

# The School Library Monthly Update



## ATTEND THE 1ST ANNUAL SCHOOL LIBRARIAN LEADERSHIP RETREAT!

Join us at SDSL for the School Librarian Leadership Retreat, a dynamic gathering curated exclusively for dedicated school librarians eager to elevate their impact! We will collaborate, share best practices, engage in discussions, and explore how to unlock the full potential of our roles as educational leaders.

**Read more on page 2.**

**Where:** SD State Library in Pierre

**When:** July 28 (1-7) and July 29 (9-4)

**Who:** ExCITE! students and other school librarians

**Cost:** FREE!

**Credits:** Earn 15 CECHs or 1 G/UG Cred

## REMINDERS

- ✓ Check out the resources on the [School Library Services page](#) of the SDSL website!
- ✓ The School Library Scoop is now published in [SDSL's Niche Academy](#). Find short, helpful tutorials there!

## UPCOMING PD/CE OFFERINGS

[Electronic Resources for Teachers](#)  
June 10-23 via Canvas

[EXCITE! 2024](#)  
July 2024 via Canvas

Watch for information about the SDSL School Library Collect + Connect Meet-ups for the 2024-25 School Year!



## SCHOOL LIBRARIAN LEADERSHIP RETREAT

Hosted by SDSL's School Library Services

### **Program Platform and Instructional Methods**

The School Librarian Leadership Retreat is an in-person training in which participants will network, share ideas, participate in hands-on activities, and listen to knowledgeable speakers on the topics that were presented during this year's ExCITE! course.

#### **SUNDAY 7/28**

- 1:00-1:30 Group Activity
- 1:30-2:00 Welcome Address
- 2:00-3:00 Breakout Groups
- 3:00-4:00 Group Activity
- 4:00-5:00 Group Activity
- 5:00-6:00 Dinner (catered in)
- 6:00-7:00 Group Activity

#### **MONDAY 7/29**

- 9:00-9:30 Keynote on Leading from the Library
- 9:30-10:30 The State of School Libraries
- 10:30-10:45 Break
- 10:45-11:15 Why Data Matters
- 11:15-11:45 Self-Care for School Librarians
- 11:45-12:15 Accessible Library Services
- 12:15-1:15 Lunch (catered in)
- 1:15-1:45 Understanding Current Trends
- 1:45-2:15 Innovative Programming
- 2:15-2:30 Break
- 2:30-3:30 Managing Behaviors
- 3:30-4:00 Final Questions/Wrap-Up

# CREATING AN **IMPACTFUL** SCHOOL LIBRARY

**I**

Implement policy and procedure

**M**

manage behaviors like a pro

**P**

practice the power of the pause

**A**

advocate for school libraries

**C**

collaborate & connect globally/locally

**T**

transform your space

**F**

facilitate innovative programming

**U**

understand current trends

**L**

lead from the library