

Northeastern Arizona Educator's Workshop

No Registration Fee Lunch Included

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Friday, May 1, 2015 | 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM PST | Northland Pioneer College

2251 E. Navajo Blvd, Holbrook, AZ 86025



Topics to be covered:

- Learn Reading Strategies to Teach Struggling Readers
- Curriculum and Automated Prescriptions
- Teaching Mathematics with the Socratic Method
- Leveraging Learning Management Systems (LMS)

Register here: <http://goo.gl/3Acw7Q>

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The Agenda for May 1, 2015

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9:00am – 12:00pm: Learn Reading Strategies to Teach Struggling Readers

Learn a research-based approach that breaks the basics of the English language into a step-by-step process that shows ESL students and struggling readers exactly what they need to do in order to learn to read, write, and communicate. We will thoroughly review and practice effective reading strategies based on Orton-Gillingham principles to teach teachers and students how to build a foundation for successful reading.

[VIEW MORE INFORMATION HERE: http://goo.gl/0H4th6](http://goo.gl/0H4th6)

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1:00 – 1:30pm: Teaching Mathematics with the Socratic Method

Teaching mathematical literacy for the 21st Century can be difficult. This session will focus on meaningful problem solving and powerful practices for supporting productive struggle. When effective questioning techniques are used, the student transitions from a passive learner to an active learner. You will learn how to use effective questioning to promote critical thinking and self-directed learning.

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1:40 – 2:10pm: Curriculum and Automated Prescriptions

Learn about a variety of assessments and prescription capabilities using current data from other assessments, such as NWEA, in order to provide the right scaffolding content at the right time for your students. Supplement technology-based curriculum with classroom instruction reinforcing skill gaps while accelerating students forward. Constant progress monitoring is only helpful when the feedback is immediate, easy and there are next action steps available.

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2:10 – 2:40pm: Leveraging Learning Management Systems (LMS)

Blackboard LMS helps educators author, manage and share class related content and assessments along with school related information and activities that families care about. As the needs of educators continue to expand, you can extend your classroom websites and take advantage of the advanced functionality of a true Learning Management Solution (LMS). When your LMS offers Kindergarten through 12th Grade Curriculum with Open Educational Resources (OERs) such as Kahn Academy and YouTube EDU, educators are not limited in meeting the individual student needs.

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2:40 – 3:00pm: Interactive Technology and LED Displays

With the remarkable LED illuminated screen, touch displays help educators deliver great instruction and engage students in a more collaborative learning experience. Multiple students can work together on the large touchscreen display at the front of the room. And the high-definition interactive display can replace a separate interactive whiteboard, projector, and speakers – freeing up valuable classroom space. Experience how a high-definition experience allows students to enjoy the world outside the classroom.

