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Welcome Back!

From Steve Splichal, 2010 KASCD President

I hope that each of you found an opportunity to relax and are recharged, ready to embrace another school year. Our kids (and parents) are ready for the very best that you have to offer them in terms of a quality education. Welcome back! The leadership at KASCD has spent some time trying to look at ways that we can support our members in the field. We know that just balancing all of the responsibilities associated with your current position as well as those responsibilities outside of work can be a challenge. We have developed a survey (please keep reading, I promise it is a short one!) to better understand the unique issues that you are faced with every day. Our goal is to develop appropriate programming to meet those needs in a timely and cost effective manner.

The link to our survey is below. It should take you to a short (5 minute) survey. The deadline for completing the survey is September 24th. Copy the link below to your browser.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/8GNGTLR>

Robyn Jackson Returns to Kansas: Make Plans for September 27, 2010

KASCD is pleased to announce that author, Robyn Jackson is coming back to Kansas for training on September 27th. Robyn

Curriculum
Leader's
Mtg:
Topeka--
October 22

KSDE
Annual
Assessment
Conference:
Wichita--
October 25-
27

presented to over 100 Kansas educators last year both in person and virtually. In an effort to model sustained, quality staff development, we are bringing her back to share her thoughts found in her new book "How to Support Struggling Students". This is an in-depth look at the principles found in Robyn's book "Never Work Harder Than Your Students".

We are offering Robyn's presentation in person at the University of Kansas or at one of six regional sites virtually. Our goal is to try to provide high quality, timely staff development that meets the needs of the field. The satellite locations will help districts with limited resources avoid costly excessive travel, lodging and meal expenses. Groups of five or more will receive the member rate.

For more information, please go to the KASCD website (www.kascd.org) and click on the News and Events tab, or click on the link (http://www.kascd.org/files/news_events/Robyn_Jackson_2009.pdf) for the form.

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