The Instructional Technology Team will provide professional learning opportunities to teachers and families beginning the week of August 17th and running to September 4th. This Instructional Technology Institute includes over 30 one-hour online sessions to provide participants with a working understanding of each application in order to begin the school year. At this Institute, we will also be offering STAR Informational Sessions to introduce the new platform and some of the features of this assessment program. Additionally, once the school year begins, we will be offering workshops to families on Chromebook Usage and Care. The workshops for families are intended for parents/guardians. However, parents/guardians may opt to include students at these sessions. Please see the schedule below for descriptions and details for all sessions.

You will need to register for each workshop you would like to take. Once you have registered, a Zoom link will be provided to you. In order to register for a session, click on the date of the workshop you wish to attend. You must register at least one day prior to the start of the workshop. If you have any questions, please contact Deb Fishman at dfishman@nredlearn.org.

These workshops will be recorded if you cannot attend and the accompanying materials will be posted on the Instructional Technology Website. We will be offering these workshops again during the school year. After each session, we ask that you fill out a follow-up form so that we can address questions and other topics at future workshops.

El Equipo de Tecnología Educativa proporcionará oportunidades de aprendizaje profesional a los maestros y las familias a partir de la semana del 17 de Agosto hasta el 4 de septiembre. Este Instituto de Tecnología Educativa incluye más de 30 sesiones en línea de una hora para brindarles a los participantes una comprensión práctica de cada aplicación para comenzar el año escolar. En este Instituto, también ofreceremos sesiones informativas STAR para presentar la nueva plataforma y algunas de las características de este programa de evaluación. Además, una vez que comience el año escolar, ofreceremos talleres a las familias sobre el uso y cuidado de los Chromebooks. Los talleres para familias están destinados a padres/tutores. Sin embargo, los padres/tutores pueden optar por incluir estudiantes en estas sesiones. Consulte el programa a continuación para obtener descripciones y detalles de todas las sesiones.

Deberá registrarse en cada taller que le gustaría tomar. Una vez que se haya registrado, se le proporcionará un enlace de Zoom. Para inscribirse en una sesión, haga clic en la fecha del taller al que desea asistir. Debes registrarte al menos un día antes del inicio del taller. Si tiene alguna pregunta, comuníquese con Deb Fishman en dfishman@nredlearn.org.

Estos talleres se grabarán si no puede asistir y los materiales adjuntos se publicarán en el sitio web de tecnología educativa. Ofreceremos estos talleres nuevamente durante el año escolar. Después de cada sesión, le pedimos que complete un formulario de seguimiento para que podamos abordar preguntas y otros temas en futuros talleres.

**Workshop Offerings**

**For Families: Parents/Guardians/Students**
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| ☆ Seesaw for Home Grades PreK-1<br>Facilitators: Katie Scherhaufer & Shannon Mulqueen | In this session, you will learn:  
• How Seesaw works  
• What your child sees  
• How to help your child  
• What assignments look like | Families with Students Grades PreK-1 | August 20 @ 11:30-12:30  
September 2 @ 9-10 |
| ☆ Google Classroom Grades 2-5 for Home<br>Facilitators: Laura Sarago & Dawn Huston | In this session, you will learn:  
• How to join a class  
• About student view of the classroom  
• How to find assignments  
• To use the calendar  
• About the Guardian feature | Families with Students Grades 2-5 | August 27 @ 10:15-11:15  
August 28 @ 1-2 |
| ☆ Google Classroom Grades 6-12 for Home<br>Facilitators: Lyda Martinelli & Mark Silviotti | In this session, you will learn:  
• How to join a class  
• About student view of the classroom  
• How to find assignments  
• To use the calendar  
• About the Guardian feature | Families with Students Grades 6-12 | August 28 @ 10:15-11:15  
September 1 @ 9-10 |
| ☆ Applications for Grades K-2 for Home: Raz-Kids, IXL, Nearpod, Kami<br>Facilitators: Katie Scherhaufer & Shannon Mulqueen | In this session, you will learn:  
• Logging in to various applications  
• How to use Raz-Kids  
• Assignments in Kami  
• Features of Nearpod and IXL | Families with Students Grades K-2 | August 18 @ 2:15-3:15  
August 19 @ 11:30-12:30 |
| ☆ Applications for Grades 3-5 for Home: IXL, Newsela, Nearpod, Kami, Screencastify<br>Facilitators: Laura Sarago & Shannon Mulqueen | In this session, you will learn:  
• Logins for various applications  
• How to use Newsela, Screencastify and IXL Math and ELA  
• Assignments in Kami  
• Features of Nearpod | Families with Students Grades 3-5 | August 18 @ 9-10  
August 19 @ 1-2 |
| ☆ Applications for Grades 6-8 for Home: IXL, Newsela, Nearpod, Kami, Screencastify<br>Facilitators: Lyda Martinelli & Dawn Huston | In this session, you will learn:  
• Logins for various applications  
• How to use Newsela, Screencastify and IXL Math  
• Assignments in Kami  
• Features of Nearpod | Families with Students Grades 6-8 | August 19 @ 10:15-11:15  
August 20 @ 2:15-3:15 |
| ☆ Applications for Grades 9-12 for Home: IXL, Newsela, Nearpod, Kami, Screencastify<br>Facilitators: Laura Sarago & Mark Silviotti | In this session, you will learn:  
• Logins for various applications  
• How to use Newsela, Screencastify and IXL Math  
• Assignments in Kami  
• Features of Nearpod | Families with Students Grades 9-12 | August 25 @ 10:15-11:15  
September 3 @ 1-2 |
| ☆ Zoom for Home<br>Facilitators: Jeannine Shields & Lyda Martinelli | In this session, you will learn:  
• How to find the Zoom link  
• How to register and login  
• Features of Zoom  
• Zoom rules for students | Families All | August 24 @ 1-2  
August 31 @ 2:15-3:15 |
| ☆ Seesaw para Home Grados PreK-1<br>español<br>Facilitadores: Dan Cacciardi & Moises Freja | En esta sesión, aprenderás:  
• Cómo funciona Seesaw  
• Lo que ve su hijo  
• Cómo ayudar a su hijo  
• Cómo se ven las asignaciones | Familias con Estudiantes Grados PreK-1 español | 19 de agosto @ 9-10  
24 de agosto @ 2:15-3:15 |
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| **Google Classroom for Home Grados 2-5**  
**español**  
Facilitadores: Dan Cacciardi & Moises Freja  
| En esta sesión, aprenderá:  
• Cómo unirse a una clase  
• Sobre de la vista de los estudiantes del aula  
• Cómo encontrar asignaciones  
• Para usar el calendario  
• Acerca de la función Guardian  
| familias con estudiantes grados 2-5  
**español**  
| 21 de agosto @ 9-10  
26 de agosto @ 2:15-3:15 |
| **Google Classroom for Home Grados 6-12**  
**español**  
Facilitadores: Dan Cacciardi & Moises Freja  
| En esta sesión, aprenderá:  
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• Sobre de la vista de los estudiantes del aula  
• Cómo encontrar asignaciones  
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• Acerca de la función Guardian  
| familias con estudiantes grados 6-12  
**español**  
| 19 de agosto @ 2:15-3:15  
31 de agosto @ 9-10 |
| **Zoom for Home**  
**español**  
Facilitadores: Dan Cacciardi & Moises Freja  
| En esta sesión, aprenderá:  
• Cómo encontrar el enlace Zoom  
• Cómo registrarse e iniciar sesión  
• Características de Zoom  
• Reglas de Zoom para estudiantes  
| familias todos  
**español**  
| 20 de agosto @ 9-10  
28 de agosto @ 2:15-3:15 |

**For Teachers**

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| **Seesaw Grades PreK-1 Teachers**  
Facilitators: Katie Scherhauser & Shannon Mulqueen  
| In this session, learn to:  
• Create a class  
• Create an assignment  
• Use Seesaw features  
• Review student data  
• Provide feedback to students  
| Teachers Grades PreK-1  
| August 19 @ 2:15-3:15  
August 26 @ 11:30-12:30  
September 3 @ 11:30-12:30 |
| **Google Classroom Level 1 Teachers Grades 2-5**  
Facilitators: Jeannine Shields & Deb Fishman  
| In this session, learn to:  
• Create a class  
• Name & customize a class  
• Invite students  
• Learn about basic settings  
• Explore the components of classroom  
• Create an assignment  
• Post an announcement  
| Teacher Grades 2-5  
| August 25 @ 9-10  
August 26 @ 10:15-11:15 |
| **Google Classroom Level 2 Teachers Grades 2-5**  
Facilitators: Laura Sarago & Dawn Huston  
| In this session, learn to:  
• Use the different components of classroom  
• Create assignments using a variety of applications  
• Integrate with other platforms  
• Utilize the calendar  
• Use guardian features  
| Teachers Grades 2-5  
| August 27 @ 1-2  
September 1 @ 11:30-12:30 |
| **Google Classroom Level 1 Teachers Grades 6-12**  
Facilitators: Lyda Martinelli & Mark Silviotti  
| In this session, learn to:  
• Create classes  
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**Google Forms for Teachers**
Facilitators: Moises Freja & Deb Fishman

In this session, learn to:
- Create quizzes
- Create formative assessments
- Create polls & surveys
- Review data from Forms

**Google Slides for Teachers**
Facilitators: Jeannine Shields & Deb Fishman

In this session, learn to:
- Create slide presentations and assignments
- Use interactive features
- Customize slide templates
- Use shared slides with students

**Google Docs/Sheets for Teachers**
Facilitators: Dan Cocciardi & Moises Freja

In this session, learn to:
- Use docs and sheets for assignments
- Use hyperlinks
- Use drawing feature
- Create resources for students
- Features of docs/sheets

**Zoom for Teachers**
Facilitators: Jeannine Shields & Dawn Huston

In this session, learn to:
- Create links
- Use registration
- Customize meetings
- Change Zoom settings
- Use Zoom features: breakout rooms, polls, nonverbal signs
- Zoom rules for classes
- Assign leveled material

**Raz-Kids K-3 Teachers**
Facilitators: Laura Sarago & Dawn Huston

In this Session, learn to:
- Roster your class
- Assign leveled materials
- Review data from student quizzes

**Nearpod Level 1**
Facilitators: Jeannine Shields & Deb Fishman

In this Session, learn to:
- Utilize search tool in Nearpod
- Identify vetted materials and assign lessons
- Use Live and Student-Paced Lessons
- Create simple Nearpod Lessons
- Review data

**Nearpod Level 2**
Facilitators: Mark Silviotti & Deb Fishman

In this Session, learn to:
- Customize already existing lessons
- Create lessons from Google Slides
- Integrate with Google Classroom
- Use Video Component of Nearpod

**Screencastify for Teachers**
Facilitators: Laura Sarago

In this Session, learn to:
- Make a screen recording
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