

ProgressBook Suite Retreat Sessions

Tuesday, July 23 and Wednesday, July 24, 2013

Sessions currently planned include:

1. **Welcome:** Software Answers Update, ProgressBook Suite Roadmap (including DataMap and VirtualClassroom), direction for out of Ohio, support
2. **Closing sessions:** Open forum, Q&A
3. **Teacher Student Data Linkage (TSDL):** The state of the TSDL project, what's expected of ITC staff to support it, making TSDL better, what went right, wrong, looking forward
4. **EMIS update:** New rules for FY14
5. **VendorLink:** Where it stands, where it's going, brainstorm on what's needed, how to bring more vendors on board
6. **Analytics:** Discuss the possibility of tracking usage in ProgressBook Suite
7. **Communication:** How Software Answers can support ITC communication with ProgressBook districts
8. **New Service Help Desk Environment (Cherwell):** Overview, how it works, when to expect it
9. **ProgressBook Suite:** Cross-training
10. **GradeBook:** Standards-based grading, doing away with printed report cards, and more
11. **The NEW ParentAccess**
12. **SpecialServices:** StudentInformation/DASL EMIS import and exports
13. **MasterScheduler (aSc):** Tips and tricks, school district results and feedback, district questions
14. **ReportBuilder for all ProgressBook Suite modules:** Security, creating reports to share, adding reports
15. **Scripts for StudentInformation/DASL:** Commonly used scripts, what can be shared.

Other topics still under investigation:

- Microsoft Advanced SQL or .NET training
- Microsoft Office Training
- Understanding Value Added