	PSSA Mathematics Range-finding	Harrisburg, PA	6/10-14/13	5	0.00	O (PDE)	0.00
	<i>This session is where teache4rs across the state meet with representatives of PDE and DRC to review PSSA field tested items and evaluate sample student responses. From this work, anchored pieces are determined to assist scorers.</i>						

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Erin Hudson	<p>Math Boot Camp Gr. 3-5 <i>Participants will take a deep look at two strands of Common Core mathematical progressions and learn strategies for their implementation. Each day's learning will focus on a different key Domain appropriate for that grade band.</i></p>	Schnecksville, PS	7/9-10/13	2	0.00	L (D.I)	120.00
Joan Takacs	<p>Aligning Teacher Effectiveness, Learning Communities, and Curriculum in Preparing for the Rigor of the PA Common Core <i>Mr. Jay McTighe will present on the alignment of teacher effectiveness and the PA Common Core. Mr. McTighe has an extensive background in professional development and is a regular speaker at national, state, and district conferences and workshops. He has made presentations in 47 states within the United States, in 7 Canadian provinces, and internationally in 19 countries on six continents. His current presentations include how to design a curriculum based on understanding that builds upon the Common Core State Standards.</i></p>	Grantville, PS	11/5/13	1	0.00	L	212.38