CIRCLE is the North American Division sponsored curriculum and instruction resource center linking Adventist educators. Visit circle.adventist.org today to find or share resources.

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A. ADVENTIST MISSION WEEK

Help your students discover their world, and how Jesus is being shared in every corner of the earth. Request the Mission Week program, a free resource provided by Adventist Mission, online. Interactive games, presentations, videos and more bring children directly to the frontlines of mission, connecting them to their God and their world. http://adventistmission.org/article.php?id=331

B. WHAT'S NEW & IN THE NEWS

Scan the list of 65 resources added to CIRCLE in the past month at http://circle.adventist.org/services/info/new.phtml Thank you to the 969 teachers and administrators who participated in the NAD Convention Survey. That is now closed.

C. COLLABORATE - EMAIL PENPALS

Would your class profit by email communication with a similar class from another state? Country? Continent? Several requests have come to CIRCLE recently, for schools who might like to correspond, at elementary and secondary levels. If you are interested, email webmaster@circle.adventist.org the teacher name, school name, teacher or school email, grade level, specific interest (if any, eg. interested in collaboration in a social studies, science, bible or mission project), and time frame in which you'd be available (all school year, January – March, etc.) We'll compile and post this on CIRCLE, and share it with those who request such a list in future.

D. RESOURCES WANTED!

The following list reflects requests from world division education directors, union, conference and school administrators, and classroom teachers. If you have any materials you've created for any of these, please consider submitting them to CIRCLE this year.

- 1. Adventist Heritage/History curriculum K-12
- 2. Health & Wellness curriculum K-12
- 3. Religion curriculum for non-Christian students K-12
- 4. In-service teacher orientation to Adventist worldview at undergrad & graduate levels
- 5. Course outlines, textbook lists and bibliographies for uniquely Adventist courses e.g. Philosophy of Adventist Education, Fundamental Beliefs, Life & Teachings of Christ, Church History, etc.
- 6. Adventist education research -- list projects in progress, and report on completed studies
- 7. Profiles of Adventist schools modeling preferred practices -- exemplary practice provides ideas for others on the journey to excellence
- 8. Sample administrative forms, templates, policies for boarding and day schools.

E. TEACHER CONVENTION PRESENTATIONS ON CIRCLE

Teacher convention <u>presentations</u> are still coming in, so check http://circle.adventist.org/browse/?browse_node=416 for ones you missed or would like to share with colleagues. Email the session number, title and/or presenter name for ones you don't fine, and we'll continue to track missing presentations. If you presented, its not too late to submit your contribution. Simply attach it to an email to webmaster@circle.adventist.org as soon as possible.

F. ALL NEW HEALTHY LIFESTYLE CONTEST

The new Healthy Lifestyle Contest website is http://www.healthylifestylecontest.com. Prizes are being awarded again. Be sure to read the rules of entry so that you will not be disqualified. Good success – to every school.

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