



Welcome Angela to the NRLC Team!

Angela retired from Grande Prairie Public School Division after 32 years of service as a classroom teacher, academic support, teacher librarian, administrator, AISI coordinator and the last 10 years as Director of Teaching and Learning. She has a Bachelor of Education from the University of Alberta and a Master of Science in Education with a focus in Elementary Literacy and Reading from Walden University

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From Our Executive Director

Welcome Back to Another School Year!

NRLC is busy preparing some exciting professional learning programming for you this fall. There will be a mix of in person learning events and online events to choose from. As always, you will have access to browse and attend PD around the province by viewing the calendar on the home page of our website at www.nrlc.net. You can search the PROVINCIAL offerings by the ARPCD toggle, and the REGIONAL Zone 1 offerings by the NRLC toggle.

Provincial: ARPCD View



Learning Opportunities September 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed
	29	30	31
	Differentiation Using Guided Math - Day 1 GPPSD Division Kick-Off Program The Ripple Effect Unpacking Curriculum for our Diverse Learners	Google Classroom Supports - Asynchronous Learning Sturgeon Lake Cree Nation School Kick Off Day	1

Regional: NRLC View



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Be sure to check if the event is virtual or face to face, onsite prior to registering for an event to make sure you are available to attend. Cheers to another great learning year!

Sandra Ciurysek
Executive Director

Featured Opportunities

NRLC
NORTHWEST
REGIONAL LEARNING

**PHONEMIC AWARENESS (HEGGERTY TIER 1)
&
BRIDGING THE GAP
PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT WEBINARS**

**WITH
ERICA SUAREZ AND MARJORIE BOTTARI**

ONLINE VIA ZOOM

Date: September 28, 2021

**Phonemic Awareness Webinar:
9:00am - 10:30am
Register: <https://nrlc.net/program/7455>**

**Bridging the Gap Webinar:
10:45am - 12:00pm
Register: <https://nrlc.net/program/7456>**

Erica Suarez
Literacy Specialist, Heggerty Literacy

Marjorie Bottari
Literacy Specialist, Heggerty Literacy

Heggerty

Bridge the Gap Professional Development Webinar

*with Erica Suarez & Marjorie Bottari
of Heggerty Literacy*

Sept 28 | 10:45-12:00 PM | Virtual | FREE

The Bridge the Gap professional development webinar provided by one of the authors, shares an in-depth understanding of the assessments and lessons included in Bridge the Gap: Phonemic Awareness Intervention Lessons. Participants will gain a thorough understanding of the lesson components, assessments, and activities included in the intervention manual.

Phonemic Awareness (Heggerty Tier 1)

*with Erica Suarez & Marjorie Bottari
of Heggerty Literacy*

Sept 28 | 9:00-10:30 AM | Virtual | FREE

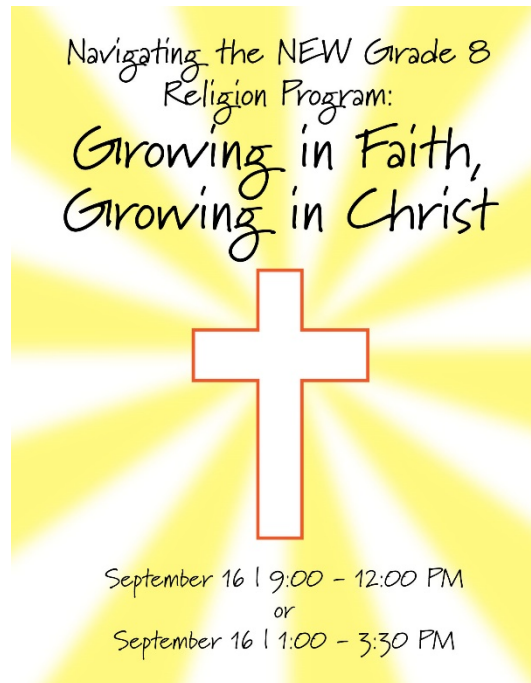
The Phonemic Awareness professional development webinar, provided by a knowledgeable Literacy Specialist, provides educators with an overview of the Heggerty Phonemic Awareness curriculum. Participants will learn about the lesson components and activities included in all three levels of the curriculum: the Pre-K version, the Kindergarten version, and the Primary version, which can be used with 1st and 2nd grade classrooms and is recommended for use with older learners who struggle to decode.

Navigating the NEW Grade 8 Religion Program: Growing in Faith, Growing in Christ)

with Stephanie Wells & Susanna
Kaup

Are you new to teaching Grade 8 Religion, or would you like a guided tour through the NEW Grade 8 Religion program and resources? Please join Susanna Kaup, Secondary Religious Education Consultant for Edmonton Catholic Schools and Stephanie Wells with Pearson School Canada to engage in an overview of this terrific new curriculum and resources.

Together we will look at how the program was developed, the various components of the student book and teacher guide, and explore some of the digital resources and unit inquiry tasks.



September 16

9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Virtual | \$35

September 16

1:00 PM - 3:30 PM

Virtual | \$35

Collaborative Response 101: Every Child Deserves a Team

with

Kurtis Hewson, Jigsaw Learning

Online Via Zoom

Dates and Time

3-Hour Half-day Session

September 29, 2021

9:00am - 12:00pm MST

Register: <https://nrlc.net/program/7453>

Or

3 After-School Session Series

October 14, 21 & 28, 2021

4:00pm - 5:30pm MST

Register: <https://nrlc.net/program/7454>



Collaborative Response 101: Every Child Deserves a Team

with Kurtis Hewson from Jigsaw Learning

Come learn about Collaborative Response, an organizational mindset that involves some fundamental shifts for schools and districts, such as layering collaborative team structures, transforming how we talk about student needs, focusing on students close to meeting expectations through thoughtful organization of data and evidence and ensuring tiering of supports rather than students. Simple shifts that emerge through a focus on Collaborative Response and the good news is that some likely already exist in your building!

Half Day Session
Sept 29 | 9:00-12:00 PM | Virtual | \$10

After-School Sessions
Oct 14, 21 & 28 | 4:00-5:30 PM | Virtual | \$10

	<p>Fierce Conversations Refresher Series October 6, October 20 & November 3 2021 Time: 1:00pm - 3:00pm MST Registration https://nrlc.net/program/7479 Virtual Via Zoom</p>	
<p>Fierce Conversations Training Series October 6, October 20, November 3 & November 17 2021 Time: 9:00am - 12:00pm MST Registration https://nrlc.net/program/7478 Virtual Via Zoom</p>		<p>Fierce Conversations PLC Series September 15, October 26, November 3, December 8 2021, January 18, March 8 & May 3 2022 Time: 9:00am - 10:00am MST Registration https://nrlc.net/program/7477 Virtual Via Zoom</p>

Fierce Conversations Full Training Series

with Carolyn Gartke

Oct 06, Oct 20, Nov 3 & Nov 17 | 9:00 - 12:00 PM | Virtual | \$250

Fierce Conversations Refresher Series

with Carolyn Gartke

Oct 06, Oct 20 & Nov 3 | 1:00 - 3:00 PM | Virtual | \$60

Fierce Conversations PLC Series

with Carolyn Gartke

Sept 15, Oct 26, Nov 3, Dec 8, Jan 18, Mar 8 & May 3 | 9:00 - 10:00 AM | Virtual | \$60

French Opportunities

Click on the calendar to get an in-depth view of all French opportunities around the province and access to each session.

 <h2>September 2021</h2> <h3>ARPDC French Learning Opportunities</h3>					
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 La littératie: une mission continue Literacy: an ongoing mission	2	3	4
6 LABOUR DAY HOLIDAY	7	8	9	10	11
13	14 IDELLO Webinar Series	15	16	17	18
20	21 Introduction to Education Perfect - French Immersion and French as a Second Language Resource	22	23 Introduction to Education Perfect - French Immersion and French as a Second Language Resource	24	25
27	28	29	30		



[IDELLO Webinar Series](#)

with *Barbara Franchi*

Sept 14, Oct 12, Nov 9, Dec 14, Jan 11, Feb 8, Mar 8, Apr 12, May 10 & Jun 14 | 4:15 - 5:00 PM | Virtual | \$50

Introduction to Education Perfect - French Immersion and French as a Second Language Resource

with *Philippa Kruger*

[Sept 21 | 4:00 - 4:30 PM | Virtual | FREE](#)

OR

[Sept 23 | 4:00 - 4:30 PM | Virtual | FREE](#)

DANS UN DÉCOR SPECTACULAIRE



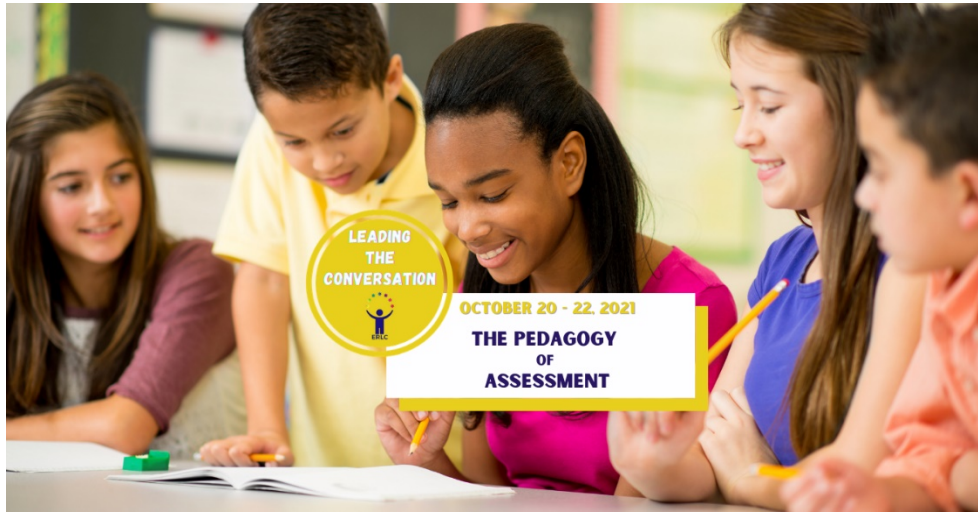
VIVEZ UN CONGRÈS
PLUS GRAND QUE NATURE
BANFF, 2-4 DÉCEMBRE 2021

Ouverture des inscriptions en **septembre 2021**
www.acpicongres.ca

ARPDC is an important partner in supporting professional learning opportunities for French Immersion and Francophone teachers at ACPI's annual conference this December in Banff Alberta. Look for our sessions under the banner of our biannual conference – Symposium des Rocheuses. Featured speakers include :

- **Dr Olivier Dyens** qui présentera ***sur la*** créativité ludique
- **Anne-Marie Bilton** qui présentera ***sur la*** ***littérature précoce.***
- **Marc-Albert Paquette** qui présentera sur ***Communiquer au quotidien en immersion française.***

Around the Province



 **JENNIFER GONZALEZ**

4 Laws of Learning (and how to obey them in your lessons) & Supporting Student Readers and Writers in Every Class

October 15, 2021
12:30 - 3:30 pm
Via zoom
<https://arts.qd.ab.ca/programs/details/?id=9728>



Classroom Inclusivity Audit
Pre-Kindergarten & Kindergarten

Let's take advantage of our important role in students' lives to ensure that their visions of the future are antiracist and inclusive ones!

October 4 | 4:00 - 5:00 PM
October 18 | 4:00 - 5:00 PM
November 1 | 1:00 - 3:00 PM

with Lorena German



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