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Students Lead the Movement to End School-Related Gun Violence

In the weeks following the tragic shooting in Parkland, Florida, students across the nation have led a movement of Americans standing up and stepping out to call for a solution to school-related gun violence.

With a <u>National School Walkout</u> on March 14 and the <u>March For Our Lives</u> this past Saturday, March 24, students are using their voices to drive action to curb gun violence and to remind everyone that in a few short years, these voices will transform into votes.

All4Ed supports these students and all Americans fighting for common-sense measures to keep our schools and communities safe.

Read All4Ed's Statement

Click to Tweet: If there are two places children should feel safe, it's in their homes and schools. Read @All4Ed's stance on gun violence in America's schools and communities: bit.ly/2FG0zslÂ



Education Highlights from Omnibus Spending Bill

Last week, President Trump signed a \$1.3 trillion spending bill that will fund the federal government until September 30. This omnibus spending bill, officially named the Consolidated Appropriations Act for Fiscal Year 2018, provided nearly \$70.9 billion for the U.S. Department of Education (ED), an increase of \$3.9 billion over the fiscal year 2017 funding level. In this blog post, we highlight how educators can use money from the spending bill to promote school safety, the effective use of technology, personalized learning, deeper learning, and the science of adolescent learning.

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Deeper Learning Digest: Robots Stealing Jobs? Not From Our Students!

This week's deeper learning digest focuses on preparing students for the future of work, deeper learning for equity in Kentucky, how deeper learning can lead to military success, and the upcoming deeper learning conference.

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Two Senior Obama Administration Advisors Join Alliance for Excellent Education's Governing Board

All4Ed recently announced the appointment of two outstanding individuals-Roberto J. Rodríguez and Leslie Cornfeld-to its governing board. Rodríguez is president and chief executive officer of Teach Plus and served for eight years in the White House as deputy assistant to President Obama for education. Cornfeld served in the Obama administration as special advisor to Education Secretaries Arne Duncan and John King.

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In Case You Missed It



Future Ready Librarians: Curating Digital Tools and Resources

Future Ready Librarians (FRL) kicked off its 2018 series of webinars by taking a deep dive into the "curriculum, instruction, and assessment" gear from the Future Ready Schools® (FRS) framework as it relates to the FRL strategy of curating digital tools and resources.

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The Every Student Succeeds Act



To keep you up to date on the latest happenings with the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) and its implementation, the Alliance for Excellent Education has created a series of bite-sized materials – both print and video – that provide concise but comprehensive analyses of several key areas within ESSA.

Access ESSA Materials

Federal Flash



Education funding takes center stage in this Federal Flash, with Congress reaching a deal to fund the government through September 30 and Secretary of Education Betsy DeVos testifying on the Hill. Which education programs are slated to receive increases?

Watch the Video

Click to Tweet: Which education programs will receive increases in the omnibus spending bill President Trump signed on Friday? And what did Betsy DeVos say on Capitol Hill last week? #FederalFlash has answers: all4ed.org/FederalFlash

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All4Ed in the News

Colorado Springs District Joins Digital Equity Program

Harrison School District in Colorado Springs was selected to participate in All4Ed's new Future Ready Schools Digital Equity Program, focused on districts that enroll high percentages of children from low-income families and students of color, reports *The Gazette*.

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So good to connect w/ @All4Ed Gov. @BobWise48. Did you know, if Portland Metro graduated 90% of HS students, we would see \$70 million in economic growth? Excited for the road ahead @PPSConnect to ensure our students are ready to live, work and thrive in #PDX.



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