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**News Release**

***Schedule for Commissioner Jones, Oct. 25 - 29***

**Monday, Oct. 25 – Tuesday, Oct. 26**

Commissioner of Education Dwight D. Jones will attend the meeting of Western Slope Superintendents. The meeting begins at 1 p.m. on Monday.

**Location:** Doubletree Hotel, 743 Horizon Dr., Grand Junction

**Monday, Oct. 25**

The commissioner will help kick-off the Expanded Learning Opportunities listening tour. The goal of the statewide tour is to listen to educators, program providers, parents and others about the challenges and successes of expanded learning time and to discuss ideas for improving programs and strengthening community partnerships.

**Time:** 5 p.m.

**Location:** Doubletree Hotel Grand Junction, 743 Horizon Dr., Kokopelli Room, Grand Junction

**Thursday, Oct. 28**

Commissioner Jones will speak at the Knowledge is Power Program (KIPP) Colorado Schools annual fundraising breakfast.

**Time:** 7:30 a.m.

**Location:** Denver Athletic Club, 1325 Glenarm Pl., Denver

The commissioner will attend the Children's Hospital Board of Directors meeting.

**Time:** Noon

**Location:** Children's Hospital, Anschutz Medical Campus, 13123 E. 16th Ave., Aurora

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