

# Ontario Institute for Education Leadership L'Institut de leadership de l'Ontario

Ontario Leaders Collaborating for Student Achievement, Equity and Well-being La collaboration des leaders en Ontario assure la réussite, l'équité et le bien-être des élèves.

## DID YOU KNOW?

The Ontario Institute for Education Leadership (IEL) has been created by leaders for leaders. The IEL is a forum for collaborative education networking that brings leaders from all organizations in education together with the Ministry of Education to contribute to improved student achievement, equity and well-being. This leadership work is informed by the changing needs of the education sector.

Discover a wealth of information on the IEL's website by taking a Virtual Tour.

**Did you know** that the Ontario Leadership Framework (OLF) is one of the IEL's most sought-after and used resources?

The IEL continues to support the implementation of the Ontario Leadership Framework (OLF) through its Leadership Development Series which features school-level leadership stories written by practicing principals. A <u>User Guide for OLF Stories lists the leadership stories</u> and offers advice on how to use the stories in a range of contexts.

The IEL and the Ministry are collaborating on establishing a process for updating the Ontario Leadership Framework (OLF).

#### The Personal Leadership Resources (PLRs)

The IEL's commitment to leadership learning and development continues to be evident in newly developed resources and professional learning opportunities. The IEL has posted "Strengthening Your Personal Leadership Resources" (PRLs) which is a series of Power Point presentations with notes to guide their use and Reflective Manuals to deepen learning. If you are interested in field-testing these resources, please contact the IEL Coordinator at communication@education-leadership-ontario.ca.

Check out the IEL website's <u>Food for Thought on the Learning Loss Debate</u>.

#### Coming soon:

- Leadership Resources Bank, for leaders by leaders. Districts are invited to upload their resources or make use of and adapt resources posted by other districts without having to reinvent the wheel.
- Leadership Development Series: Deepening the Implementation of the OLF Tuesday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2021. To register click on <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZYsc-uupz8qH9ac4Ideshg5nkV-3sucxV4U">https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZYsc-uupz8qH9ac4Ideshg5nkV-3sucxV4U</a>.

### **Interesting Reading and Podcasts**

- 1. WHY ARE YOU IN EDUCATION?? with TDSB Principal, Anti-Racism and Anti-Oppression Disrupter, Salima Kassam (buzzsprout.com). In this 45-minute podcast, Salima reveals her passion as an education leader. She is an anti-racist and a disrupter. She points out that anti-racism is not a lens but rather a stance.
- 2. <u>District Systems to Support Equitable and High-Quality Teaching and Learning</u>; Honig and Rainey. This brief is one in a series aimed at providing K-12 education decision makers and advocates with an evidence base to ground discussions about how to best serve students during and following the novel coronavirus pandemic.
- 3. <u>Brené with Ibram X. Kendi on How to Be an Antiracist</u>. Brené Brown talks with professor Ibram X. Kendi, about racial disparities, policy, and equality, with a focus on How to Be an Antiracist, which is a ground breaking approach to understanding uprooting racism and inequality in our society and in ourselves.
- 4. (194) Reframing COVID Learning Loss with Michael Fullan | Corwin Leaders Coaching Leaders Podcast YouTube (1m58s). Michael Fullan talks about reframing the COVID learning loss to best motivate students.
- 5. New Pedagogies for Deep Learning: A Global Partnership Activate Deep Learning and Lift from Loss, Joanne Quinn, Mag Gardner, Max Drummy, Michael Fullan