

The Professional Development
Newsletter



for October 2017

## The Northern Oklahoma College Employee Professional Development Incentive Program for the 2017-2018 Academic Year



Northern Oklahoma College is pleased to announce that faculty and staff can participate in the professional development incentive program for the 2017-2018 academic year. Eight \$25.00 gift cards will be given to faculty, and eight \$25.00 gift cards will be given to staff in December 2017. Each **documented** professional development activity will be entered in the drawing, except professional development conducted during inservice sessions. The number of drawing entries for each professional development activity is as follows—

- 1 entry—internal and external professional development sessions, webinars, or trainings lasting a day or less
- 2 entries—internal and external professional development sessions, webinars, or trainings lasting two days or longer
- 3 entries—coursework at a Higher Learning institution

The professional development activity must pertain to the employee's position and may require a supervisor's signature to be eligible.

Documentation can be accomplished in one of the following three ways—

- 1) completing a Professional Development Evaluation found under the "Instructional Resources and Professional Development" link on myNOC
- 2) sending the professional development activity's program or agenda
- 3) sending a college transcript of coursework that has or will be completed during the 2017-2018 academic year

Send documentation of professional development activity via courier or email to DeLisa Ging at delisa.ging@noc.edu.

NOC values your commitment to professionalism and academic excellence through the coursework you pursue and the many professional development offerings, trainings, and conferences you attend. This incentive program was funded through Presidential Partners in an attempt to increase participation in professional development opportunities on our campuses and in professional organizations.



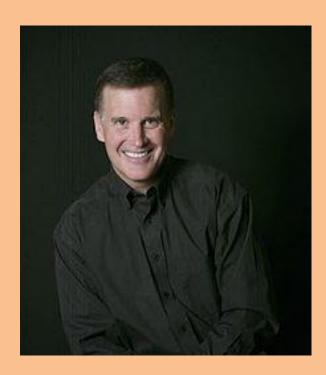
### "Creating a Connection: Native American Education and the NFL" Session Slated

- Friday, October 13<sup>th</sup>, 1:00-1:50 p.m.
- Locations:

   Tonkawa—Wilkin 309
   Enid—Zollars 407

   Stillwater—PCR

Wade Burleson, local Enid historian, will share his research on 19<sup>th</sup> century Native American education, its ramifications on today's classroom, at its connections to the NFL. This event will be recorded.





### "Developing Cultural Competency" Workshop Scheduled for October 27th

- Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup>, 1:00-2:00 p.m.
- Location: Tonkawa—W302 Enid—PCR Stillwater—CM175

In this workshop, participants will be able to examine the impact of culture on our personal and professional lives. As a group, participants will be able to identify and discuss cultural barriers in the workplace from case studies and/or real-life situations. This event will be recorded.

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## News from Dr. Vineyard—

More staff professional development opportunities will be coming soon.



# Many free webinars, helpful instructional resources, and upcoming conference information can be found at—

http://portal.noc.edu/ICS/Teacher Resources
Professional Development.jnz.

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Northern Oklahoma College, the State's oldest community college, is a multi-campus, land-grant institution that provides high quality, accessible, and affordable educational opportunities and services which create life-changing experiences and develop students as effective learners and leaders within their communities in a connected, ever-changing world.

