Want to teach? Connect with schools at career fairs in Fort Hall, Twin Falls

(BOISE) – It’s Teacher Appreciation Week, and aspiring educators will have a one-stop opportunity to meet with prospective employers from school districts and charter schools in the Blackfoot and Twin Falls areas Wednesday and Thursday, May 8-9.

The State Department of Education offers free Educator Career Fairs to districts and to teachers across the state, aiming to help fill teaching vacancies and keep promising educators in Idaho.

Districts and charter schools from regions V and VI will be on hand from 5 to 7 p.m. Wednesday, May 8, at the Shoshone-Bannock Hotel and Event Center, Chief Taghee A, in Fort Hall. Teachers can register here.

The Region IV Educator Career Fair is scheduled from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. in the Rick Allen Room of the Herrett Center for Arts & Science, Twin Falls. Register here.

Recent graduates from education bachelor’s degree programs, professionals in other fields seeking a career change, education majors within a year of graduation and holders of Idaho teaching certificates all are invited to attend and find out about job opportunities.

The Educator Career Fair, now in its fifth year, also assists districts in their recruitment efforts and provides a resource for Idaho teacher education programs aiming to place their graduates.

This spring’s final Educator Career Fair is set Tuesday, May 14, in Coeur d’Alene. For more information on pathways to becoming an Idaho educator, check out the SDE’s Be An Educator program.

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Note: Find out more about Be An Educator and link to the SDE’s Certification and Professional Standards site at http://www.sde.idaho.gov/be-an-educator/