



Back to School Summit 2026 Schedule

Thursday, July 23, 2026, at 9:00am (PT) | 12:00pm (ET)

Time	Session <i>(Sessions subject to change)</i>
9:00am (PT) 12:00pm (ET)	Welcome with Brian Thomas and Bert Bower
9:20am (PT) 12:20pm (ET) 50 minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● TCI Foundations: Navigate, Teach, and Plan with TCI Elementary, Middle School, High School Social Studies, Science● NEW Discover What's New for Back to School All Grades Social Studies, Science● NEW Engagement for All: TCI's Core Teaching Strategies All Grades Social Studies● NEW Assigning and Grading with Your LMS All Grades Social Studies, Science● 5 Days to a Positive Classroom Culture Middle School, High School Social Studies, Science
10:15am (PT) 1:15pm (ET) 50 minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● NEW Shaping Our New K-5 Science Program Elementary Science● Top Classroom Activities for Middle School World History Middle School Social Studies● Level Up Your Classroom with Gamification All Grades Social Studies, Science● Claim, Evidence, Reasoning Writing Elementary, Middle School Science● NEW Content + Literacy: Making the Most of Your Instructional Minutes Elementary Social Studies, Science● Differentiate and Enrich with TCI All Grades Social Studies● NEW Think Critically, Discuss Civilly Middle School Social Studies● TCI Strategy Session: Social Studies Skill Builder All Grades Social Studies● NEW Beyond the Classroom: College, Career, and Civic Life in the Age of AI Middle School, High School Social Studies
11:10am (PT) 2:10pm (ET) 50 minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Getting the Most Out of Investigations with Limited Time Elementary Science● Using Performance Assessments to Teach and Assess Middle School Science● How to Use Primary Sources in Your Program Elementary Social Studies● Building a Positive Classroom Environment Elementary Science● Using Inquiry Projects to Drive Student Learning Middle School Social Studies● Building Social Studies Skills Through Digital Interactions Middle School, High School Social Studies● NEW Florida: First Look at the New Social Studies Edition Elementary Social Studies● NEW New Classroom Management with AI Features All Grades Science, Social Studies● NEW Digital Citizenship: Lessons that Foster AI and Digital Literacy All Grades Science, Social Studies