

NSBEA Fall Conference

It's Time To Get Social! Join us Saturday, October 29, 2016, at the NSBEA Fall Conference at University of Nebraska Omaha. Are you a social media newbie? Are you a social media pro? Do you tweet? SnapChat? Are you LinkedIn? Whether you use it or have tried to avoid it, you can't deny that social media is part of our world – and the lives of all students.

Many teachers are still unsure of how to maximize the power of social media in the classroom. During the 2016 NSBEA Fall Conference, network with fellow teachers on the role that social media has played in their classroom and how valuable LinkedIn can be in the classroom. Gain ideas and lessons that you can take with you to begin incorporating tweets, chats, and socializing! Also learn the importance of lessons on digital citizenship and how to increase student awareness of his/her digital footprint from Keegan Korf, Common Sense Media Regional Manager.

Although social media is a critical networking and learning platform, our students must be prepared for the face-to-face experiences of their future. Therefore, no one leaves until they BreakOut! Ok not really . . . But have you heard about the current trend for engaging students in collaborative learning through BreakOut Edu? Join Shelly Mowinkel, Milford Public Schools, and experience the game concept that incorporates essential career skills such as teamwork, problem solving, and critical thinking.

Don't hesitate, mark your calendar for the NSBEA Fall Conference, Saturday, October 29, 2016! Pre-Registration is available at <http://www.nsbea.org>. Registration fees can be mailed prior to the event to DeLayne Havlovic, 4308 N 158th Ave., Omaha NE 68116. Registration and/or payment will also be available register onsite the day of the event.

For those coming from out-of-town on Friday evening, we have a first-come, first-served hotel rate at either the Courtyard or Residence Inn. Those wanting a room on October 28 should call to book as soon as possible as UNO is hosting a hockey game that night and rooms do sell out. The hotel information and rates are:

Marriott Courtyard Aksarben Village

1625 S. 67th Street

Omaha, NE 68106

402.951.4300

Rate \$116 per night (single or double)

To access this rate, call the hotel and ask for the **UNO Rate**

Residence Inn by Marriott at Aksarben Village

1717 S. 67th Street

Omaha, NE 68106

402.551.8000

Rate: \$129 per night (suite style room)

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