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TO: TO ALL EDUCATION ASSISTANTS, SUPPORT WORKERS, VISUAL LANGUAGE INTERPRETERS, CULTURAL TEACHING ASSISTANTS AND ABORIGINAL SUPPORT WORKERS

FROM: Vanessa A. Lysne, Human Resources Officer

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RE: POPARD Module

At the November 27th NID, the new *District Framework for Behaviour Support* was introduced.

As part of POPARD week, on Tuesday, January 23rd (2:45-4:45), Drinkwater Elementary is hosting another opportunity for all district staff to learn about this framework, *Module 1 - Foundations*. If you did not get a chance to catch the workshop on November 27th, you are invited to join by registering below.

<http://register.sd79.bc.ca/events/understanding-behaviour-module-i-foundations/>

Please note there will be two further opportunities before spring break to participate in Module 1, on March 1st and March 6th (locations TBA shortly). Furthermore, workshops in *Module 2 - Developing Effective Behaviour Intervention Plans* will also be announced shortly, and you will be invited. It is recommended (but not absolutely necessary) that you take in Module 1 before Module 2.

You are welcome to attend, however there will not be compensation for attending, but is an opportunity to further one's skillset in understanding behaviour. Don't forget to register above if you are interested in being a part of this worthwhile module.

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