

Lake Washington Education Association

Newbie Nights

A professional development series for newer teachers

Do you wake up in the middle of the night worried about how to engage that reluctant learner or handle a difficult parent? Do you often wonder if you'll ever not be so tired? Or how on earth you are ever supposed to get everything done with the limited amount of time in the day? Then this series of professional development opportunities is just for you.

LWEA is sponsoring 6 evening sessions designed specifically for teachers with 6 or fewer years of teaching experience.

We'll provide you with hospitality, dinner, and an opportunity to hear from experts on various topics as they share strategies for surviving your first few years in the classroom.

Please join us in connecting and collaborating with others new to the profession. Find out how LWEA, WEA, and NEA can help support you in your profession.

To register: Contact <u>Sheila</u> <u>Hagerman</u> at LWEA (shhagerman@lwsd.org) or at 425-822-3388.

Lake Washington Education Association 10604 NE 38th Place, Ste 212 Kirkland, WA 98033 January 18, 2018 (4:30 - 7:00 PM)

Creating Harmony with Parent Communication

Let's focus on how to build connections with families and students that support a foundation for learning. We'll investigate strategies for successful communication and connect it all to your current PGP.

Learn practical tips and tricks from our panel of experienced educators to handle challenging conversations, move beyond parents' own barriers, and encourage support for student learning at home.

Save these dates:

- February 8, 2018 Unlocking the Puzzle of Differentiation
- March 15, 2018 Reducing the Strife in Your Life

Look for more about these sessions and other professional development opportunities in the Update (the weekly LWEA newsletter) and on the LWEA website (lakewashingtonea.org).

Session #4

Earn clock hours while you attend these sessions!

Clock hours will be provided to all LWEA and WEA members who attend at least two sessions. More information will be available at each session.