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Recommended Sessions for Elementary Librarians

From the perspective of
Amy Marquez, Library Innovation Strategist
TCEA Convention Advisory Panel

Monday, January 30

Sharing the Story of Libraries Through Advocacy, Connections, Branding and More!

90-minute Hands-On Experience
8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
Room 303B

Create With Canva in Your Library

90-minute Hands-On Experience
10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Room 303B

Empowering Our Littles to Create

90-minute Session
11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Room 217B

Library Poster Sessions

Poster Session
11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
Tower View Lobby: Posters

The InterACTIVE Class: Using Technology to Make Learning More Relevant and Engaging

60-minute Session
1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Room 217B

Make Way for Elementary Makerspaces

60-minute Session
2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Room 217C

Makerspace Magic in the Library with a STEAM Exploratorium

60-minute Session
4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Room 217D

Tuesday, January 31

Oooh, Shiny!: Geek Out with Gadgets

60-minute Session
8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.
Stars at Night Ballroom B4

Explore, Play, Share! 25 Tools for Personalized Learning

90-minute Hands-On Experience
10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Room 301A

Leadership Skills to Master (Even if You Don't Have a Title)

60-minute Session
1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Room 214B

eBooks for All: Supporting Special Education Students with Digital Content

60-minute Session
2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Room 221D

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My Favorite Things: Celebrating Good News and Innovation in Libraries

90-minute Session

2:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

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Organizing Your Educator Life with Google Sheets

90-minute Hands-On Experience

4:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Room 302B

Wednesday, February 1

Book Tastings Gone Digital

90-minute Hands-On Experience

8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

Room 303A

Dedicated Exhibit Hall Hour

Special Event

2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Exhibit Hall

STEAM Poster Sessions

Poster Session

9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Tower View Lobby: Posters

Adobe Express Create-a-Thon

90-minute Hands-On Experience

3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Room 301C

The Library Calm Corner: Creating a Digital Space for Mental Wellness

60-minute Session

10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Room 217D

Leveraging Your Online Presence

60-minute Session

4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Room 217D

Bring Literacy to Life: Through Making and Technology: 2023 Update

60-minute Session

11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Stars at Night Ballroom B1

The Essential Tool Box of Digital Tools and Apps for Teacher Librarians

60-minute Session

4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Stars at Night Ballroom B1

Four Ways to Teach Reading Comprehension to Emergent Bilingual Students Using Technology

60-minute Session

12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Room 217C

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Thursday, February 2

PreK Library: Using Makerspace to Connect with Literature

60-minute Session
8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.
Room 217D

No More Digital Drama with 15 Minute Digital Literacy + SEL Activities

60-minute Session
12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.
Room 211

Take and Train Tech Series: Student Cyber Safety

90-minute Session
11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Stars at Night Ballroom B4

Dedicated Exhibit Hall Hour

Special Event
1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Exhibit Hall

Leftovers with Leslie

Special Event
2:00 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.
Stars at Night Ballroom B2/B3

From the Author, Amy Marquez

I am in a new role as Library Innovation Strategist providing support for 42 campus librarians in our district. I am always looking for innovative ways to promote libraries, boost engagement, provide social emotional wellness support and reach all our learners. I plan to attend sessions focused on engaging patrons with innovative programming ideas like makerspaces, social media and hands-on activities.

When reviewing sessions, I focused on what's new and trending, health and wellness for educators and students, and a variety of tools to improve my practice. I'm excited to hear from leaders in the industry such as Becky Calzada, Tom Murray, Shannon Miller and many others I look to for inspiration.

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