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Here are 12 education podcasts you should know about

by Alli Lindenberg

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New president Thomas Stith gives first remarks at State Board of Community Colleges meeting

by Michael Taffe

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by Keiyonna Dubashi and Anna Almore

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by Liam Miranda and Dylan Russell

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From our colleagues at PBS:

For Phase II of At-Home Learning, PBS North Carolina will collaborate with NC DPI and the Friday Institute to broadcast math and literacy-focused lessons and activities for students in Pre-K through third grade, as part of a new programing block, *Classroom Connection*.

Classroom Connection will feature PBS KIDS favorites alongside North

Carolina educators. This short-form learning series will deliver engaging math and literacy lessons with North Carolina teachers, aimed at Pre-K through third grade students to support their at-home learning. The *Classroom Connection* programming block will be available over the air on PBS NC's main channel beginning February 1 and streamed online at pbsnc.org/ahl. Lessons will also be made available on the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction Digital Teaching and Learning YouTube channel and the #GoOpenNC digital repository.

Phase II will also include the launch of *Teacher Time*, a series of short-form STEM activities for early learners presented by North Carolina teachers. *Teacher Time* is supported by the Burroughs Wellcome Fund and will debut on UNC-TV and its Rootle PBS KIDS channel beginning this winter.

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