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TO: School District Superintendents

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FROM: Trent Carroll, Chief Operations Officer

DATE: October 21, 2019

SUBJECT: Digital Threat Assessment Training Opportunities

November 4-5

DIGITAL THREAT ASSESSMENT TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES NOVEMBER 4-5

The Wyoming Department of Education will host Digital Threat Assessment training November 4-5 at the Gillette <u>Cam-plex</u>, in the Yellowstone Classroom. A basic level course will be held on November 4, with an advanced level course on November 5. The two courses are delivered by <u>Safer Schools Together</u>.

According to Safer Schools Together, the Digital Threat Assessment program was developed through the need to keep pace with the ever-evolving threats to school safety and security. The goal is to give attendees a stronger understanding of the current social media world, tools to be able to proactively identify student safety concerns, and provide strategies for dealing with online situations as they arise. All aspects of school safety and threats to schools now involve a social media or online component and we need to be prepared.

This training is particularly geared toward superintendents, district and school administrators, school principals, curriculum

coordinators, transportation directors, technology directors and staff, counselors, SRO's and local law enforcement.

November 4 - Basic Digital Threat Assessment Training (Prerequisite for Advanced Training)

November 5 - Advanced Digital Threat Assessment Training

Sign-in starts at 8 a.m, and classes will be 8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m., with a one-hour lunch (on your own).

Register for one or both courses here.

Attendees will need to bring a fully charged laptop, Microsoft Surface Pro, or Google Chromebook to get the most from the hands-on portion of the training. Tablets are not compatible with some aspects of the training, and iPads have limited searching capabilities. Devices will need access to the websites listed below. Check with your IT Department to ensure they are not blocked.

- https://twitter.com/
- https://www.instagram.com/
- https://www.facebook.com/
- https://www.google.com
- http://www.tineye.com
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