



SCHEDULE-AT-A-GLANCE

DATE/TIME	SESSION	LOCATION
<p>Sessions will be held on both levels of the Waterfront Conference Center. Wildwood rooms are located on the 1st level and Avalon rooms are located on the 2nd level.</p>		
<u>Wednesday, January 29</u>		
8:00 am – 6:30 pm	General Attendee Registration	Wildwood Ballroom Registration Desk
9:00 am – 10:20 am	<p>NJETA Opening General Session Join us for an interactive morning of learning and networking that will set the tone for an inspiring TECHSPO® experience. (This session is only open to NJETA and NJASA members registered to attend TECHSPO®)</p>	Avalon #17/#18/#19
10:00 am – 3:00 pm	Exhibitor Registration/Setup	Wildwood #11/#16 (Exhibit Hall)
10:30 am – 11:25 am	<p>NJETA Group Sessions Designed for IT professionals, Ed Tech experts, and school leaders, (These sessions are only open to NJETA and NJASA members registered to attend TECHSPO®)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Utilizing AI in School Leadership Remaining Calm in the Chaos Designing, Implementing, and Managing a Zero Trust Network Chrome Command Center: Effective Management in the Google Admin Console Unlock the Power of Data with Classlink Analytics What's New with Google for Education and Gemini 	<p>Avalon #12 Avalon #13 Avalon #14 Avalon #15 Avalon #16 Avalon #22</p>
11:30 am – 12:20 pm	<p>NJETA Networking Lunch/Roundtable Discussions (This session is only open to NJETA and NJASA members registered to attend TECHSPO®)</p>	Avalon #17/#18/#19

12:30 pm – 1:30 pm NJETA Group Sessions

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| 1. Gemini for Education: Revolutionizing Productivity and Learning in K-12 Schools | Avalon #1/#2 |
| 2. From Data to Action: Implementing SchoolAI for Ongoing Improvement | Avalon #4/#5 |
| 3. Tech Coordinators Roundtable | Avalon #17/#18/#19 |
| 4. Mastering Network Security: A Comprehensive Guide to EDR, XDR, and Cybersecurity | Avalon #6/#7 |
| 5. From Vision to Reality: Transforming Teaching with Custom AI Tools, Immersive Technologies, and Apple Vision Pro | Avalon #8/#9 |
| 6. CyberSession: Defend Your District Like a Pro | Avalon #10 |
| 7. Boosting Student Success with AI-Powered Microsoft Learning Accelerators | Avalon #12 |
| 8. Shifting the Paradigm of Data Ownership | Avalon #20/#21 |
| 9. Emerging Technologies and Cybersecurity Strategies for K-12 | Avalon #14 |
| 10. Case Study: Scaling Toward a Near Serverless Infrastructure | Avalon #15 |

1:45 pm – 3:00 pm General Session - Cybersecurity for Schools: Not If, But When Avalon #3/#11

3:00 pm – 3:15 pm Refreshment Break Avalon Pre-Function

3:15 pm – 4:15 pm Concurrent Breakout Sessions (*Denotes NJETA IT Strand)

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| 1. Sustainability and Success: Creating a Competitive Robotics Team | Wildwood #8/#9 |
| 2. Cost Savings and Implementation Open-Source SIEM and SOAR with Wazuh | Wildwood #5 |
| 3. *The Essential Role of Educational Technology Coaches in School Districts | Avalon #1/#2 |
| 4. Building a Digital Media Program to Benefit Students and the Community | Avalon #10 |
| 5. EdTech Unplugged: An Interactive Q&A with NJ Tech Coaches | Avalon #17/#18/#19 |
| 6. Young AI minds: Building an AI Unit for Upper Elementary/Middle School Students | Avalon #4/#5 |
| 7. S.O.S.: Supporting our Students | Avalon #22 |
| 8. Progressive and Pervasive Data, Assessment, and NJTSS Strategy | Avalon #12 |
| 9. Using AI to Increase Engagement | Avalon #16 |
| 10. Digital Writing | Avalon #8/#9 |
| 11. Math Maturity; Using Data to Inform Pathways in Mathematics | Avalon #6/#7 |
| 12. Playful Pathways to Data Literacy | Avalon #13 |
| 13. Connections with Communication | Avalon #20/#21 |
| 14. Safeguarding Our Use of AI; Comegno's Rules to Avoid Skynet | Avalon #14 |
| 15. Utilizing Technology to Boost Academic Learning and Success in Early Childhood Education | Wildwood #6/#7 |
| 16. Enhancing Literacy with AI: Transforming Approved Curriculum for the 21st Century Learner | Wildwood #1/#2 |
| 17. Crafting the Future: Data-Driven Career Pathways and Academies for Student Success | Wildwood #3/#4 |
| 18. AI in Education: Separating Hype from Reality—A Strategic Approach to K-12 Integration | Avalon #15 |

5:00 pm – 6:30 pm Welcome Reception Wildwood #11/#16
No competing sessions or activities at this time (Inside Exhibit Hall)

Thursday, January 30

7:00 am – 5:30 pm	Registration	Wildwood Ballroom Registration Desk
8:00 am – 8:50 am	Continental Breakfast	Wildwood #11/#16 (Exhibit Hall)
8:30 am – 9:00 am		Avalon Pre-Function
10:15 am – 11:30 am	or by appointment: email lbasselini@apple.com to schedule	
Apple Accessibility Playground Explore Apple technology through hands-on accessibility activities and leave with ideas on how to create inclusive and accessible learning experiences for all.		
9:00 am – 10:15 am	General Session Keynote Speaker: Jordyn Zimmerman	Avalon #3/#11
10:15 am – 10:30 am	Exhibit Hall Refreshment Break	Wildwood #11/#16 (Exhibit Hall)
10:30 am – 11:30 am	Concurrent Breakout Sessions (*Denotes NJETA IT Strand)	
1.	Building Strong Superintendent and Board of Education Relationships	Wildwood #3/#4
2.	STEAM It Up! What's Working in Our STEAM Labs 2025	Avalon #4/#5
3.	*Adapting to Change: Evolving Roles and Redefining Responsibilities in Tech Teams	Avalon #1/#2
4.	AI, Podcasting, & Digital Storytelling: Enhancing Communication Among Students w/Disabilities	Avalon #8/#9
5.	Overcoming Imposter Syndrome: Building Confidence in Tech Leadership	Avalon #12
6.	Supporting the Whole Student: Meeting Learning Needs of Students in Alternative Settings	Avalon #23/#24/#25/#26
7.	Data Analysis in Cinnaminson Township Using LinkIt!	Avalon #13
8.	Rethinking HR Automation: The Journey from Flintstones to The Jetsons to the Robinsons	Avalon #10
9.	Harnessing Technology to Empower Multilingual Learners	Avalon #14
10.	How Technology is Breaking Down Barriers to Transform Mental Health Support in Schools	Avalon #6/#7
11.	Increasing Equity, Access, and Achievement in Advanced Placement	Wildwood #8/#9
12.	Transforming Graduation Rates:Senior Status Meeting a Collaborative Data-Driven Success Story	Avalon #15
13.	Enhancing Math Achievement with Data-Driven Strategies	Wildwood #1/#2
14.	Don't Give Up the "Ship" - Re-Flipping the Classroom	Wildwood #6/#7
15.	MTSS: Our Secret Formula for Matching Students with Meaningful Supports	Wildwood #5
16.	Tech-Tools to Level the Playing Field	Avalon #20/#21
17.	Streamlining Central Office and Building Level Workflow	Avalon #22
18.	Leading the Way: Women in Educational Technology Leadership	Avalon #17/#18/#19
19.	Debunking AI “Detectors”	Avalon #16
11:30 am – 1:30 pm	NJASA Executive Committee Meeting	Avalon #23/#24/#25/#26

(This is a closed meeting for Committee Members and invited guests)

11:30 am – 1:30 pm Exhibits/Lunch and Prizes!

Wildwood #11/#16
(Exhibit Hall)

1:30 pm – 2:30 pm Concurrent Breakout Session (*Denotes NJETA IT Strand)

1. Next Gen Leadership: Connecting Multiple Generations
2. What's New in MacOS Sequoia
3. *The State of DMARC, SPF, and Email Security in NJ K12 Education 2025
4. Adapting to the Cloud: Redefining IT Roles in the Era of SaaS and AI
5. AI-Powered Leadership: Work Smarter, Lead Better
6. Teaching Reading with Digital Texts
7. AI-Powered Pathways: Innovating Your Gifted and Talented Program Development
8. Empowering Students with Drones: From Campus Solutions to FAA Certification
9. The Future of Learning: Building Digital Schools for the Next Generation
10. Meeting the Needs of Diverse Learners
11. AI-Driven Personalization: Enhancing Well-Being and Learning Outcomes
12. Instructional Coaches Matter!
13. Empowering Excellence: 5 Essential Practices Using AI to Enhance School Culture
14. Data-Driven Instruction: Enhancing School and District Instructional Practices
15. Cybersecurity Education in K-12 Schools: Attracting and Retaining
16. Unlocking Potential: Leveraging AI for Executive Functioning Support in Education
17. Reimaging MTSS: Data Analytics Through an Ethic of Care
18. No Flip, No Problem!
19. Creating and Funding Relevant Career and Technical Education Programs

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2:30 pm – 2:45 pm Exhibit Hall Refreshment Break

Wildwood #11/#16
(Exhibit Hall)

2:45 pm – 3:45 pm Concurrent Breakout Sessions (*Denotes NJETA IT Strand)

1. Beyond the Algorithm: Empowering Students to Critically Engage with AI's Cultural Impact
2. Empowering Student Voices: Podcasting and Digital Arts in the Middle School Classroom
3. *Fireside Chat - Implementing New Cybersecurity Technologies
4. Chromebook+ for Teachers: Lessons Learned from a Pilot Program to Full Rollout
5. Design Thinking and Computer Science with Dash Robotics
6. Breaking Through Barriers to Effective Data Analysis
7. Revamped MTSS Process Reduces SpEd Referral Rates 19%
8. Sustainability Projects Through STEAM
9. Increasing Student Engagement by Eliminating Cell Phones!
10. Ready, Set, Secure: Building Cyber Resilience in Schools Through Tabletop Exercises
11. Superintendent's Assistant (SA), A Chat AI Agent Designed to Assist in District Leadership
12. AI Across All Roles- Student, Staff, Leadership

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13. Building a School Community and Breaking Down Barriers with a Weekly News Show	Avalon #15
14. Project Smile: Cultivating Student-Lead Social-Emotional Well-Being in Our Community	Avalon #4/#5
15. Enhancing Instructional Coherence in Math: Addressing Modeling and Representation Struggles	Avalon #8/#9
16. Harnessing AI for Quality Instruction	Avalon #6/#7
17. Soar Into the Future: The Drone Zone Experience	Avalon #14
18. Game On! Boosting Engagement Using Healthy Competition in the STEM Classroom	Avalon #23/#24/#25/#26
19. Enhancing Academic Writing Through Technology with Multilingual Learners	Avalon #13

3:45 pm – 4:15 pm	Exhibit Hall Networking/Cash Bar Prize Drawing! (You must be present to win)	Wildwood #11/#16 (Exhibit Hall)
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5:00 pm – 6:30 pm	Reception No competing sessions or activities at this time	The Pool
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Friday, January 31

7:30 am – 12:00 pm	Registration	Wildwood Ballroom Registration Desk
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8:00 am – 8:50 am	Continental Breakfast	Wildwood #11/#16 (Exhibit Hall)
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9:00 am – 10:15 am	General Session Keynote Speaker: Andrew Marotta	Avalon #3/#11
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10:15 am – 10:30 am	Exhibit Hall Refreshment Break!	Wildwood #11/#16 (Exhibit Hall)
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10:30 am – 11:30 am	Concurrent Breakout Sessions (*Denotes NJETA IT Strand)	
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1. Canva for Education: Empowering Educators and Students for Free	Avalon #12
2. *What's the Hype on Hyperconverged Solutions?	Avalon #1/#2
3. Soar Into STEM: Model Airplanes, Flight Simulators, and Drone Adventures!	Avalon #13
4. Student-Centered Learning with AI	Avalon #4/#5
5. Unlocking Student Success: Leveraging i-Ready Data for NJSLA Proficiency	Avalon #14
6. The New Library: Embracing a Shifting Paradigm	Avalon #15
7. Beyond AI - Understanding How Artificial Intelligence Works for Teachers and Students	Avalon #20/#21
8. Tech-Enhanced PBL: Crafting Tomorrow's Learning Adventures Today	Avalon #6/#7
9. From Curiosity to Consensus: AI Strategy for Administrators, Coaches, and Classrooms	Avalon #22
10. Staff Climate and Your SIS	Wildwood #3/#4
11. PD That Pops! Edtech Engagement with a Twist	Avalon #8/#9
12. STEAM Made Simple with OZOBots	Wildwood #5
13. Roadmap to 2030: Developing AI Guidelines and a District Vision for the Future	Avalon #16

- 14. The Inclusive Classroom Experience
- 15. District Spotlight: Supporting Growth and Equity that Drive NJSLA Performance

Wildwood #6/#7
Avalon #10

11:45 am Box lunches will be available for the ride home!

Wildwood
Pre-Function Area

11:45 am Grand Prize Drawing!
(You must be present to win)

Wildwood Ballroom

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