



## Greetings

Summer is coming to a close for most of our students and we are ready to begin supporting you, as you launch into a new school year. Take some of the stress off by reaching out to us to and registering your students for the coming school year, or by reaching out to our hub support team to get support with your preparations. Our team is here for you if you have any questions or feedback that you would like to share. You can reach us by emailing [info@portalsacademy.com](mailto:info@portalsacademy.com) or by calling (612) 356-7376.

-Your Portals Team

## Professional Development Training Videos Available Now!

The educator training series is now live on the Portals Academy website! Families and schools who registered for the 2023-24 school year can access the training videos by logging into their account through the Portals website and navigating to the [member page](#).

The videos include topics such as an introduction from Dr. Seann Dikkers, VP of Development, an example teaching for different subject areas, an overview of services provided by our hub support team, and the philosophy and research behind Read, Think, Do.

If there are any additional topics we can cover in order to ensure you have the information and support you need going into the school year, please let us know and we would be happy to create a video resource to share with the whole Portals community.

## Portals at the State Fair

We would love to see you! Crossroads Chapel is hosting the Portals information table at the Minnesota State Fair. Grab your Sweet Martha's Cookies and come visit us anytime Monday through Saturday between 9:00am-5:00pm.

## Lesson Plan Delivery

The launch of the lesson plan delivery database went well, and many schools and families are set up and ready to begin receiving lesson plans! As the school year continues, we will be updating and adding additional features so your lesson plans can be customized to meet your unique needs.

One of the newest delivery options is to receive four days (one week) of lesson plans in a single email. The content is grouped by subject area, so you can get a full week's view more easily in a single email. Click on [this link](#) to view an example of the new format option.

