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First week of SDE’s Legislative Roadshow winds up in Boise Thursday, will be livestreamed

Superintendent of Public Instruction Sherri Ybarra and key staff members are hitting the road to discuss this year’s legislative session and all of the latest education news, from public school finance and technology to Idaho’s recently approved ESSA accountability system, Smarty Ants and the Red Tape Committee.

After stops in Fort Hall and Twin Falls, the Legislative Roadshow will roll into Boise Thursday, April 12, at the Red Lion Downtowner. Superintendents, charter school administrators, business managers and other district and school representatives have signed up to attend, and all interested members of the public can [watch via livestream on Idaho In Session](#).

Sessions are scheduled from approximately 9:45 to 11:45 a.m. and from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Superintendent Ybarra will kick off the day with a welcome at 9:45 a.m., and the superintendent will be joined by State Board of Education President Linda Clark for 1 p.m. presentation to launch the afternoon session. Morning and afternoon sessions will each feature the following State Department of Education speakers and topics:

1. PUBLIC SCHOOL FINANCE

Julie Oberle, Coordinator – Finance

2. LEGISLATION/IDAPA RULES UPDATE

Duncan Robb, Chief Policy Advisor

ESSA, ASSESSMENT & ACCOUNTABILITY

Karlynn Laraway, Director of Assessment

SMARTY ANTS AND RED TAPE COMMITTEE

Tim McMurtrey, Deputy Superintendent

MASTERY EDUCATION

Kelly Brady, Director Mastery Education **or**

Tim McMurtrey, Deputy Superintendent

3. TECHNOLOGY UPDATE

Chris Campbell, Chief Technology Officer

CONTENT AND EVALUATIONS

Lisa Colon, Director, Certification/Professional Standards

After a week’s break, the Roadshow will head north to Coeur d’Alene and Lewiston April. 25 and 26.

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