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While Teaching for Transformation is now used in schools around the world, it had its origins in PCCE! Have a look at [ARTICLE](#) to look back at the history and also get a sense of the impact Tft is now having in the lives of students far beyond PCCE. The PCCE community can be proud of its foundational design and ongoing support of the framework that is now blessing Christian school communities in so many places.

### LIVING

Wage peace.

Conspire justice.

Plot goodness.

Devise compassion.

Scheme joy.

Foment inclusion.

Incite empathy.

Provoke reconciliation.

Propagandize hope.

Be extremists for love.

By Nate Hamm

### LEARNING

**Tft 101:** Due to Covid restrictions, we will be offering Tft 101 virtually this year. Tft is for any new teachers: either new to teaching or new to your school. We also invite experienced teachers to participate if you would like a Tft refresher and to learn more about what Tft is currently like (**there have been significant changes & improvements over the years**).

We will spend 4 days over the course of the year, learning about Tft, its Core Practices

with the opportunity to implement the framework in your classroom. Teachers will register for Tft 101 when registering for Teachers' Convention (which opens October 1, 2020).

The other Tft 101 dates are:

- November 3, 2020
- December 1, 2020
- February 2, 2021
- March 2, 2021

**Social Studies teachers** (and others who are interested!): The King's University has a free three-part Justice Lecture series starting on October 6, 2020. Sessions are offered via Zoom in the evenings. Click [HERE](#) for more information and to register.

**Science teachers:** If you want to learn some strategies for teaching your students about climate education, register for this international virtual [WORKSHOP](#) (Saturday Sept. 26, 2020). One of the presenters is Dr. Mahaffy from The King's University.

## LEADING

We are super excited to let you know about a new leadership initiative specifically designed for Canadian Christian school leaders (principals, assistants, ED's or boards). Many of you will very fondly remember Dr. Rod Wilson who spoke at our 2019 Leadership Cohort conference. Christian Schools Canada has commissioned Rod to produce a series of leadership videos this year. Two videos will be released each month. We encourage school leadership teams to gather, watch the video together and discuss the reflection questions. Or maybe a group of principals would like to gather in-person or virtually to engage with the content. You can find out more about the series [HERE](#) and access the first video [HERE](#).

**Tft 101:** Due to Covid restrictions, we will be offering Tft 101 virtually this year (further information above). If you have new teachers (new to teaching or new to your school) we encourage you to have them join this year's cohort. Additionally, we strongly encourage schools to have one or more mentor teachers participate along with your new teachers. This allows them to get a Tft refresher (and see the changes since their last training) and provides on-site support for your new teachers.

If you haven't already done so, [REGISTER](#) for the **Christian Schools Canada Conference** to be held on **October 8, 2020**. You can get the details of this virtual event when visiting the website. The topic, "Exclusion & Embrace", is very relevant for our current context and we hope that the virtual format will allow for an even higher level of PCCE participation. If you would like to attend, but financial considerations make this difficult, please contact [Gayle](#).



## UPCOMING EVENTS

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| <b>October 8</b>           | CSC Leadership conference |
| <b>October 22 &amp; 23</b> | PCCE Teachers' Convention |



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