

USD #377 Atchison County Community Schools News Release



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District Teacher Training to Feature Vocabulary Work

On Thursday, October 26th, all teachers in USD#377 will meet to explore new and innovative ways of incorporating vocabulary study into subject areas across the Atchison County Community School's curriculum. The strategy of incorporating vocabulary study across the curriculum was identified last spring by the district's Professional Development Council (PDC) as an effective and research proven way to increase reading skill for all students.

The training will be conducted by Terri Campbell who is school improvement specialist for the Southeast Kansas Educational Service Center-Greenbush. Ms. Campbell has spent 19 years as an educator. In addition to serving as a classroom teacher at the elementary and middle school level, Ms. Campbell has worked as an at-risk coordinator, curriculum director and an elementary school administrator.

In order to accommodate the October 26th teacher training, school will be dismissed early. Buses will run according to the following departure times:

- 11:10 am Pre-school
- 11:15 am Effingham ES
- 11:20 am MS
- 11:25 am HS
- 11:40 am Lancaster ES
- 11:45 am Cummings ES