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<b>Fiscal &amp; Admin. Services</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">2018-2019 Approved Budget</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Special Education Allocations (Final Federal Funds, Revised State Preschool)</a></li> </ul>
<b>Learning Services</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">ARCareerEd Courses Identified by ADE for Math or Science Credit</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">State Funded PSAT/NMSQT Fall 2019</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Notification: District Review of Underperforming in Direct-Service Medicaid Billing</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Alternate Pathway to Graduation for Students with Significant Cognitive Disabilities</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">ALE Program Description Submission</a></li> </ul>
<b>Legal</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">ADE Proposed Rules – For Public Comment Release</a></li> </ul>
<b>Research &amp; Technology</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">2019-2020 Statewide Information System (SIS) Handbook Published on ADE Data Center</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">2019-2020 Statewide Information System (SIS) Handbook Published on ADE Data Center</a></li> </ul>

**Welcome:** [Jeff Cantwell](#) – Office of Information Technology  
**Best Wishes:** Keyth Howard – Central Administration/Equity

<b>Division Highlights</b>	
<b>Communications</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Press Release Posted: Arkansas Joins Partnership Encouraging Young Women to Explore Careers in Cybersecurity</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">February 1-15, 2019 ArkansasEd.gov Newsletter Posted</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Press Release Posted: 2019 Educator Career Fair Scheduled for March 4 in North Little Rock</a></li> </ul>
<b>Educator Effectiveness</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Online Teaching K-12 Competencies Added</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">2019-2020 APPEL Application Added</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">ArkansasIDEAS Training Number Updated for Code of Ethics for Arkansas Educator's Training</a></li> </ul>
<b>Fiscal Admin. Services</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Allocations Page Updated</a></li> </ul>
<b>Learning Services</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">2019 Documents Added to Charter Applications Form Page</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Early Childhood Page Updated</a></li> </ul>
<b>Legal</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Pending Rules Added: Special Education Catastrophic Occurrences</a></li> </ul>
<b>State Board</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">February 14-15, State Board of Education Transcripts and Exhibits Posted</a></li> </ul>