

Southern Division 2023-2024 Workshops



2023-2024 ESP Southern Division Officers

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Saturday
October 7, 2023

Saturday
January 27, 2024

Wednesday
March 13, 2024
Location: TBD

*Location: Southern Region Office
4750 Delbrook Road, Mechanicsburg

*Division meetings may change locations or be held using a virtual platform. Please check your email or contact the Division office prior to each event for updated information.

Saturday, October 7, 2023

Time: 8 - 11:30 a.m.

Registration/Breakfast - 8 a.m.
Business Meeting - 9 a.m.

Dealing with Difficult People

Presenters: Rhonda Jacoby, PSEA Assistant Director of Human Resources and Amy Wolfgang, Southern Region UniServ and ESP Liaison

This workshop identifies and explores the characteristics of people who are difficult to work with. The objective is to develop more behavioral choices and to learn some of the classical rules and principles for success in working with colleagues, administrators, parents, students, school board members, and families.

Follow-up information will be sent to your local officers approximately three weeks prior to the workshops. Prior registration is required for the food count.

Workshop Topics, Dates, and Times are subject to change.

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Saturday, January 27, 2024

Time: 8 - 11:30 a.m.

Registration/Breakfast - 8 a.m.

Business Meeting - 9 a.m.

Escape - Creativity in the Classroom

Presenter: Jeff Grinaway, Midwestern Region UniServ and ESP Liaison

Solve the puzzles ~ Find the key ~ Escape the room. Participants will have 60 minutes to escape the room. When used in the classroom, this learning tool is part education, part team-building exercise and part problem solving, all while teaching students about their curriculum. **Note: Session is limited to 28 participants.**



Wednesday, March 13, 2024

Time: 5 - 8:30 p.m. Registration/Dinner - 5 p.m./5:30 p.m.

Business Meeting - 6:30 p.m.

Southern Division ESP Annual Spring Dinner Meeting and Legal Update

*Presenters: Amy Wolfgang, Southern Region UniServ and ESP Liaison
and Scott Stedjan, Esquire*

This presentation provides an overview of legal issues and current “hot topics” in the education world pertaining to ESP employees. Potential topics to be covered include changes in case law that impact education support professionals, employee rights when dealing with administration, and how to respond to allegations of child abuse or improper conduct.

→ ATTENTION ←

If you work in Adams, Cumberland, Dauphin, Franklin, Fulton, Juniata, Lancaster, Lebanon, Perry, or York County, you should attend the ESP Southern Division meeting.