



Upcoming Learning Opportunities

OCTOBER 2017

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ASSESSMENT

Myth-Busting: Debunking Multiple-Choice Misconceptions

Featuring: **Tim Coates**

October 25, 2017 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM
Audience: All Grades 4-12 Educators, District Leads and Coaches

Assessment 101: Practical Steps to Better

Assessment Practices

Featuring: **Tim Coates**

November 22, 2017 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM
Audience: All Educators

CAREER AND TECHNOLOGY FOUNDATIONS

Assessment in CTF

Featuring: **Krystal Abrahamowicz**

October 26, 2017 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM
Audience: All CTF Teachers

COMPETENCIES

Cultural and Global Citizenship Across the Subject Areas

Featuring: **Bill Howe, Leah Ettarh**

October 13, 2017 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM
Audience: All Grade 3-12 Teachers

ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS

Meeting English Language Learner Needs:

Collaborative Community

Featuring: **Douglas Sewell, Kim Tackaberry, Lorrie Morales**

November 23, 2017 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
December 14, 2017 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
January 18, 2018 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (online)
February 8, 2018 4:00 PM - 5:30 PM (online)
March 8, 2018 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
Audience: All Classroom Teachers and ELL Leaders

FIRST NATIONS, MÉTIS & INUIT

First Nations, Métis, and Inuit - Eliminating the

Achievement Gap

Featuring: **Donna Ross**

October 17, 2017 4:30 PM - 6:30 PM
Audience: All Teachers, Leadership and Support Staff

First Nations, Métis and Inuit Collaborative Community

"Education for Reconciliation and Calls to Action"

Featuring: **Donna Ross**

October 24, 2017, November 28, 2017, January 30, 2018, April 17, 2018
Audience: All Support Staff, Educators, Administrators, Coaches

FRENCH

Calling French Immersion Parents! Support your Child's

Reading and Writing with Great Strategies at Home

Featuring: **Martine Cavanagh, Sylvie Bergevin**

October 19, 2017 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM
Audience: French Immersion Parents who's school uses "Enseigner le récit réaliste"

L'utilisation de l'outil de dépistage pour la

preparation a la lecture (RRST)

Featuring: **Valérie Perreault-Murphy**

October 26, 2017 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
November 2, 2017 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
public visé: GRADE 1-2 ENSEIGNANTS DE L'ENSEIGNEMENT PRÉCOCE ET TOUS LES ENSEIGNANTS QUI VEULENT EN SAVOIR PLUS SUR LA SENSIBILISATION PHONOLOGIQUE ET L'INTERVENTION PRÉCOCE DE L'ALPHABÉTISATION SONT ENCOURAGÉS À ASSISTER À CES PRÉSENTATIONS.

HIGH SCHOOL REDESIGN

Bringing the Foundational Principles to Life with

Competency Rich Experiences

Featuring: **Krystal Abrahamowicz**

November 9, 2017 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM
Audience: All High School Teachers

INCLUSIVE EDUCATION

WEBINAR: Necessary Components of Successful

AAC Implementation

Featuring: **Christopher Bugaj**

October 11, 2017 & October 25, 2017 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM
Audience: K-12 Teachers, Learning Leaders and Learning Coaches

Igniting Adolescent Resiliency

Featuring: **Monica Cane**

October 12, 2017 12:30 PM - 3:00 PM
Audience: Grades 4-10: Teachers, Guidance Counsellors and Administrators

What Differentiation Is and Is Not

Featuring: **Kim Tackaberry**

October 18, 2017 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Audience: All Classroom Teachers K-12, Learning Coaches and ESL/ELL Learning Leaders

Principles of Standardized Testing & Issues in

Administration of Level B Tests

Featuring: **Dr. Dave Carter**

November 6, 2017, November 7, 2017, November 8, 2017
Audience: LST's, Learning Coaches, BEST and Diversity Teachers doing Level B Testing

Advanced Level B - Interpreting Assessment Results

Featuring: **Dr. Dave Carter**

November 9, 2017 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM
Audience: LST's, Learning Coaches, BEST and Diversity Teachers doing Level B Testing

LITERACY

Why Vocabulary?

Featuring: **Adam Browning**

October 12, 2017 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Audience: All K-12 Educators, Literacy Leaders and ELL Specialists

The Reading Readiness Screening Tool (RRST) &

Follow Up Interventions

Featuring: **Cynthia Strem**

October 23, 2017 & November 20, 2017 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Audience: K-Grade 2 Early Education Teachers and all Teachers Who Want To Learn More About Phonological Awareness and Early Literacy Intervention

Real Life Writing

Featuring: **Lorrie Morales**

November 8, 2017 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
Audience: All 6-12 Teachers and Literacy Leaders

My Students are Their Own Movie Directors!

Featuring: **Kim Tackaberry**

November 8, 2017 12:30 PM - 3:00 PM
Audience: Grades 3-8 Classroom Teachers and Learning Coaches

High-Yield Vocabulary Activities

Featuring: **Adam Browning, Sarah Clark**

November 9, 2017 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Audience: All K-12 Educators, Literacy Leaders and ELL Specialists

Featured Sessions

Visible Learning for Mathematics (K-12)

Featuring: **Connie Hamilton**

November 17, 2017 | 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM
January 22, 2018 | 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM (online)
March 23, 2018 | 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM
Audience: K-12 Educators, Administrators and Coaches

Rich tasks, collaborative work, number talks, problem-based learning, direct instruction...with so many possible approaches, how do we know which ones work the best? In Visible Learning for Mathematics, six acclaimed educators assert it's not about which one—it's about when—and show you how to design high-impact instruction so all students demonstrate more than a year's worth of mathematics learning for a year spent in school.

Please note, there are also division level specific Math Collaborative Communities (Div 1, Div 2, Div 3, Div 4) that will run parallel to this series. Participants may want to register for the Collaborative Community of their choice in order to deepen their learning of this content.

Mental Wellness at School

Featuring: **Dr. Patrick Carney**

November 29, 2017 | 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM

In addition to our need to support students who are currently experiencing Mental Health challenges, research is indicating that more focused approaches for teaching Social Emotional Learning (SEL) skills to all students supports academic success. Students do so much better when they can identify what they are feeling, manage their emotions, show empathy and resolve conflicts. Furthermore SEL is important to increase the mental health resiliency we all need for the trauma, losses, stresses and strains that come our way over time.

Words Their Way™ Word Study in Action

Development Model: K-6

Featuring: **Connie Zimmer**

December 8, 2017 | 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM
Audience: K-6 Teachers, Literacy Coaches, Reading Specialists and Principals

In this full-day session, participants will become aware of the benefits of implementing this program in comparison to a traditional spelling program. People will come to understand how Words Their Way™ is one component of a balanced literacy program. Learning needs of diverse learners (including First Nations, Métis, and Inuit students, English Language Learners and more) will be carefully considered during this work.

MATH / PARENT

Parent Math Night Series - Multiplication Facts and More!

(Grade 3 - Grade 7) Yes, teachers are parents too! PART 1

Featuring: **Gerri Lorway**

October 12, 2017 6:15 PM - 8:15 PM
Audience: Parents and Teachers of Children In Grades 3-7
*Note: see our website to register for parts 2 and 3

Mental Math: How Can I Help my Child at Home?

Parent Math Night

Featuring: **Jennifer Plosz**

October 17, 2017 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM
Audience: Parents and Teachers K-3

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