Minutes Nov 11, 2020

- **Special Announcements**
  - Welcome Matt Yauk, INFOhio Instructional Specialist
    - Previously: Academic Technology Director, Instructional Design OSU; Business and Technology Teacher at Oak Hills High School

**RemotEDx – Lori Lee**

- **RemotEdx Exchange**
  - State level initiative—remote/hybrid/learning partners to help more advance and effectively scale remote/hybrid learning.
    - showcases high quality tools and platforms
    - curriculum support
    - digital content for students
    - additional tools and high-quality instructional materials that support remote, hybrid and blended learning will be curated purchased or licensed and available at little/no cost

**ISearch and OPAC Updates – Mike Ridinger**

- **Introducing Fetch**
  - New OPAC for young learners
  - Will replace CAT Jr starting 2021-22 school year
  - Includes most CAT Jr functionality
    - Visual search available
    - Reading level search
  - Does not allow to place Holds (no “My Account” resources)
    - Can link to ISearch right from results to place holds
  - When enabled this year you will see a tiny rainbow paw print on the Cat Jr login where you can try it out. (available to all in spring 2021)
    - Reach out to your ITC if you want to pilot sooner

- **ISearch Mobile**
  - Available next to “My Lists” near the top right ISearch banner
  - Does everything ISearch does, even holds
  - Also works on Desktop...simplifies it so that even younger students can use ISearch
    - will let you link to result for a book (regular ISearch only has pop ups)
  - Beginning Jan will automatically be displayed on mobile devices
  - Can link directly to it if you add ?ic=true to the ISearch URL
  - Updating ISearch documentation and PD learning pathways

ISearch and ISearch Mobile handle holds very well. If using holds please use these options. Younger users might be able to do ISearch Mobile (and prefer it).

**Library Services Platform Updates – Janah Shumaker**

- **BLUEcloud Course Lists**
  - Create resource lists for students/teachers using materials from your library, from ISearch and the web
  - Bookmark tool allows you to add materials to the list
  - Exploring rest of 20-21 school year

- **SymphonyWeb**
  - Will be exploring and testing this year+
★ Workflows in a browser  
★ Possible solution for BLUEcloud reports  
★ Contact ITC if interested in pilot

**Highlights – Sarah Mowery**

★ Newest INFOhio resource. It is Highlights Magazine!
  - PreK-5 learners  
  - 2600 ebooks, videos and learning activities  
  - Content is on multiple domains. Districts might need to whitelist a few domains:  
    - www.chungchy.com  
    - library.highlights.com  
    - lms.highlights.com  
    - content-cdn.chngchy.com  
    - and one more  
★ Online PD class for teachers and librarians infohio.org/campus  
★ Asking for Feedback in March

**World Book Early Learning: Early Learning Basics – Sarah Mowery**

- Early Learning Basics [World Book Early Learning Feedback Form]
  - In Early Learning, link is at the top (yellow box)  
  - World Book is seeking feedback for additional content and features

**Digital Tools and Resource Updates – Mary Rowland**

★ INFOhio Pathway Classes and OCCRRA
  - 5 pathways  
    - 3-5  
    - K-5  
    - 6-12  
    - Building Digital Curriculum  
    - Blue Cloud  
★ Classes can be taken for contact hours, if you complete a short assessment you will get a certificate and a badge  
★ Offers Step Up to Quality Classes  
  - 4 classes  
  - Using technology  
  - Infohio early learning portal

**INFOhio Graduate Credit Class**

★ Success in Six transitioned to graduate credit level classes ONLY this fall  
★ Credit through Ashland ($227/credit)

**Monday Mini Lessons**

★ short, pre-recorded videos showing how to use an INFOhio tool for best practice in digital learning.

**Getting Started with INFOhio Digital Content Videos**

★ 4 videos included, more on iSearch coming  
★ videos for parents too!  
★ Document Library>Help Docs>Promotional Video, scroll down  
  - also in INFOhio Youtube channel
INFOhio Tools and Resource Updates

★ Tech Skills for Online Learning have moved to IWonder>Do you want to know more about technology
★ PD Choice Board was retired. Resources now located in INFOhio Campus, some are also in Quick Links at Bottom of INFOhio page
★ Kids InfoBits is now Gale In Context: Elementary
  ○ Gale updated over the summer
  ○ K-5 resource
★ OhioNET memberships
  ○ all INFOhio members are OhioNET members.
  ▪ There are trainings, resources and discounts

Share your #INFOhioWorks Story – Mary Rowland

- We want to hear from you! Email Mary Rowland at rowland@infohio.org or complete a short survey: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/INFOhioWorks
  help us share info with Ohio Legislature and key statewide partners
- Share how you are using INFOhio resources with your students in your school library or in classrooms on Twitter, Facebook, and Instagram. Tag us and use the hashtag #INFOhioWorks.

Next Webinar: Thursday, March 4, 2021, 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm

- We will keep you posted as to the status of the June 15, 2021 meeting