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## *American Education Week Video*

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**to:** Principals  
**from:** David A. Smith, Assistant to the Superintendent for Communications  
**subject:** American Education Week Video  
**date:** November 5, 2007



In honor of American Education Week (November 12-16, 2007,) Dr. Shackelford has taped a brief video message. In her message, she offers thanks to all staff for their hard work in moving us toward the 2010 Goals, reviews our theory of action for reaching our goals, and links the work the district is currently engaged in to the theory of action, and to our goals.

With this video, Dr. Shackelford was able to fulfill a dream of hers, by having the video shot and produced by students (Washington High School, Mrs. Patton's class.) The video will be available for viewing on the District website at the beginning of next week.

The last time a video was produced, she asked you to show it to staff during Wednesday afternoon professional development. Wednesday, November 14 is content Wednesday, so this will not be possible. This time, she is asking that you work with your staff to find a suitable time for them to view the video, either as an entire staff, in grade level meetings, or in whatever other configuration makes the most sense to you.

As always, we appreciate your support. Please let me know if you need the video in a format other than streaming from the web.

Thanks,

David

## *Parents As Teachers Display*

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MEMO

11/08/07

**to:** All Staff  
**from:** Rita Kancel, Parents As Teachers  
**subject:** Parents As Teachers Display  
**date:** November 8, 2007



National Parents As Teachers' Day is Thursday, November 8, 2007 **[TODAY!]**. To mark the day, the KCK Public Schools Parents As Teachers program will have a display in the commons area of the Ed Center from 2:00 to 4:00. The display will feature information on the program, a short video of local participation, and a literacy presentation. Anyone interested is invited to stop by and take a look.