Future Teachers Conference - February 15, 2019

Sessions	Session I 9:30-10:30	Session II 10:45-11:45	Session III 1:15-2:15
Survival Skills for First Year Teachers	Willamette		Willamette
Jacquie Jaquette (jacquie.jaquette@district6.org)	Room		Room
Get the low-down on what you really need to survive that first year of teaching. Jacquie Jaquette has years of experience mentoring first year teachers and understands the challenges. Get the tips and tricks you need to get from survival to success.			
Special Education Resources	Santiam Room		Santiam Room
Annie Draeger (annie.draeger@gmail.com)			
The SpEd resources presentation covers what a new teacher needs to know about IEPs, accommodations and modifications to curriculum, collaboration and co-teaching, and inclusion. The presentation focuses on takeaways for pre-service teachers that they can access in their first years as a general education teacher. Time will be allotted for Q&A to address burning questions you may have regarding IEPs.			
Capitalizing on the Job Fair		Calapooia Room	Calapooia Room
Erin Longfellow (oregonfair@gmail.com)		1	•
Get the edge at the Oregon Educators' Fair with tips on marketing yourself and preparing for screening interviews. Erin Longfellow is the Coordinator for the Oregon Educator Fair. She will share steps you can take to improve your marketability putting you at the top of the hiring pool. PowerPoint resource can be downloaded off the conference website.			
Wellness for the First Year Teacher		Ochoco Room	Ochoco Room
Inge Aldersebaes (inge@oeachoice.com) Educators spend half their waking day at work and play a significant role in preparing children and young people to be successful at school and in their lives. An educator's health and well-being is more than a nice-to-have; it's instrumental in creating robust learning environments. Join this interactive session to learn how to nurture your health through collective care.			
What Elementary Principals are Looking for	Columbia A	Columbia A	
Creighton Helms (creighton helms@gervais.k12.or.us) Dr. Creighton Helms, principal of Gervais Elementary School, will provide an honest discussion about what to expect when you interview for your first teaching position and the top-five things to know and expect as a first year elementary teacher.			

What Secondary Principals are Looking for Greg Borgerding (borgerding g@j.lane.edu) Greg Borgerding will provide some straight talk about working in a middle or high school environment—he understand the skills and characteristics secondary schools are looking for in a rock star teacher.	Columbia B	Columbia B	
OEA - Trauma Informed Practices Leah Starkovich (leah.starkovich@oregoned.org) By understanding how the brain develops and is structured around survival and neural pathways, we can have a better understanding of why some students struggle to conform to school expectations. Participants will learn alternate explanations for student behavior and ways to increase empathy so staff are able to build relationships with students to help them stay regulated and be successful at school. All educators who have worked with challenging behaviors in schools are encouraged to attend this session		Santiam Room	Columbia B