

# Early Release & PD Planning 24-25

## 2025-2026 Professional Development Plan and Key Dates

**Lotus Agenda Meetings: 2nd Tuesday of each month after school**

**Stanton Agenda Meetings: 1st Wednesday of each month at 7:10 AM**

District	Lotus	Stanton
July		
7/1- Second grade Bridges pilot training 11-2:00 7/9 & 7/10- L.T. Bridges Implementation training (6 hours) 7/30- T.V. Bridges Implementation training (6 hours) 8/7- 4th grade Bridges Implementation training (6 hours) 8/11 & 8/12- E.R. Bridges Implementation training (6 hours)  EnVision Math Program Activation– EnVision Math SuccessMaker–		
August		
	New Staff Orientation	
Thus 14	Institute Day	
Fri 15	Institute Day	
Wed 20	Collaborative Team Time Establish Team Norms- Life Skills Para Check in w/Chad- library	Mini Lesson Staff Resources/Collaborative Team Time
Wed 27	Curriculum Night Prep	
September		
Mon 1	No School-Labor Day	
Sept. Agenda Meeting Focus	Snack Cart- Alana & Karen  PBIS-  Behavior Matrix & Discipline	Intro to STARR/Review for Returning Staff: 1. Focus on Resilience 2. Understand Trauma as an Experience (Wednesday, Sept. 3)
Wed 3	Certified Staff Evaluation Plan Overview (Kendra and	Certified Staff Evaluation Plan Overview (DeVoss, Fenton, Cardamone)

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	Fiona)  Team planning for student growth choice  Life Skills Mobility Training for Paras w/Sephanie Silverman	Team planning for student growth choice  Time for staff to watch CPI videos–Stanton	
Wed 10	Panorama Basics-Certified Staff & Service Providers-Lotus Library  Para Meeting-2:00-2:30 Lotus Library		Finalize Student Growth and Eval. Plans  Para Meeting - 2:00 - 2:30 (Library)
Wed 17	PreK Screening  IXL training–Math Only  <b>Lotus School</b> 1:00-2:30pm CT Presenter: Carmen McCotter Zoom link: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/91873502709">https://zoom.us/j/91873502709</a>	iXL training–driven with Fall MAP data  <b>Stanton School</b> 1:40-3:10pm CT Presenter: Dale McBride Zoom link: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/99417862686?jst=2">https://zoom.us/j/99417862686?jst=2</a>	IXL Training (Cert. Staff)  De-Escalation Strategies (Paras/Smolen)  Anne Marie’s Law (Staff presentation)  Time for staff to watch CPI videos–BOTH
Wed 24	EAFL Articulation Meeting–EAFL members only–at Stanton 2:00  ADMIN CPI IN-PERSON TRAINING W LYNN AT LOTUS Ad Team Meeting		
October			
Oct. Agenda Meeting Focus	CPI Mini (toolbox for deescalation)  Nicole Brinkman - CICO Recap (5 min)		STARR Sessions 3 and 4: 1. Foster Connections 2. Prioritize Social and Emotional Skill Development

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<b>Wed 1</b>	Solara Training- Lotus (virtual) - all certified staff- 1:00-1:45 (staff in their own spaces on their own devices, please)  2:00-2:30 Staff Meeting in Library  Para meeting- 2:00-2:30		STANTON CPI (Hands-On) IN PERSON TRAINING W/ LYNN  Vertical Content Area Time
<b>Wed 8</b>	Develop grade-level classroom expectations and consequences	Anne Marie's Law (Staff presentation)  LOTUS CPI INPERSON TRAINING W LYNN	Anne Marie's Law (Staff presentation)  Student Health Procedures (Paraprofessionals w/ Amy M, 2:30)
<b>Fri 10</b>	Institute Day Bridges Assessment 3 Hour Training 3rd & 4th	Math Savvas SuccessMaker training 9-11	Special Education Training, Modifications and Accommodations  CPI Certified Staff de-escalation (Smolen
<b>Mon 13</b>	<b>No School- Columbus Day</b>		
<b>Wed 15</b>	PreK Screening		Erin's Law and Faith's Law
<b>Wed 22</b>	Time for Global Compliance Training Title IX Racism Free Schools KnowBeFor		
<b>Wed 29</b>			
<b>November</b>			
<b>Nov.</b>	CPI Mini (toolbox for		STARR Sessions 5

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Agenda Meeting Focus	deescalation)		and 6 1. Establish Safety 2. Promote Play (Wed. Nov. 5th)
Wed 5			
Wed 12			Effective P/T Conferences
Wed 19			
Wed 24	Thanksgiving Break		
December			
Dec. Agenda Meeting Focus	CPI Mini (toolbox for deescalation)		
Wed 3			
Wed 10			
Wed 17			
Week of 22 - 2	Winter Break		
January			
Jan. Agenda Meeting Focus	CPI Mini (toolbox for deescalation)		
Wed 7			
Wed 14			
Mon 19	No School- MLK		
Wed 21			
Wed 28			
February			

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Feb. Agenda Meeting Focus	CPI Mini (toolbox for deescalation)  Erin's Law Presentation		
Wed 4			
Wed 11			
Fri 13	Institute Day		
Mon 16	No School- President's Day		
Wed 18			
Wed 25			
March			
March Agenda Meeting Focus	CPI Mini (toolbox for deescalation)  Anne Marie's Law Presentation		
Wed 4			
Wed 11			
Wed 18			
Week of 23	Spring Break		
April			
April Agenda Meeting Focus	CPI Mini (toolbox for deescalation)		
Wed 1			
Fri 3	No School		
Wed 8			
Wed 15	EAFL Articulation Meeting--EAFL members only--at Stanton		
Wed 22			

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Wed 29			
May			
May Agenda Meeting Focus	CPI Mini (toolbox for deescalation)		
Wed 6			
Wed 13			
Wed 20			
Mon 25	No School- Memorial Day		