



### 2022 ITIP Ohio Google Summit

**May 4-5, 2022**  
**Preconference May 3, 6:30-8 p.m.**  
**Kalahari Resort, Sandusky**  
<https://www.itipohio.org/google-summit-2022>

Join K-12 educators for the 12th annual ITIP Ohio Google Summit. 2022 is hybrid so presenters and attendees have the option to participate live in-person or virtually with on-demand sessions. Choose from nearly 100 compelling sessions about combining Google and Google-friendly tools with cutting-edge best practices in educational technology and great teaching!

Sessions will be presented by Google Education Trainers, Google Educators, technology coordinators, tech integrationists, principals, curriculum specialists, and most importantly, "Googley" classroom teachers sharing how their schools use Google.

Information about registration can be found at: <https://www.itipohio.org/google-summit-2022/registration>

**Register Now!**   
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- Hotel room only \$139 until Thurs., April 14 includes 4 waterpark passes!
- Register by April 30th to save \$44 off the full conference rate
- \$349.00 after Saturday, April 30, 2022

**Pre Conference:  
Trapped at Google Summit  
May 3, 6:30 - 8 p.m.**

Participate in and then learn to create Digital Escape Rooms. Free with your registration. (Only available for face-to-face attendees.) #ITIP22 #Kalahari



### The Media Can Positively Impact Children's Perceptions Of Autism

In the U.S., one in 54 children are diagnosed with autism spectrum disorder. However, most young school-age children have not heard of autism or have a misunderstanding of what



it really is. A research study was conducted where children ages 5 to 8 watched a PBS KIDS Hero Elementary episode called "AJ's Extra Superpower," which draws direct attention to AJ Gadgets' autism. The study showed that after watching the show, children's understanding of autism grew, and their views of autism

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### NWOET Sessions At ITIP Google Summit

Be sure to attend these featured sessions presented by the NWOET staff.

***Social-Emotional Learning: Making Connections with Google Sites***  
***Dr. Tonya Sanders***  
***Wednesday, May 4, 11:30-12:15***

Making connections is an important part of our everyday lives. It is even more critical to make connections and build relationships within our school systems. Google Sites can foster those connections and continue to build engagement in your classroom.

***Tech Planning for Early Elementary - Google's the Key to Successing with Google for Primary Students***  
***Dr. Roger Minier***  
***Wednesday, May 4, 2:30-4:15***

Discover the 5 best practices for 1:1 tech use in preK-3, and why Google MUST be a part of your plan! Includes Google and related tech-tools to improve student AND parent engagement, a hands-on activity to guide you through an analysis of your current pK-3 tech strategy, to help you develop stronger, more effective tools for the "littles" in YOUR building using a free, exceptionally easy-to-use tech planning template. Designed for teacher-leaders, tech coordinators, integration specialists and principals, but open to all educators.

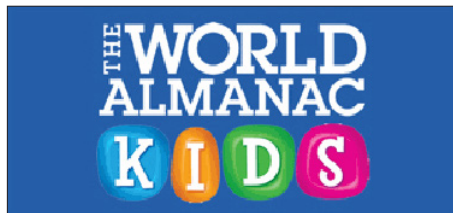
***Elementary Electronic Portfolios with Google***  
***Dr. Tonya Sanders***  
***Thursday, May 5, 10:00-10:45***

Keeping track, storing, and updating past school projects is often lost in the stressful busy tasks of being a teacher. Google can help with the process of allowing those projects to live on forever. Come learn how to use some of the basic Google tools to manage an electronic portfolio for your elementary students.

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## Take INFOhio's Newest Online Class: The World Almanac For Kids

The 6-12 Digital Content Learning Pathway has a new class, The World Almanac for Kids where participants will



learn how to support middle-grade students as they locate information in this INFOhio digital resource. This class will help educators use the instructional resources offered by The World Almanac for Kids to develop inquiry-based classrooms. Additionally, after successfully completing the final quiz, one can earn a certificate for two contact hours. Access this class at: <https://infohio.org/campus/learning-pathways/course/the-world-almanac-for-kids>

The 6-12 Digital Content Learning Pathway (<https://infohio.org/campus/learning-pathways/6-12-digital-content-learning-pathway>) is intended for adults working with Ohio learners in grades 6-12. The training includes instructional content from specific digital resources provided by INFOhio in the areas of inquiry-based learning and technology integration. Participants who complete the 6-12 Digital Content Learning Pathway can earn up to 22 contact hours and a digital badge FREE.

## You Are Enough

After the struggles that school districts have endured over the last two years, it is necessary to take care of each other. It is important to validate our work as teachers and support the students as they move forward in their academic journey. It can be difficult to move forward as we struggle with the challenges of teaching. The students feel that pressure as well. It is crucial to our social-emotional health to support each other and utilize positive self-talk and reinforcement to move forward with our educational endeavors. Connecting with the students through positivity can transform your classroom and move everybody toward achieving their personal goals.

Connections can be made in so many different ways. They can be made from person to person on many levels and degrees. It can be through the curriculum, instruction, and relevancy. Structure and framework have overshadowed the social-emotional needs of students. Posting assignments, generating Zoom links, and the need to control online behavior has become an urgency in the digital learning environment. This pushed social-emotional learning to the side. Social-emotional learning is now more than ever needed to be embraced. Visit this link <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLYifpOiWma-lujcGb34FfTiBhJvEDfhQL> to explore social-emotional learning and the tools that help you make this curriculum a reality in your classroom.

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### Fun Learning with Google for Primary Students

Judy Tucker

Thursday, May 5, 2:00-2:40 pm

Bring a Chromebook, iPad, tablet device or laptop to this session to explore a variety of learning activities perfect for the early grades. We'll explore primary-level activities created with Google Drawings, Docs, and Slides for ELA, social studies, science, mathematics, and even physical education! Some of the activities being featured can even be more powerful for learning if touchscreens are a feature on these devices.



### Autism

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changed positively. What's even more exciting is that some kids started listing AJ as their favorite character because of his autism! [Watch the full episode here.](#)

Explore other media resources from WBGU-PBS and PBS KIDS that promote inclusion and a greater awareness of autism:

Move to Include (Grades 5-12): <https://wbgu.pbsllearningmedia.org/collection/move-to-include/>

Sesame Street in Communities: Autism (PreK -2) <https://sesamestreetincommunities.org/topics/autism/>

## INFOhio Acquires GenYES Student Technology Leadership Platforms And Instructional Content For Ohio Schools

INFOhio is providing free access to the GenYES student technology leadership platform and instructional resources beginning with the 2022-2023 school year. Acquired through the RemotEDx initiative, the platform and resources will be accessible through the RemotEDx Exchange website and the INFOhio website.

The GenYES program provides an introduction to computer science, coding, and STEM careers, as well as careers in teaching and education. Students learn through action while supporting others and completing projects that demonstrate their learning. The program is flexible and is designed to support school technology integration goals, while building the next generation of technology leaders. Watch for more information and professional development opportunities in future NWOET Scanner newsletters.



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