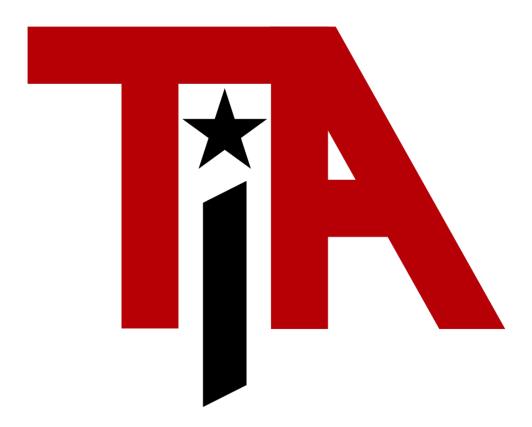


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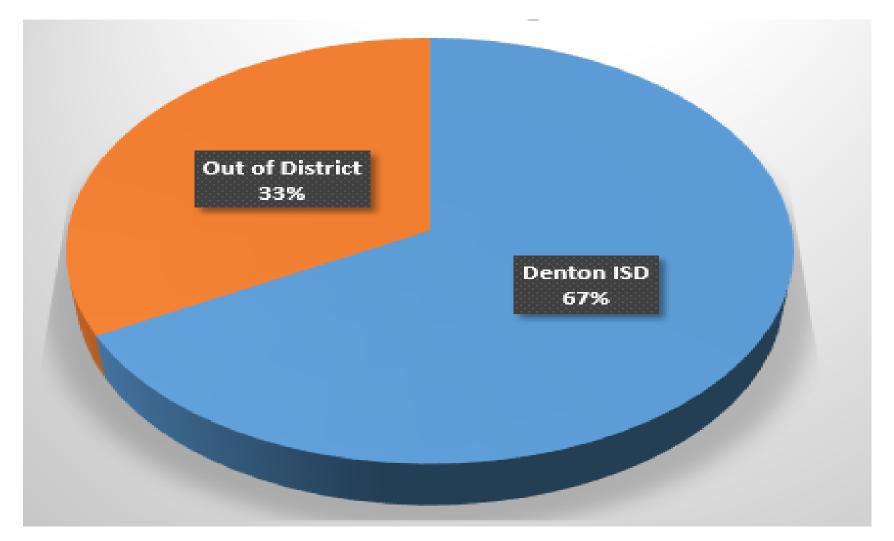


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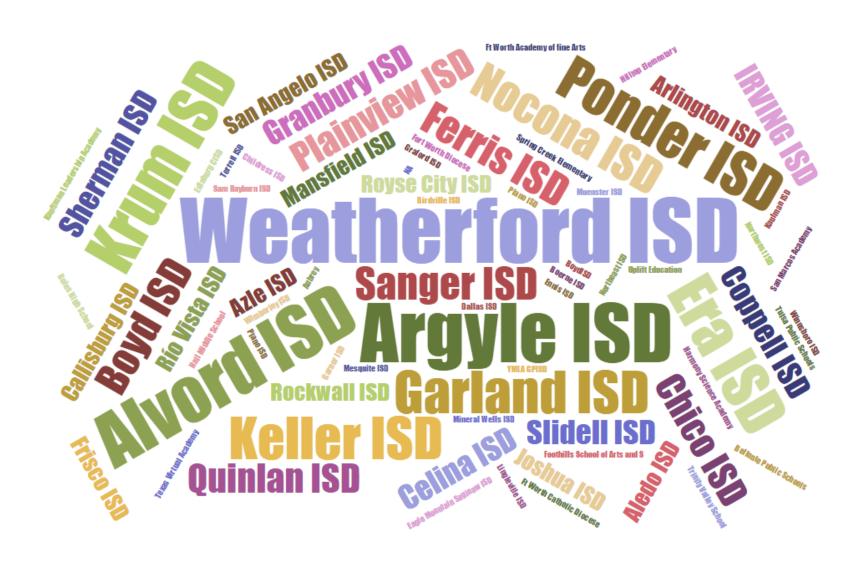
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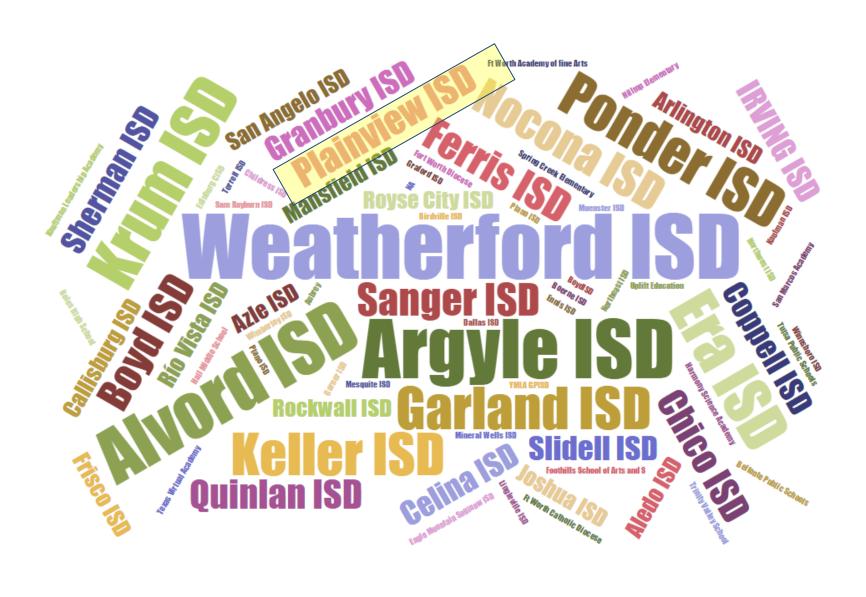
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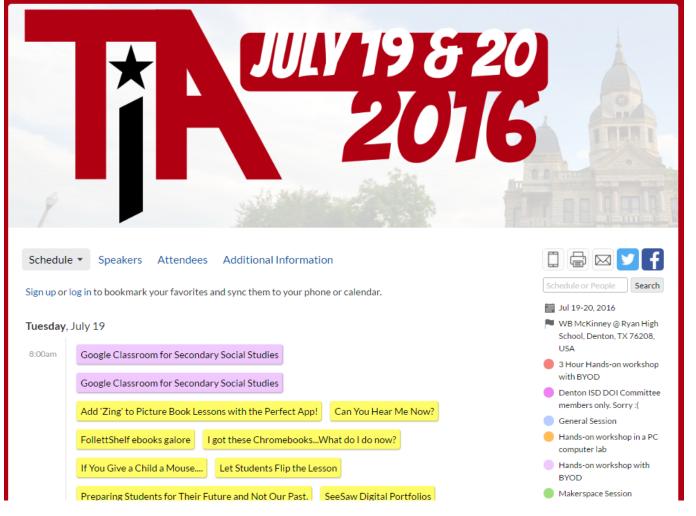
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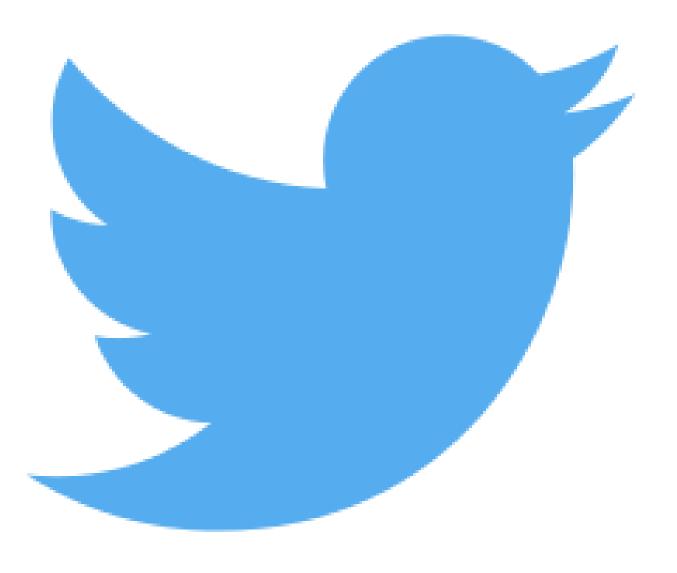




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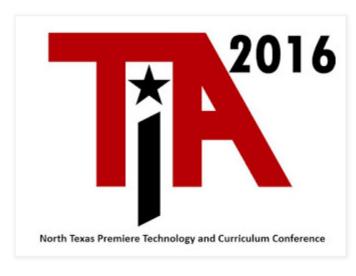
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#### Blog

Tuesday, July 26, 2016

#### TIA 2016: Guest Blogger Jennifer Gail



I just came back from TIA 2016, one of my very first teacher conferences. I know, I know, I'm just a student teacher, but I like to get a jump start on things. It was so amazing, exciting, inspiring, overwhelming, etc. The list could go on. The conference was an absolute blast and I learned a lot.

Educators, I have to say, y'all know how to throw a conference! When I went to watch George Couros's talk the first day I was blown away! There were lights, a stage, music, the whole shebang. It was incredibly overwhelming at first. Teachers

were everywhere and I knew no one - at least I didn't see anyone I knew at Couros's talk. I did end up seeing some friendly faces throughout the day. What I did see during his talk were educators excited about teaching and using technology to do so and that was incredibly encouraging. I hear so many negative things from teachers and professors alike. There are so many stories of teachers resisting technology and bashing on students for wanting to use it and all of the bad things that come with the use of technology.

#### TIA 2016



Jaime Casap Google Educational Evangelist



George Couros
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