



STATE OF ALABAMA
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION




Ed Richardson
Interim State Superintendent of Education

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MEMORANDUM

TO: City and County Superintendents of Education

FROM: Ed Richardson 
Interim State Superintendent of Education

RE: Summer Professional Learning Conference 2018 Announcement – July 9-13, 2018

The Alabama State Department of Education is pleased to announce Summer Professional Learning Conference 2018. We encourage participation at this professional development conference in which local, state, and nationally known consultants from all facets of the education spectrum will provide information addressing the new requirements in the *Every Student Succeeds Act* (ESSA). The conference theme is *Moving Forward with ESSA*. I am requesting your assistance in publicizing this event by sharing this memorandum and pre-registration form with all administrators, teachers, parents, and other interested persons in your area.

The conference will begin on Monday, July 9, 2018, at 1:30 p.m., and will end on Friday, July 13, 2018, at the conclusion of the morning sessions. Preliminary conference information with a listing of sessions and other conference details will be available on our Web site at www.alsde.edu by March 2018. In addition, participants should note the following information in preparing for the conference:

Dates:	July 9-13, 2018
Location:	Renaissance Riverview Plaza Hotel, Renaissance Battle House Hotel, and the Mobile Convention Center, Mobile, Alabama
Registration:	Pre-Registration is \$150 (Deadline: May 4, 2018). Late Registration (Beginning May 7, 2018) and On-Site Registration is \$185.
Lodging:	Contact the following hotels for lodging reservations: Renaissance Riverview Plaza Hotel – 800-922-3298 Book your group rate for ALSDE Summer Conference 2018 Riverview Renaissance Battle House Hotel – 866-316-5957 Book your group rate for ALSDE Summer Conference (Request Summer Professional Learning Conference rates.)

Registration options are listed on the Registration Form [here](#).

If you have questions or concerns regarding registration, please contact McRae Conferencing and Trade Show at 844-261-3074. If you have questions or concerns regarding the Summer Professional Learning Conference, you may contact Mr. Edmund Moore at emoore@alsde.edu or by telephone at 334-242-8199.

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