

Summary of Summit Evaluations

Scale: 5=Excellent, 4=Good, 3=Fair, 2=Somewhat Poor, 1=Poor, and NA=Not Applicable

1. Please rate presentation of the information and quality of round table discussions.

5 24
4 18
3 2
2 0
1 0

2. Please rate the materials and handouts provided.

5 15
4 21
3 5
2 0
1 0
NA 3

3. Please rate the facilities.

5 39
4 4
3 1
2 0
1 0

4. Overall, how would you rate this summit?

5 31
4 13
3 0
2 0
1 0

5. Would recommend this summit to a colleague?

5 32
4 12
3 0
2 0
1 0

6. Did the summit meet your expectations?

5 29
4 15
3 0
2 0
1 0

7. Which session did you like most and why?

Curriculum Development-helped to hear that others have the same problems and some solutions

NC Wise Owl-chance to explore and see what's available

NC Wise Owl-(4 similar responses)

Super Heroes

NC Learn-great resource

Frances Bradburn

Collection Development

NC Wise Owl-gave me the opportunity to explore areas I usually don't have time for

Super Heroes-interested in this-new for my center

NC Hist Fiction

Super Heroes-presenters prepared and good handouts

Bull's Eye

NC Wise Owl and Learn NC

Bull's Eye-the opportunity to share and hear other's ideas

NC Wise Owl-practical, applicable

Learn NC-best speaker and fast paced

Graphic Novel-interaction and networking

Learn NC-I was turned off when I was first introduced to the site in its first years and was impressed today with the great improvements.

Tech and Info Literacy

NC Wise Owl-more expansive info-password for home use

NC Hist Fict-very interesting subject matter-very good examples of how it was relevant/useful to students

TRC-I plan to use it.

New Librarian (3 similar responses)

Of the 2 I was able to attend, Tech Info had more usable information

NC Wise Owl-I wasn't using kaleidoscope because I thought it was middle school only

National Board

21st Century (2 similar responses)

Using School Media for Latino/Hispanic

Bull's Eye-good suggestions from other libraries

I really liked them all and found them all helpful.

I enjoyed them all. They were very informative and most involved all participants to discuss issues-collection development

New Librarian because I am entering the field.

Learn NC

Bradburn opening session

NC History and Fiction and NC Wise Owl-lots of information to share with all students, with 4th grade and faculty

Ask Evan

All were equally helpful and informative!

8. Which session did you like least and why?

NC History-needed more time to look at web site

*New Librarian-some participants thought their introduction time was time to “share” their problems. Intros took over 30 minutes because of time hogs.
Information that will influence students/teacher and provide resources.
Assessment-less relevant since I’m not in field.
21st Century Learning-was supposed to be a round table discussion but we all just wanted info on 21st century learning and how to implement it
National Board-no reason-I may not use this information for a while.
Bull’s Eye-helpful, but could have used handouts, slides, powerpoint
Grant Writing-too limited-wanted to know about grant writing in general and lots of sources
NC Fiction-equipment failure-inconsistent
Grant writing-would have liked more information on different available grants
Library strategies for multicultural
Ask Evan-not his fault-one attendee dominated
Show Me the Money-just wasn’t a topic I was particularly interested in
Grant Writing because she talked only about 1 grant and it sounded impossible
Technology and Info-wasn’t expecting a round table discussion-wanted more of a presentation on the topic
Grant Writing-I thought we would go through the writing process
Enhancing Teachers Classrooms-not what I expected-more elementary oriented
Assessing your media Center-I was expecting program assessment, not physical surrounding. I can’t control carpeting/furniture etc, but I can make my program more effective.
New Librarian-didn’t really get many answers
I like all four or all were equally good (5 similar responses)*

9. How can we improve this summit?

*Sessions need to be longer-1 ½ hours
Length of sessions
More definite speakers/cancelled sessions were disappointing
More hands on
Offer more topics-maybe consider inviting public and academic librarians
Speaker start earlier so that attendees won’t be late for the next session
Some sessions could have been longer, they were so good!
Pacing, selection, food, breaks, facilities-all excellent
More duplication of sessions such as grant writing and 21st century learning
Sessions should be longer-new librarian session could have run 90 minutes
Longer length of sessions
Add a little time to sessions
Make sure in the future that the sessions don’t get over crowded. It wasn’t this year-Get the word out early!
Two summits a year would be great!
Add list of all participants and email addresses to packet to facilitate networking
Match session with chosen session on the registration forms
Have it on a weekday-more time for Internet resource sessions
Promote the summit early in the year as many of us have to request funding for staff development early.*

10. Please share any ideas for future sessions you may have.

*Multimedia production and the media center
Budgeting
Site-based management and the school librarian*

Phones in libraries and classrooms(how to get them)
How to present copyright to k-12 teachers painlessly
How to collaborate
Collaborative ideas
Great new authors
Level specific (elem, middle, high) sessions
Offer more topics
More Opportunities to share practical best practices, maybe even divide by elem, middle, and high
More technology specifics
More handouts/email address, etc of presenters
Since many participants are new to field, more sessions focused on introduction issues.
Continue "state of the profession"
NBCT's would like to read some entries that candidates have.
Would like more information about 21st century learning and what is happening in NC
Add a little time to sessions
Information on various research models like the Bigle, Flip-It, etc
New technologies
Do a session about everyday issues in our media center divided by levels
More sample resources

11. Would you be willing to facilitate a session next year? On what topic?

Yes-Multimedia production and media
Yes-any topic (Mendoza)
Yes-National Board, Collaboration
Yes-Facility Management, Student/Librarian Relationship
Yes, Kurzweil 3000, Grants (Oros)

12. Please free to share any additional comments.

Well done
Lunch was great! Schedule and facility was excellent. Do not mind another Saturday like this!
Great Loved It!
Thanks for having it-really enjoyed it. Most sessions great, general presentations great and lunch very, very good. Best workshop I've been to in a long time.
Since I am working/living in Wake Co., I was very glad to have the chance to participate. With ECU's online programs reaching beyond eastern NC future programs like this should be open to all interested students and professionals.
Excellent summit. It's obvious you planned for every detail. Thanks!
I would like to attend additional sessions-hopefully next time!
Great job for your first time!
Very excellent. Great facilities.
Very organized. Staff was friendly and helpful. Student helpers were great.
Thank you for doing this, it was great!
Great job-I enjoyed it.
Informative day. Good chance to learn and share.
Great Job!