

Professional Learning Update



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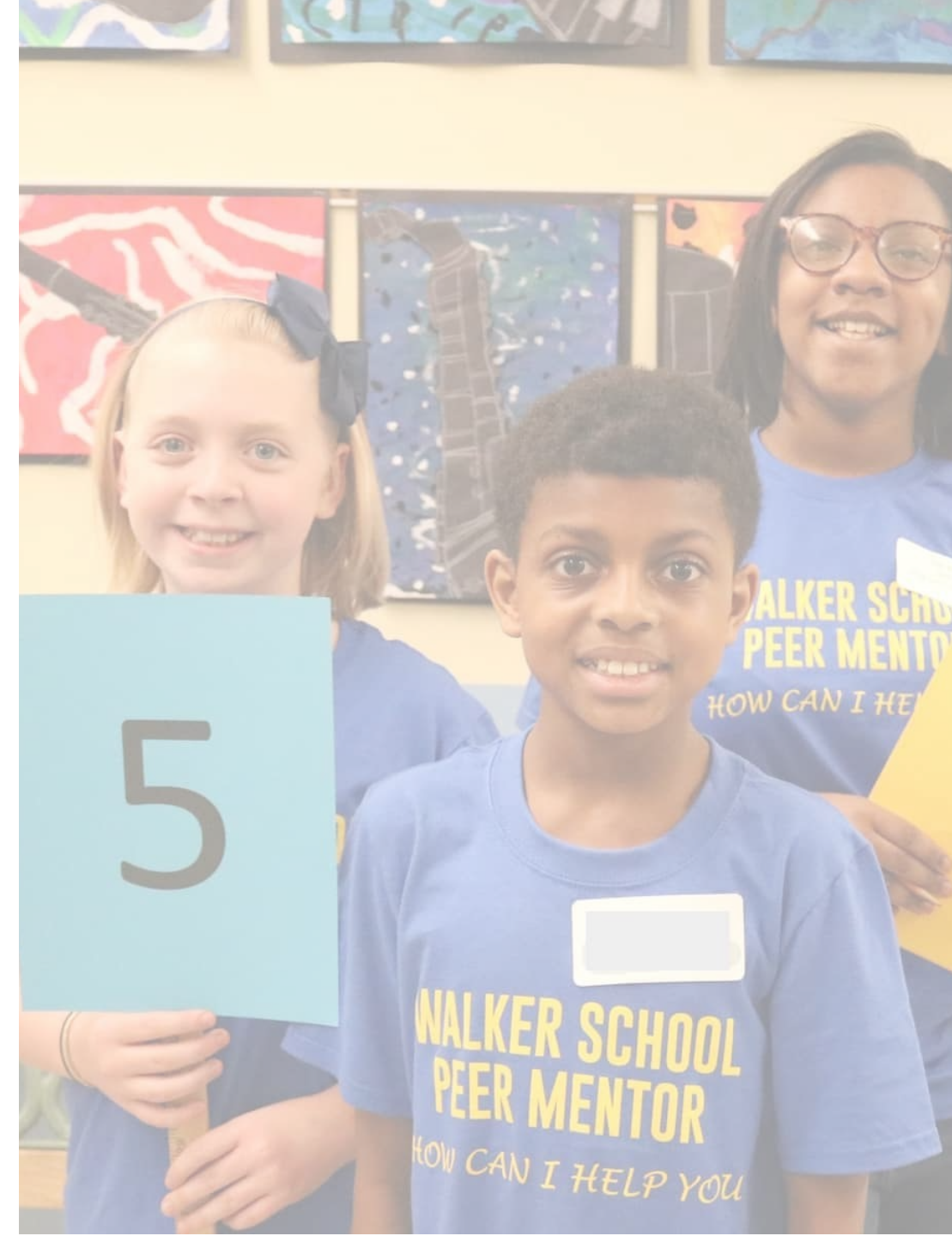
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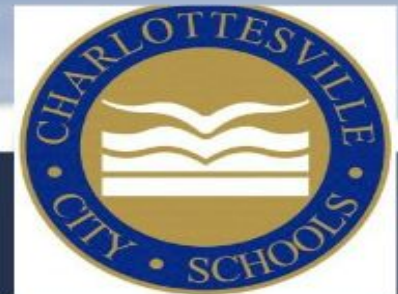


A photograph of a science classroom with students engaged in an experiment. A boy in a blue shirt is pouring green liquid from a beaker into a test tube held by a girl in a blue shirt. Other students are visible in the background, some wearing lab coats. The scene is set in a room with bookshelves and educational posters.

Professional Learning Year in Review

Professional Learning Overview

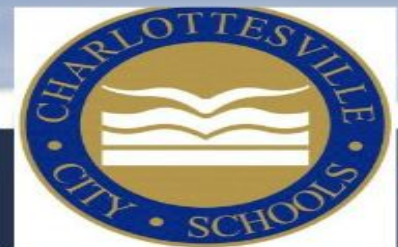
This year we focused on ensuring that PL provided ongoing opportunities that were *intentional*, *meaningful*, *sustained*, and *aligned* to participants' practice and had direct impact on student outcomes.



Professional Learning Year in Review

Provided job-embedded Support & Feedback

Instructional Coaches	Monthly meetings to support building the capacity of coaches to support teachers
Novice Teacher Mentoring	Monthly deliverables, PL through Canvas
Assistant Principal PL	Assistant principals engaged in PL throughout the year that focused on using data to enhance instruction, budget, and communication
District PL	Provided content, grade level, and program specific PL



A woman with dark hair tied back, wearing a dark blue t-shirt with "VIRGINIA" and "CAVALIERS" in orange letters, is smiling and surrounded by a group of children in a park. The children are wearing various hats and clothing, and many have their hands raised in the air. The background shows a grassy field, a chain-link fence, and some buildings in the distance.

Summer PL Opportunities

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Using both local and grant funding(ESSER, Title 4, TSI etc.) we are able to offer the following opportunities this summer.

<u>Summer PL</u>	<u>Target Audience & Focus</u>
Southern Regional Education Board (SREB)	Cohort of Buford Teachers <i>SREB partners with districts and schools to identify and adopt strategies that help teachers, counselors and school leaders empower youth to connect the classroom with the real world. School Improvement employs a distributed leadership approach to involve the whole school in identifying problems of practice that impact student engagement and achievement and developing plans to solve them.</i>
AVID Institute	Buford and CHS AVID Cohorts - Baltimore,Tampa <i>AVID Summer Institute is a 3-day, high-touch, interactive community experience featuring a rigorous curriculum that promotes student achievement at the highest levels and lays out a pathway to student success.</i>
Culturally Responsive Pedagogy & Classroom Management in Urban Classrooms	Strategic Planning Session with Buford and Walker Leadership Teams with Dr. Shaun Woodly
DIBELS	New reading specialists, SPED teachers, ESL teachers, Classroom teachers grades K-8, Admin, coaches <i>Train K-8 teachers on DIBELS8 screeners and reports to use for VTSS implementation in grades K-8</i>
Mentors	UVA, Mentor VA

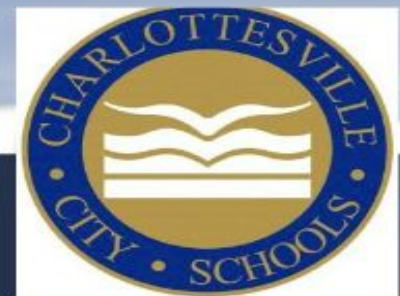
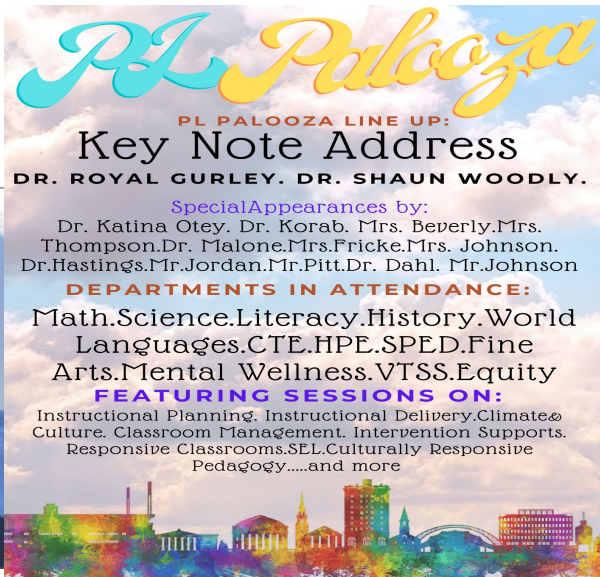
A photograph of a classroom scene where students are engaged in a hands-on activity. In the foreground, a young girl with braided hair, wearing a white t-shirt, is looking towards the right. Behind her, a boy in a blue long-sleeved shirt is pouring a green liquid from a clear plastic bottle into a small container. Another student is visible in the background, wearing a dark hoodie with a graphic that says "Fair WINDY H" and "NEW YORK". To the right, a girl with blonde hair in a blue shirt is working with a blue tube and other materials. The background shows a brick wall, a whiteboard with some writing, and a bookshelf filled with books. The text "Looking Ahead" is overlaid in the center in a large, bold, dark blue font.

Looking Ahead

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We have started preliminary planning for PL for the 2023-24 School Year

<u>Division</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Cohort</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Leadership Advance, June 15th and August 1, 2023 ● PL Palooza- August 16-17, 2023 ● New Teacher Orientation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Buford & Walker- Sustained Support with Dr. Shaun Woodly ● Dr. Kristin Conradi- Walker ● Dr. Kristi Doubet- Buford ● Skip Tyler- Buford Math Teachers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Instructional Coaches- SIOP & Make it Happen, Kim Bailey ● Teacher Leaders- Newcomer Training ● LETRS Cohort ● Mentor Teachers- Mentor VA and UVA

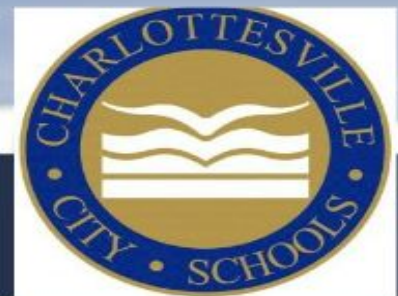


Upcoming Next Steps



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- Prepare for Leadership Advance June 15, 2023
- Summer PL opportunities
- Vetting of PL Palooza Proposals
- Preparing training for mentor teachers
- New Teacher Orientation 2023



A photograph of two cheerleaders in the background, smiling and making peace signs with their hands. They are wearing dark grey jackets with orange accents and white bows with pink polka dots in their hair. The background is a blurred green field.

Questions?