



Wabash Valley Education Center
VIRTUAL Professional Development Schedule
 Fall 2020

September	9/24/2020	<p><u>Differentiating Small Group Guided Reading to Support High Ability/Gifted Students (SMEKENS) - VIRTUAL</u></p> <p>Often the topic of differentiation is reserved for the struggling reader; however, students at the top end of the reading spectrum also need small-group instruction. While high-ability/gifted students often sound good when they are reading, they still need instruction to learn to think deeply about the text to infer author's intentions, make a synthesis, and respond to the text in writing. In this workshop, Kristi McCullough will provide elementary (grades 2-6) teachers with a way to determine reading goals for even the high-achieving readers and schedule productive guided reading lessons for high-ability and gifted readers. THIS WILL BE A VIRTUAL WORKSHOP</p>	\$125
	9/28/2020	<p><u>Orton Gillingham Basic Training for All Teachers Grades 1 and Up - VIRTUAL SERIES</u></p> <p>Basic OG Training is designed for all other Teachers, Interventionists and Instructional Assistants who serve Grades 1 and Up. In addition to the content included in the Kindergarten Training, this course covers the following more advanced Orton-Gillingham literacy skills. This series will run for 4 weeks.</p>	\$210
	9/29/2020	<p><u>*WVEC Title III Consortium Back to School Kick-off Meeting - VIRTUAL</u></p> <p>This virtual meeting is for the contact person of members of the WVEC Title III Consortium.</p>	Free
October	10/2/2020	<p><u>-Intervention Strategies in the Math Classroom (K-5) - VIRTUAL</u></p> <p>We know that RTI (Response to Intervention) is a crucial component of supporting all learners, but what best math practices support our students in Tier I, general classroom? Teachers are ready and willing to differentiate, but what exactly should this look like—and how do we know that our interventions are effective or truly intervening? We will explore John Hattie's research on surface, deep and transfer math skills needed to thrive in a math classroom, as well as manageable ways to differentiate with questions and scaffolding. This workshop will now be virtual from 8:30-11:30 am.</p>	\$125
	10/5/2020 - 10/8/2020	<p><u>10th Annual WVEC EL Conference - 2020 Virtual EL Conference Week!</u></p> <p>Join us as we go VIRTUAL for our annual state conference dedicated to the needs of English Learners! This year, our theme is TOGETHER. As we see education and our world continually changing, we are always reminded that we are in this TOGETHER. For the safety of all, this year the EL Conference will be VIRTUAL! Join us after school for a couple of hours during the week of October 5-8, 2020! This conference is perfect for all who work with English Learners, PK-12, EL Teachers, Instructional Aides, Coaches, and Administrators.</p>	\$145
	10/8/2020	<p><u>*Smekens: Delivering Dynamic Mini-lessons in Writing - VIRTUAL</u></p> <p>Everyone says the teach writing through "mini-lessons", but what is a mini-lesson really? In this practical one-day workshop, Shona Lansdell identifies the characteristics of a powerful writing mini-lesson and then shows participants how to integrate key components into a 10-15 minute whole-class presentation. Beyond a single lesson, participants will also learn how to prepare and deliver a multi-day mini-lesson series. THIS WILL BE A VIRTUAL WORKSHOP</p>	\$125
	10/27/2020	<p><u>VIRTUAL Teacher Evaluation Training</u></p> <p>This VIRTUAL training is for anyone utilizing the RISE, RISE Modified, or other teacher evaluation tools. Anyone who will serve as a primary or secondary evaluator will need to be trained. This is open to all NEW Evaluators and Administrators. It also serves as a great refresher course! Materials have been updated for 2020!</p>	\$125
November	11/2/2020 11/3/2020	<p><u>*Virtual SIOP: Getting Started</u></p> <p>This two part virtual workshop will provide you with an overview of SIOP. We will explore the eight components of SIOP, look at examples of these within the classroom and share resources for getting started with SIOP in your own classroom or learning environment. The SIOP strategies are good foundational components critical for planning, instructing and supporting ELs in the classroom. This workshop will be from 4:00-5:30 ET both days.</p>	\$80

11/4/2020	<u>Most Powerful Solutions for Eliminating Chronic Disruptive Behavior in K-12 Classrooms - VIRTUAL</u>	\$125
	Want to know the most effective strategies that will stop chronic behavior immediately in its tracks...the tricks that master level teachers use to prevent and eliminate chronic disruptive behavior? This training takes a deeper look at the most effective strategies and interventions for eliminating chronic disruptive behavior within a multi-tiered system of support. You'll learn and leave with ready to use techniques for Angry, Obnoxious, Defiant, Explosive, Aggressive, Controlling, Arrogant, Noisy, and Maladaptive students. See these techniques in action as presenter Kevin Dill simulates implementation through live role playing. THIS WILL BE A VIRTUAL WORKSHOP	
11/4/2020	<u>*Supporting ELs in the Math Classroom (Virtual)</u>	\$80
	Come to this 3 hour interactive virtual PD workshop! Learn more about the specific challenges that English Learners face in Math, as well as ideas for supporting these students in the classroom. Be ready to engage and enjoy learning some new ideas and lessons for making learning math accessible for all students (K-12)!! NOTE: This workshop will be offered as an AM or PM session.	
11/4/2020 11/11/2020 11/18/2020	<u>*Writing Strategies for ELs - Virtual Series</u>	\$75
	The gap between oral language and writing is a big one for English Language Learners. Come join ESL Teacher Melissa Fresch, as she shares strategies that support EL's with strengthening their writing skills while also providing practice in all four language domain areas. Melissa is always an EL Conference favorite! You will leave this series with some great tools for helping grow, develop & support the EL writers in your classroom at any grade level. This series will meet virtually for three Wednesdays in a row from 4-5pm EST (Nov 4, 11, 18).	
11/11/2020 11/18/2020	<u>*SEL for ELLs (Virtual Series)</u>	\$75
	How can we optimize conditions so that our English Learners can best learn? Whether it's in person or online, we want our students to feel safe, supported, and successful as deep learning takes place. In this 2 part series, we will use the lens of educational neuroscience to examine how to best meet the social/emotional needs of our ELLs and support their learning as we begin a new school year. .	
11/17/2020	<u>Virtual – Engaging K-2 Students in Play-based Learning Remotely: At Home or At School, Play Makes Learning Cool</u>	\$25
	Carolyn Howard and Carol Grady will enhance your teacher toolbox by giving you hands-on, engaging play-based activities that are adaptable to any classroom lesson. Research supports that learning should be fun! We believe in moving, pretending, and playing while learning. (1-hr webinar)	
11/19/2020	<u>G Suite for K-5 Students; 2.0 - VIRTUAL</u>	\$125
	Following great evaluations from Sarah's past workshops, she will continue with presenting all-new ways to use Google with K-5 students! After reviewing Drawings, Slides, and Sheets we'll move into a more in-depth exploration of Google Forms, Classroom, and Sites. Attendees will walk away with activities ready to use tomorrow and a knowledge of how to create engaging, student-centered content using Google. Classroom teachers, technology teachers, instructional coaches and more will find this workshop to be useful and worth their time. THIS WILL BE A VIRTUAL WORKSHOP	
12/3/2020	<u>Best Practices for Teaching Fractions, Decimals, and Percents to Students in Grades 2-6 - VIRTUAL</u>	\$125
	Best practices to help students learn and retain math concepts. This VIRTUAL workshop will increase your instructional practices toolbox for teaching math to students in grades 2-6.	

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All prices are for members of an Indiana ESC. The non-member pricing is twice the amount listed