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REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

Deadline to register online is 1/24

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2018 Session & Advocacy Tools

The 2018 Legislative Session is underway! As always, our staff has been assembling materials to keep you informed and to assist your advocacy efforts.

- Visit the 2018 Legislative Session page [HERE](#)
- View our bill tracking list [HERE](#). *Check back often for updates.*

Updates and in-depth reporting is available through the FSBA Session Spotlight Blog. You can access blog entries by clicking on the image below, or by visiting <http://fsba.org/fsba-session-spotlight/>.



We are proud to announce the upcoming FSBA "READ TO LEAD" book study!

Are you looking for a way to expand your knowledge and perspective to best lead your district in 2018? If so, please take a moment to consider this leadership development and networking opportunity.

Book Study Dates (all meetings will be held 12-1pm on GoToMeeting)

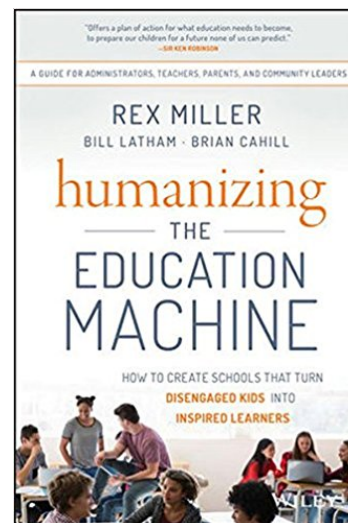
January 30, Chapters 1-4

February 21, Chapters 5-7

March 21, Chapters 8-11

April 25, Chapters 12-14

May 23, Chapters 15-17



READ TO LEAD participants will be reading and discussing *Humanizing the Education Machine How to Create Schools That Turn Disengaged Kids into Inspired Learners* during this January to May distance-learning book study. Co-Author Bill Latham addressed conference attendees in December and has provided several resources to guide us in this study.

For CBM points and additional details, click [HERE](#).

Florida CRC: Public Hearing Schedule & More

The Constitution Revision Commission (CRC) has announced its second statewide tour of public hearings to be held in 2018. All meetings are noticed from 1:00 PM - 7:00 PM local time.



- Click [HERE](#) to view all public hearing dates and locations.

FSBA now has a full page devoted to the progress of the Florida Constitution Revision Commission. Here you will find updates, meeting schedules, and other helpful resources.

- Click [HERE](#) to visit our CRC page
- Click [HERE](#) to visit the official page of the CRC

School Board Members & Superintendents:

Please considering taking a moment to complete this NSBA survey which addresses who serves on school boards, how school boards are configured, how school boards conduct their work, and other topics including school board/superintendent interactions. All answers are confidential and the survey will remain open until January 31.



- Click [HERE](#) to participate

HOT TOPIC ARTICLE: 5 Reasons Why Your Sexual Harassment Training Isn't Working

December 2017

WHAT HAPPENED?!?

Five Reasons Why Your Sexual Harassment Training Isn't Working

By: Sally R. Culley, sculley@rumberger.com, Linda Bond Edwards, ledwards@rumberger.com
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Each day brings news about yet another sexual harassment claim against a high-profile and powerful man. Just to name a few in the broadcasting industry: Bill O'Reilly, Charlie Rose, and now Matt Lauer. As women continue to come forward, all employers should be

Click [HERE](#) to read the full article

Help FSBA honor your selfless Public School Heroes!



Please share the names and any photos of your recognition ceremonies honoring your district employees and volunteers who assisted during Hurricane Irma with FSBA ([email BillieAnne Gay](mailto:BillieAnne.Gay)) so that we can honor them on our [statewide](#)

[recognition page.](#)

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Happy New Year 2018 and here's one New Year Resolution that you won't want to break! To save money on something you're already paying for.... **TRAVEL.**

Thus far Florida Public School employees have used the Snazzy Traveler employee benefit to make hundreds of reservations and

saved ten's of thousands of dollars on hotels, car rental and other travel options.

So, start 2018 by either signing up today or going back onto Snazzy Traveler and using your benefit. Remember, you get the best pricing on travel with no cost, no commitment and no hidden fees. And with the newest feature of Public Price Comparison on hotels, you can see the price for the same room on other sites.

If you've already signed up, go to www.snazzytraveler.com/login and go to member sign in to check out the savings.

If you have not signed up yet just go to www.snazzytraveler.com/FSBA, hit **Join Now** and use promo code **FSBATravel** to open your free account.

If you have any issues getting on to Snazzy Traveler, please contact Robert.minnigan@lifestyletravelbenefits.com for assistance.

The FSBA 2018 Annual Sponsor Program has Officially Launched!

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