



## **ISTE Recommendations and Tips - If you've been to ISTE please contribute**

[All our ISTE2024 Group docs are organised on our site.](#) Bookmark the site for one click access to everything we are sharing and curating.

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### [ISTE Social Events](#)

During the evenings there are often conference related events that are free to attend. Typically you will need to register. When you see the registration links go ahead and register, regardless of whether you're a 'maybe' to attend. This does not commit you

- **Kiwi Connect** Wednesday 26th after debrief 6:30 pm 54thirty rooftop bar located in Le Méridien Denver Downtown, 1475 California St, Denver 80202. Hosted by Stan Fosenbauer from PBTech
- **Conference Kick Off** The 1up Arcade Bar - Colfax Sat June 22 - [Free Registration](#) hosted by [@mrshowell24](#) and [@EvoHannan](#) (note this was previously advertised as in the Teachers' Lounge)
- **ISTE Edtech Wonderland Event** Sunday, June 23 6-8pm [Register for Free](#)
- **ISTE 24 Board Game Meetup** Sunday June 23rd - 6-11pm [Registration](#)
- **InnEdCO (ISTE LIVE24) Reception & Trivia Happy Hour** Sunday June 23, 2024 - 6:30-8:00pm. [Register](#)


- Join texthelp at Lucky Strike for an Evening of bites, drinks, and fun! Monday, June 24 6:00 PM -9:00 PM [Register](#)
- 90s Party, Hosted by Vivacity Tech PBC & Google! Monday, June 24, 6:30 p.m. – 12 a.m. Location: Seawell Ballroom [Registration](#)
- **Laugh with LocknCharge at ISTE!** Monday, June 24 at 6:30pm (doors open at 6pm) Comedy Works Downtown Denver - 1226 15th St [Register](#)
- **Edtech Karaoke** Tuesday, June 25 · 7 - 11 pm has become quite a tradition at ISTE. Always a fun event [Register now for your free ticket](#)

## Connect

Useful guidance for your on-site experience....Check out the webinar recording for a comprehensive overview of ISTE Live, insider tips and suggestions to make the most of your conference!

[Venture to ISTE Live 24 Webinar on demand](#)

 ISTE Preview Highlights - helpful screen grabs from the webinar

 ISTE Live 24\_PreviewGuide.pdf

[ISTE Connect](#) A place for educators who are attending ISTE Live 24 in Denver, CO to connect and collaborate before and during the event!

**ISTE App** - Will be available next week. When you login any sessions you have starred and appear in your favourites will populate the app.

## ISTE Pre Meet

Tuesday, 4 June · 15:30 – 16:00

Video call link: <https://meet.google.com/gmz-jbqj-bmv>

 Notes - ISTE pre Meet

## Organising Your Schedule

[Search the ISTE Programme](#) based on your interests e.g. topic, subject, speaker and favourite your picks as you go. The Sample schedule can be helpful.

Option - I find it helpful to copy and paste 1-2 of my top picks into a schedule. I can quickly see where there are double ups or time clashes. This gives me options on the

day too. It can be useful to have more than one option especially for sessions you can't pre register for that may end up full on the day. Also it highlights for me potential spaces to visit the Expo Hall and poster sessions.

I use this template to organise my priority favourites. Feel free to make a copy if helpful. You will notice there are two columns on Mon-Wed for options.

 [Daily Schedule - Make a copy](#)


[Colorado Convention Centre - Floor Plan](#) - includes an interactive floor plan. When you register you will also receive a map with rooms


## Registration

Take some time on the Saturday or Sunday morning to visit the convention centre to pick up your registration. If this is your first ISTE look out for guides who host short and very helpful tours of the venue and general orientation.

## Curating and Sharing Resources

- The ISTE site includes a [Digital Tote](#).
- Think about how you are going to curate content. Do you need your laptop?
- Your phone with [keep.google.com](https://keep.google.com) is a great option, take photos and curate notes and links to content from your sessions.
- These can easily be transferred to a Google Doc later and shared with the group in our shared Drive. With so many options to choose from there is real value in sharing our session notes.

 [How to make a Google Doc from a Keep Note](#)

 [ISTE 2024 Shared Session Notes](#)

[Shared Photo Album](#) Upload photos to share here

## Conference Days

The average temperature in Denver at this time of year is 30-31°C

Inside the Convention Centre the AirCon can be cold. Recommend bringing something warm to wear over your summer clothes inside the venue. Wear comfortable shoes you can walk in all day.

A water bottle and snacks are useful in your bag as food is not always readily available in the convention centre and you may not have time to forage.

The time in between sessions may be taken up with walking between rooms. Getting to a room early, especially if there is no pre-booking for the session, and it is popular, is recommended. Once there, you're able to get in line if needed, have time for a snack or make friends with the person next to you. If the line is long and you're not confident you'll get in, this can also leave you some time to try a second option on your favourites.

Colorado Convention Centre - [Interactive Floor Map](#)

### **Cluster Debrief and Dinner**

After the closing on Wednesday the Manaiakalani Cluster will meet for a debrief, with an open invitation to all of our network attendees to contribute and participate. Our debrief is time to share and collate information, ideas, and questions from our conference experience.

Traditionally we have dinner together on the Wednesday evening before people begin to leave Denver.

### **Whatsapp Group for ISTE2024**

It is useful to be able to message our group with alerts and reminders now and then. Also if members have questions, recommendations or want to meet up for events a group chat is helpful.

If you would like to be added to the group for ISTE2024 please add Fiona's number to your contacts and send a DM in WhatsApp to 0274952642

### **Denver Days Off**

If you have some time in Denver before flying out and are keen to coordinate activities with others, check out this doc

 [Denver Days Off](#)

