



AGENDA

8:00 am – 8:30 am Registration and Buffet Breakfast

Kick-start your day with a healthy, hot breakfast served complimentary. Badges and workshop materials will be available at this location.

8:30 am – 9:00 am Welcome & Introductions

Welcome and introductions. Since our workshop is collaborative and interactive, we want to kick-off the day understanding your unique blended learning objectives, and what you want to accomplish during the day. Our team will ensure we personally hit upon your unique circumstances and briefly cover the basic models of blended learning.

9:00 am – 9:45 am Blended Learning Keynote

Presented by: John Watson, Founder and CEO, Evergreen Research Group

Based on research and best practices, you will learn about how blended learning can be effective in meeting the goals and challenges you face in your district.

9:45 am – 10:45 am Collaborative, Small Group Discussion

Collaboration is key! Hearing first hand from other attendees and in a small group discussion format, we will focus on key components to a successful blended learning implementation and how they can be effective in meeting the goals and challenges you face in your district.

- Session 1: Creating an effective model for blended learning through the change in space and time.
- Session 2: How to be an effective leader moving to shape blended learning in your school.
- Session 3: Helping to encourage and cultivate future ready students and teachers.

- 10:45 am – 11:15 am** **Success! – Method Schools**
Presented by: Jessica Venezia, Co-founder and CEO of Method Schools
- What does it take to implement a high-quality, teacher-driven, student-focused, blended classroom? Learn why a blended learning classroom is a highly flexible model for success for teachers and students, and how your program can be highly individualized, preparing students for both on-line and future college level courses
- 11:15 am – 11:45 am** **Success! - SCOA/Keith McCarthy Academy**
Presented by: Ryan Mulvanny, Director of Instructional Technology in Lake Elsinore Unified School District
- A strong blended learning district program requires stake-holder buy-in, a clear vision, and effective guidance. Learn what it takes to be a strong district leader that takes schools to the next level of digital instruction. Keith will share his experience coordinating growth of blended programs, particularly in choosing a model that matches student and teacher needs.
- 11:45 am – 12:30 pm** **Buffet Lunch**
- 12:30 pm -1:30 pm** **Collaborative, Small Group Discussion**
During this time we will dive deeper into implementations and allow for flexibility during rotations allowing you to focus where it's best suited per unique need and situation from each attendee. Select 2 sessions that meet your needs during this time.
- Session 1: Best practices for implementing data-driven instruction to personalize learning
 - Session 2: Providing equal and extended access to all students through acceleration and remediation opportunities.
 - Session 3: Best practices from local schools that have led to academic success– Evergreen Research results.
- 1:30 pm – 2:00 pm** **Success! – Chaffey Online Learning Academy**
Presented by: Bill Bertrand, Blended Learning Specialist, Former Deputy Superintendent Alternative Education
- Over the course of 5 years, Bill Bertrand developed and implemented one of the most successful district-wide blended learning models in California. Chaffey Online Learning Academy (COLA) spawned as a result of his initiative, specifically targeting ISS, Alternative Ed, SPED, Expulsion - students whom perform best outside of the walls of the traditional classroom. Graduation rates soared, as a palpable, positive vibe encompassed the district. Learn about Bill's passion for 'alternative ed' - evolving the stagnant brick and mortar system of teaching that has permeated education for decades.
- 2:00 pm – 2:15 pm** **Debrief & Final Thought**
- 2:15 pm – 2:30 pm** **Optional Individual Consulting Sessions**