



Academic Service Learning

ADOPTING LASSIE: Please view the Webinar

Utah Learn and Serve has a G-mail account. It is all FREE. To access go to:

<https://sites.google.com/site/utahlearnandserve/>

Check it out!!



There have been some changes in the annual LASSIE report. Adopting these changes may bring on some anxiety. As with the Lassie featured on the right, we don't want to be "taken in" by another pretty face. The revisions to the LASSIE report are better. The report provides insight into individual school projects. As the LEA in charge of the grant you are probably happy with the ease you can file the report. Now each school provides information that will shorten your reporting process.

The best information for education comes from the beginning of learning; the actual classroom. The further away we are from children the more we lose touch with why we work in

education. I like the LASSIE because I can see what schools are actually doing with Academic Service Learning. The report is not long and teachers can finish it in a short time.

As a requirement of the grant all will view the tutorial and use the E-Worksheets found on the LASSIE web-page:

<http://lsareports.org>

Here you can find:

Overview

E-Worksheet

Survey

You should have received a notice from LASSIE with your login information. If you have not **Please Contact Me!**

801-538-7734



Special points of interest:

- January 17, 2011 is MLK Day of Service. Please report any activities. A guide and free resources can be found nsbinfo@ysa.org
- Visit the Faculty Room at Utah Educational Network (UEN) There is a feature on Learn and Serve Utah

Program Monitoring Policy U.S.O.E. Learn & Serve America

Utah State Office of Education (USOE) may conduct monitoring of each sub-grantee receiving Learn and Serve America (LSA) funds. On-site monitoring may be conducted at least once annually in accordance with written monitoring procedures developed and maintained by USOE. Additional monitoring may be conducted

through in-person meetings, phone calls, or email. The purpose of the USOE monitoring process is to review the major activities of each LSA funded program in relation to the signed contract between USOE and the sub-grantee. The objectives of monitoring are to improve program operations, assess sub-grantee progress to-

ward performance measures, and provide interactive communication between the sub-grantee and USOE.

Monitoring will begin February 1, 2011.

