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All students in Colorado will become educated and productive citizens capable of succeeding in a globally competitive workforce.

The CDE Literacy Project 2012-2013

Reading Like a Detective: Cracking Open the Secrets of Complex Text

The CDE Literacy Project is an outcome of the Odyssey Project, a long-time, joint outreach effort of the Colorado Department of Education and the Colorado Council for Learning Disabilities. The Colorado Odyssey Project has historically provided an exciting learning experience for teachers across the state. We hope that through The CDE Literacy Project, the excitement of learning will continue, with an additional goal – to support CDE’s strategic literacy plan. This project will therefore be a joint effort between the RtI/PBIS Office, Exceptional Student Services Unit and the Office of Literacy within the Colorado Department of Education.

We are pleased to announce the content of The CDE Literacy Project professional development this year will explore the foundations that are needed in order for students to read complex text successfully. The new Colorado Academic Standards, which includes the entirety of the Common Core State Standards, become more rigorous with evident expectations that students will be able to read, interpret and talk about complex text.

The Summary Conference will be with Dr. Amy Elleman who will share her research on the development of inference skills in addition to strategies that can help students read like detectives. The Summary Conference will be April 27th and the location will be announced soon.

One credit hour will be available from Adams State College for \$55, if you attend all 3 regional sessions and the Summary Conference. A certificate of attendance, for 9 hours, will be issued for attending all 3 regional sessions. If you also attend the Summary Conference you will receive a 15-hour certificate of attendance or sign up for college credit. There will be no charge for the Summary Conference, which includes all handouts and lunch!

There will be three sessions held at each local site:

Session 1: January

Session 2: February

Session 3: March

The dates and times may vary from site to site.

Your local facilitator will provide the specific dates and locations once they are finalized.

You MUST RSVP if you are planning on attending!!!

PLEASE NOTE: This year’s Summary Conference: Saturday, April 27th, 2013

Local Literacy Project Sites 2012-2013

Please RSVP to the Identified Site Facilitator!

Site Name	Contact-Facilitator	Phone	Email	Location/ Time /Dates
Literacy Project Coordinator	Debby Middel-Katzenmeyer	(H) 303-466-3244	debby.middelkatzenmeyer@gmail.com	
Alamosa	Pam Gjellum Jane Burk	(H) 719-588-5072 (H) 719-850-1646	pgjellum@gmail.com burk.jane@gmail.com	SLV BOCES Jan 14, Feb 11, Mar 4 (5-8:00)
Basalt	Liz Peyton Kaet Snyder	970-379-8589	elizpeyton@comcast.net mkesnyder@gmail.com	Basalt Elem. Jan 29, Feb 19, Mar 11 (3:30-6:30)
Glenwood Springs	Liz Peyton Kaet Snyder	970-379-8589	elizpeyton@comcast.net mkesnyder@gmail.com	Location (TBA) Jan 15, Feb 26, Mar 12 (3:30-6:30)
Grand Junction	Judith Barnstead	(H) 970-242-1506	jkb4reading@q.com	Emerson Conf. Rm. Jan 17, Feb 21, Mar 7 (5-8:00)
Montrose	Judith Barnstead	(H) 970-242-1506	jkb4reading@q.com	Johnson Elem. Jan 24, Feb 28, Mar 14 (4:30-7:30)
Durango	Jane Burk Christy Bloomquist (host)	(C) 719-850-1646 (W) 970-247-5411 x11420	burk.jane@gmail.com cbloomquist@durango.k12.co.us	District Office Board Room 201 E 12th St.: Jan 28, Mar 5 & Mar 18 (4:30-7:30)
East Grand	Deb Coultas	(C) 303-726-9597 (H) 970-887-3417	debcoultas@gmail.com	Board Room Dates TBA (4:30-7:30)
Aurora Schools	Maureen Lake	(W) 303-340-0510 (C) 303-514-3778	mclake@aps.k12.co.us	PLCC Jan 30, Feb 20, Mar 20 (4-7:00)
Adams 14 Commerce City	Jane Duggan	(C) 720-352-2077	jduggan@adams14.org	Ed. Support Serv. Board Rm. Jan 30, Feb 27, Mar 20 (4:45-7:45)
Cherry Creek	Claire Sabochik	(W) 720-554-4342	csabochik@cherrycreekschools.org	ESC District Bldg Jan 16, Feb 19, Mar 12 (4-7:00)
Denver Public Schools	Cathy Warden Julie Naski-Roman	(H) 303-238-3043 (C) 303-550-0230	Cathy_Warden@dpsk12.org Julie_Naskiroman@dpsk12.org	Smedley Elem. 4250 Shosone St. Rm. 170 Jan 28, Feb 21, Mar 21 (4:00-7:00)
Douglas County Schools	Tammy Turner	720-470-3834	tammy.turner@dcsdk12.org (Rock Canyon High School)	Highlands Ranch Jan 28, Feb 25, Mar 18 (4:30-7:30)
Jefferson County	Rise Meyers	303-216-6071	rlmeyer@jeffco.k12.co.us (Founders Room)	Warren Tech: Jan 14, Feb 21, Mar 14 (4-7:00)
Northglenn Thornton/Boulder	Bridget Matthews	(C) 303-960-0397	bridget.matthews55@gmail.com	Adams 12 - Ed. Support Bldg. Jan 15, Feb 12, Mar 12 (4:30-7:30)
Sheridan/Denver South	Sue Bloomquist	(C) 303-902-5385 (H) 303-985-1069	sbloomquist@ssd2.org	Ft. Logan Elem, Rm. 6: Jan 14, Feb 11, Mar 11 (4-7:00)
Fort Morgan	Tammy Yetter	970-867-7418 x41120 (H) 970-867-0806	tyetter7@gmail.com (Media Center: 815 West St.)	Columbine Elem. Jan 17, Feb 21, Mar 21 (4-7:00)
Co. Springs Academy 20	Julie Holiday	719-234-1324	Julie.holiday@asd20.org (Rm: Spruce II: 1110 Chapel Hills Dr.)	Ed & Ad Center Jan 10, Feb 7, Mar 10 (4:45-7:45)
Co. Springs: Pikes Peak Southern Region	Susan Sallee	(H) 719-599-8758	ssallee@ppboces.org	Pikes Peak BOCES Center Jan 17, Feb 27, Mar 7
Co. Springs: Pikes Peak Northern Region	Susan Sallee	(H) 719-599-8758 (C) 719-291-6378	ssallee@ppboces.org teachersallee@gmail.com	Academy Dist. 20 Ed & Ad Center Jan 24, Feb 21, Mar 12 (4:30-7:30)
Southcentral BOCES: Trinidad Southeast BOCES: Lamar	Lynn Brashar	(W) 719-738-1701 (H) 719-859-2105 (C) 719-859-3105	brashar-l@sc-boces.org	Trinidad: Ad Bldg Jan 23, Feb 20, Mar 20 (5-8:00) Lamar: SE BOCES office Feb 1, Feb 22, Mar 15 (12:00-3:00)