



Wayne-Finger Lakes Area Teacher Center 2024 Spring Workshops



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Workshop Title	Date(s)	Time	Facilitator(s) Location
<p>Finding & Correcting Errors in Math Computation Using Skills Trajectories: A 3-Day Series for all teachers and interventionists of Math Instruction. Participants will learn how to utilize a skills trajectory diagnostic tool to identify gaps in student computational understanding. Materials and methods to move students from confusion to success & ongoing dialogue and support will be provided. This will be Facilitated by the author of the A Skills Trajectory Approach Finding & Correcting Errors book series! **This workshop is also available onsite in your school free of charge! Contact the Teacher Center for more information on how to bring Dr. Walker to you!</p>	<p>Mondays March 18, 25 & April 22</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00pm</p>	<p>Dr. Elizabeth Walker Conference Center</p>
<p>Phonics & Syllable Types: A 2-Session Workshop Join in learning the scope, sequence, and rules for decoding and spelling, along with exploring syllable types and syllable division rules.</p>	<p>Mondays March 25 & April 15</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00pm</p>	<p>Donna Aceto Conference Center</p>
<p>ELLs & Special Education: A Working Collaboration for the Wayne-Finger Lakes Group This working collaborative is designed for educators of English Language Learners & administrators. Are you finding yourself grappling with special education decisions that impact your ELL students in both negative & positive ways? This task force will work together periodically throughout the school year to explore common questions that arise when navigating the special education journey.</p>	<p>Monday March 25 ---- Additional dates TBD</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00pm</p>	<p>Nicole Bell Conference Center</p>
<p>Teaching Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Using Books in Literature Circles & Interactive Reading in K-6 Join us in exploring touchstone texts that lead to rich conversations in your classroom and learn how to use literature to incorporate DEI themes into daily instruction...leave with ideas, books for your classroom libraries, along with lesson plans ready to implement!</p>	<p>Tuesday March 26</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00 pm</p>	<p>Meghan Guard & Laurel Warager Conference Center</p>
<p>Shake Up Shared Reading: Expanding on Read Alouds to Encourage Student Independence in Grades K-3 Learn how to use an easily adaptable lesson plan that features short, targeted bursts of shared reading that are connected to, and planned as a follow-up to a read-aloud experience. Participants will be given the teacher text along with some remarkable picture books for immediate implementation in the classroom. Participants will also be enrolled in the TRC Literacy Network for more exceptional learning opportunities & sharing sessions!</p>	<p>Tuesday April 9</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00 pm</p>	<p>Jennifer Mackey & Katie Sargent Conference Center</p>

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<p>Data Collection & Measurement: A 2-Session Workshop for K-12 Teachers, Therapists, & Aides <i>Research shows that effective use of data is directly correlated to having a high impact on student achievement. During this workshop, participants will learn how to collect & analyze student data in order to drive their instructional decisions. Data collection tools will be provided for classroom use.</i></p>	<p>Wednesdays April 10 and May 1</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00pm</p>	<p>Meghan Guard & Ashley Clark Conference Center</p>
<p>Explore the Literacy Workshop Approach for Grades K-5 <i>Many surprises are in store for you during this 2-day workshop which explores a practical process for creating an integrated literacy workshop using demonstration lessons that align with current next generation ELA standards.</i></p>	<p>Tuesdays April 16 & 23</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00 pm</p>	<p>Dr. Darlene Daley Conference Center</p>
<p>Mindfulness for Teacher & Students in Grades UPK-6 <i>With guided practice during the 2-day series, you will learn how to begin practicing personal mindfulness in order to reduce stress, incorporate self-care routines, and, in turn, be more present for students. In addition, participants will explore techniques & activities to weave mindfulness into the school day with students in grades UPK-6 with some differentiated mindfulness tools & activities for your classroom.</i></p>	<p>Tuesdays April 16 & 23</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00 pm</p>	<p>Lora Mahnke Conference Center</p>
<p>How to Plan Differentiated Reading Instruction in Grades K-3 <i>This 3-day interactive series is designed to engage participants with an evidence-based, detailed framework, along with lesson plan types informed by ongoing assessment to refine the design and delivery of differentiated reading instruction for their students. Phonological awareness, word recognition, fluency, vocabulary, & comprehension skills are addressed.</i></p>	<p>Thursdays April 18 & 25 and May 2</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00 pm</p>	<p>David Fronczak Conference Center</p>
<p>DREAMing Out Loud: Building Empathy and Understanding for the Immigrant Experience Through Literature <i>During this extended hybrid workshop, participants will explore the rich history of immigrants & migrants by exploring their writings, published in an anthology of four books featuring these writers' works, to help build understanding of their experiences. This workshop is a must for all teachers...as professional learning or as a window or mirror for all of the students we serve! Anthologies and materials will be provided.</i></p>	<p>Thursday April 18 for in-person session ----- Online work & sessions TBD by the group</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00pm</p>	<p>Nicole Bell Conference Center</p>
<p>Making High Frequency Tricky Words Stick : A 2-Day Workshop <i>Explore the missing pieces that can make reading tricky, irregular, high-frequency words become sight words!</i></p>	<p>Mondays April 22 & 29</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00 pm</p>	<p>Donna Aceto Conference Center</p>
<p>Interactive Writing for Early Childhood Learners PK-2 <i>Create a joyful writing community from the power of the shared pen while building essential foundational skills using high leverage routines that can be used with any program.</i></p>	<p>Wednesdays April 24 & May 1</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00pm</p>	<p>Marcy Tilson Conference Center</p>
<p>Using Planboard to Control the Crazy! <i>Join us in learning about this web-based system to write/house/track lesson plans, identify & track learning standards, and plug-in those lessons into your unique schedule (it's even adjustable & flexible to events such as snow days, fire drills, etc.) This system is a teacher's dream when it comes to being organized & flexible!</i></p>	<p>Thursday April 25</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00pm</p>	<p>Lara Larsson Conference Center</p>

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<p>New</p> <p>Promoting Early Math Development for PK-K <i>Come explore the Learning Trajectories for math development utilized in PreK work by Dr. Douglas Clements. Participants will learn how to identify stages of early math development, games, & activities to move students forward.</i> **This workshop is also available onsite in your school free of charge! Contact the Teacher Center for more information on how to bring Dr. Walker to you!</p>	<p>Monday April 29</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00pm</p>	<p>Dr. Elizabeth Walker Conference Center</p>
<p>New</p> <p>Building Character: A Collaborative Book Club for K-6 <i>Join us for the first session of this new opportunity to gather with fellow teachers to investigate children’s literature that will help you meet ELA standards, explore the Culturally Responsive Sustaining Education Framework, & develop a classroom culture that is welcoming & affirming! It is our hope to continue this endeavor into next year! Mentor texts and materials for your classroom libraries will be provided.</i></p>	<p>Tuesday April 30</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00pm</p>	<p>Meghan Guard & Laurel Warager Conference Center</p>
<p>Skills for Success: Executive Function for Grades K-12 <i>During this 2-day series, explore multiple & concrete classroom strategies to use with students who are exhibiting executive function challenges such as managing time, following multi-step directions, or completing assignments independently.</i></p>	<p>Thursdays May 2 & 16</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00 pm</p>	<p>Darcy Bernitt & Carrie Titlow Conference Center</p>
<p>New</p> <p>What’s Luck Got to Do with It? Fairness, Luck, & the Roll of the Die for Grades 3-6 <i>What is luck and does it have anything to do with math? Come and play games that help you define luck, hone your understanding of probability, and determine your tolerance for risk. Participants will leave with games they can play with their students to develop concepts around probability.</i> **This workshop is also available onsite in your school free of charge! Contact the Teacher Center for more information on how to bring Dr. Walker to you!</p>	<p>Monday May 6</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00pm</p>	<p>Dr. Elizabeth Walker Conference Center</p>
<p>Newly Updated</p> <p>Strengthen Writing in All Genres in Grades 2-6 Using Poems <i>During this 2-day series, explore poetry as the powerful genre that it is and leave with collaboratively-designed writing lessons based on mentor poems to develop the craft elements of writing for your students. Teacher text & books for your classroom libraries will also be provided.</i></p>	<p>Tuesdays May 7 & 14</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00pm</p>	<p>Dr. Darlene Daley Conference Center</p>
<p>Newly Updated</p> <p>What is the Function? Behavior Science & Trauma-Focused Strategies to Reach All Students <i>This 2-day deep dive into the four functions of behavior and how they present in the classroom and use of strategies to mitigate the behavior or meet the function and/or need. Participants will also explore student behavior through the lens of trauma & ACEs & learn trauma-informed strategies to use in helping to reach all students. Participants will receive tools and materials to create their own space for regulation in their settings.</i></p>	<p>Wednesdays May 8 & 15</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00pm</p>	<p>Meghan Guard & Ashley Clark Conference Center</p>
<p>New</p> <p>Puppets Read and Write: 10 Amazing ELA Extensions for Grades PK-4 Teachers & Librarians <i>Work, learn, and share with a veteran librarian & storyteller on how to use puppets to enhance ELA. The facilitator will share 10 specific activities, she has done every year, to enhance early literacy & engage challenging students. Discussions around SEL games that support book club discussions, the retellings that we use to support narratives, and the way puppets connect with voice in informational writing, along with many other fabulous ideas will make for a playful, energizing evening!</i></p>	<p>Thursday May 9</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00pm</p>	<p>Michele Linse Conference Center</p>

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<p><i>Visual Aids for the Classroom</i> <i>Create individualized learning manipulatives, games, signs, posters, & much more for your students and classroom environment using your ideas and our materials!</i></p> <p><i>In case you're wondering... the Materials Lab includes the following items for you to use when creating your projects:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Large-Format Color Poster Printer Bring your design saved as a pdf for easy printing. (Call if you need more info about this) *Laminating for Projects *24 Colors of Construction Paper *Card Stock & Poster Board *Color Printer/Copier for digital items *Colored File Folders *200+ Ellison Die Cuts *Variquest Electronic Cutter *A variety of sizes of index cards *Velcro dots *And much much more! <p><i>It's teacher heaven!!!</i></p>	<p>Register for <u>one</u> of the following dates!</p> <p>March 21 April 11 May 20 May 21 May 30 June 5 June 11 June 17 June 18 June 19</p> <p>Sign up early & bring your team members!</p>	<p>4:30 - 7:00 pm</p>	<p>Mary Beall TRC Workroom in the Arcadia Building, Teacher Center Workroom</p>

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