At-Home Training Guide for Education Support Professionals

District work from home policies are unclear for NEA-Alaska’s ESPs. This document is designed to capture training opportunities educators can engage in at home that allow us to model the life-long learning we want for our students.

**NEA and NEA-Alaska Learning Opportunities**

NEA-Micro Credentials - [https://nea.certificationbank.com/](https://nea.certificationbank.com/)
Micro-Credential Guide - [www.nea.org/home/microcredentials.html](http://www.nea.org/home/microcredentials.html)

All NEA Lesson Plans - [http://www.nea.org/tools/BrowseAllLessons.html](http://www.nea.org/tools/BrowseAllLessons.html)

NEA-Alaska New Ed Webinar Recordings:

NEA Professional Development Webinar Archive
[http://www.nea.org/home/70358.htm](http://www.nea.org/home/70358.htm)
Alaska Department of Education and Early Development
Online E-Learning Courses

Assessments

Test Administration Training for Building Test Coordinators
Test Administration Training for Test Administration

Child Nutrition

Preparing for an Administrative Review for School Nutrition Programs
CACFP: Administration Basics
CACFP: Family Style Dining
CACFP: Infant Meals of the Child & Adult Care Food Program
CACFP: Meal Pattern Basics
CACFP: Participant Enrollment and Income Eligibility
Developing a School Food Safety Program
Local School Wellness Policies
NSLP Community Eligibility Provision Training
NSLP: Eligibility of School Meals
NSLP: Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Program
NSLP: Meal Pattern Requirements
NSLP: Nutrition Standards for All Food Sold in Schools (Smart Snacks)
NSLP: Offer vs. Serve
NSLP: Production Records
NSLP: Program Pricing
NSLP: Point of Service & Counting and Claiming
NSLP: Verification Edit Check
Procurement Training - Food Service Management Companies
Procurement Training - Formal
Procurement Training - Informal
Procurement Training - Procurement Plans
Summer Food Service Program’s Administration Basics
Summer Food Service Program’s Meal Pattern Basics
USDA Civil Rights Requirements and Child Nutrition Programs
USDA Civil Rights Requirements for the Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP)
USDA Foods Program
Wellness Guidelines for Alaska’s Young Children

**Health & Safety**

Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Training for Educators
Equity Training for Educators
Mandated Reporters of Child Abuse and Neglect
Medication Administration: Training for Unlicensed School Staff
Narcan Administration for an Opioid Overdose
Opioids and the Opioid Epidemic 101
Overcoming ACEs in Alaskan Schools
Precautions Against Blood-borne Pathogens
Prenatal Alcohol and Drug Related Disabilities
School Crisis Response Planning
Trauma-Engaged and Practicing Schools
Trauma-Engaged Educators Guide
Trauma-Sensitive Schools

**Mandatory Trainings for Teacher Certification**

Please visit the Teacher Certification Mandatory Trainings page for more information.

Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Training for Educators
Mandated Reporters of Child Abuse and Neglect
Prenatal Alcohol and Drug Related Disabilities
Suicide Awareness
Suicide Prevention
Suicide Intervention
Responding to Suicide - Postvention Guidelines
**Special Education**

Alaska Parent Guide
An Introduction to Early Childhood Transition from Part C to Part B
Early Childhood Outcomes
Eligibility Categories
Evaluation Summary and Eligibility Review
Identifying Learning Theory
Individualized Education Program
Monitoring Student Progress
Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS)
Post-Secondary Transition Planning in the IEP
Prenatal Alcohol and Drug Related Disabilities
Roles and Responsibility
Strategies for Accommodating Individual Need
Supporting Student Learning Styles

**Suicide Awareness & Prevention**

Suicide Awareness
Suicide Prevention
Suicide Intervention
Responding to Suicide - Postvention Guidelines

**Trauma-Engaged Schools**

Overcoming ACEs in Alaskan Schools
Trauma-Engaged and Practicing Schools
Trauma-Engaged Educators Guide
Trauma-Sensitive Schools
Schools and Universities - many higher education institutions offer free video lecture series.

- University of Reddit with corresponding subreddit
- MIT Lectures
- Carnegie Mellon
- Johns Hopkins
- Rice - Connexions
- Utah State
- Berkeley
- Berkeley Part 2
- Berkeley Part 3 (videos)
- Stanford
- Stanford Part 2 (videos)
- Harvard
- University of Sydney
- Stanford
- Yale
- Yale Part 2 (videos)
- University of Chicago
- University of New South Wales
- Open Course Ware Finder
- Open Course Ware Consortium
- University of the People
- P2P University
Other General Learning Sites:

- OpenStudy
- Wikiversity
- Youtube Edu
- 100 Best Intro Courses
- Khan Academy
- Open Culture
- TED
- Cosmo Learning
- Knol
- Academic Earth
- Free Video Lectures
- More Video Lectures
- Directory of Open Access Journals
- Learners TV
- Incredicampus
- LectureFox
- Freelance-Teacher
- National Programme on Tech Enhanced Learning
- Study Blue
- WikiHow
- How Stuff Works
- Wonder How To
- Better Explained
- TeachMate
- Learning Schedule Tracker - Smart.fm
- Mixergy
Specialized Learning Sites

Computer Related:

- Carl H Programming with corresponding subreddit
- Google Code University
- The New Boston - Step by step lessons for multiple languages
- Learn about Linux
- Free Technology Academy
- University of Washington CSE
- Lynda.com
- Web Building Tutorials
- Building Websites via Academic Earth
- Opera Web Standards Curriculum
- Stack Overflow (Question Site)
- D Zone (Question Site)
- VideoCoPilot - Tutorials for Adobe After Effects
- Nettuts - Web development tutorials
- Bloc - "Bloc makes it easy and fun to learn how to program"

Music:

- Teoria - Classical Music Theory (recommended by WhatYouGive via PM)
- Funk University
- Piano Lessons
- Music Theory - Trainear.com
- Music Theory - MusicTheory.net
- Guitar Lessons at Ultimate-Guitar
- Guitar Lessons at The Stringery
- Guitar Lessons at The Next Level Guitar
- Guitar Lessons at Justin Guitar
- Bass Lessons
- **Chord Book - Chordbook.com**
- **Chord Book - Chorder.com**
- **Guitar Neck Quiz**

**Language:**

- **LiveMocha**
- **Languages from BBC**
- **FSI Language Courses**
- **Duolingo** - "Learn language for free and translate the web" (recommended by TychePsyche via PM with associated [TED Talk](https://www.ted.com))
- **Talk To Me In Korean** - a website for lessons on speaking Korean (very highly recommended by biscuitlol via PM)

**Cooking/Food:**

- **Good Eats** ([alternate video source](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dQw4w9WgXcQ))
- **Cooking Coarse** (Youtube Search Summary)
- **Jamie's Home Cooking Skills** (recommended by pasteve via PM)

**eBooks/Online Books/Academic Journals:**

- **Project Gutenburg**
- **Planet eBook**
- **The Free Library**
- **Google Books**
- **Open Book Project**
- **WikiBooks**
- **Safari Books Online** (paid subscription needed)
- **Using Open Edu Resources - eBook (.pdf)**
- **How to Think Like a Computer Scientist - eBook**
- **Large list of science eBooks**
- **Scribd**
- **WorldCat - Worldwide Library Catalog**
- **Cornell University - arXiv.org**
- **Cite Seer**
- **Scirus**
- **Get Cited**
- **Online Library - ibiblio**
- **Librivox** - A free audio book website (recommended by city_light and thecheese_cake via PM)
- **The Assayer** - "The web's largest catalog of books whose authors have made them available for free." (recommended by grbgout via PM)

*Other Subjects:*

- **The Math Motherload**
- **Western Civilization**
- **Psychoactives**
- **Philosophy**
- **Make Magazine**
- **Self Improvement - 101 Linked Resources**
- **Custom Action Figures**
- **Exercise**
- **Yoga**
- **Raising Chickens**
- **Argument Mapping**
- **Investing**
- **Instructables**
- **Physics for Future Presidents**
- **Creative Live**
- **Let's Make Robots**
- **InfoPlease - Almanac**