Conference Presentation Guide

At the Spring Conference we want you to make a brief presentation sharing the results of your implementation of your ESBD unit. Consider this presentation to be along the lines of one you might give at a professional conference. We encourage you to create a tri-fold poster, similar to the sort your students might produce for a science fair. However, you may choose to prepare a PowerPoint presentation in addition to, or instead of, the poster. Your presentation should briefly summarize key aspects of the implementation report. We will have two formats for sharing at the conference; large group presentations and poster breakout sessions. Plan on having about 10 minutes to make your presentation.

Please be sure your poster or PowerPoint includes the following items. (Many of them can just be copied from your Unit Planner.)

- A brief description of the unit
- The unit enduring understandings
- The unit essential questions
- A brief description of the performance assessment
- A description of the evidence that you used to assess student understanding (plus representative student work, if possible)
- Insights you gained or new understandings that you have from implementing ESBD
- Issues or questions that the implementation process raised for you
- Photos of students engaged in the activities of your unit and/or other supporting visuals

Please feel free to contact any of the ESBD staff if you need clarification or have any questions.