## EDUCATIONAL SERVICE CENTER of Northeast Ohio The Bridge to Educational Excellence

## **VIRTUAL OTES 1.0**

## Ohio Teacher Evaluation System Alternative to Initial 3-Day Training

The Ohio Department of Education has granted permission to ESCs to redesign the initial 3-day OTES 1.0 Training to make it available virtually. This virtual, asynchronous option will be available **ONLY DURING COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS** and is being offered for a reduced fee of \$50.

The Ohio Teacher Evaluation System (OTES) Evaluator Training will prepare teacher evaluators, as defined by their role within a Local Educational Agency (LEA), for effective, high quality and consistent staff evaluation using the OTES 1.0 Model. This Model is aligned to the OTES Framework as adopted by the State Board of Education in November 2011.

- To become a credentialed evaluator of teachers in the State of Ohio, an individual must be properly licensed or LEA approved as a peer evaluator, complete the asynchronous learning modules, and pass an online credentialing assessment. Upon successful completion of the online course, participants will have access to the online assessment.
- The asynchronous OTES 1.0 learning modules will provide a better understanding of the OTES 1.0 Framework and Model, present opportunities to practice skills such as scripting, evidence analysis/categorizing and coaching, and allow for sharing best practices in educator evaluation.

**Location:** Asynchronous, online learning modules. Participants may complete the

learning modules at their own pace within the two-week window.

**Dates:** Session 1: 7/20/20 – 7/31/20 (Registration Deadline: 7/16/20)

Session 2: 8/3/20 - 8/14/20 (Registration Deadline: 7/30/20)

**Fee:** \$50

**Registration:** Registration must be completed through STARS, the Ohio Department

of Education's registration system

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