

PROFESSIONAL LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

**KINDERGARTEN TO GRADE 6
SUMMER PROGRAMS 2009**

The following is a list of courses and contact numbers for the **July and August 2009 Summer Programs**. These courses are offered only to educators working in public schools in Ontario.

Board and Contact Person	Courses	Dates	Location
Algoma District School Board Tel: 705.945.7292 Linda Kirby kirbyl@adsb.on.ca	Comprehensive Literacy	June 29 & 30	Education Centre 644 Albert Street East Sault Ste. Marie, ON P6A 2K7
	Supporting Robust Thinking	July 6 & 7	Same as above
	Differentiated Instruction	July 9 & 10	Same as above
	Differentiated Instruction	August 24 & 25	Blind River Public School 19 Hanes Street Blind River, ON P0R 1B0
Avon Maitland District School Board. Tel.: 519.527.0111 Laurie Long laurilong@fc.amdsb.ca	One Daily Language Block, So Many Possibilities – Junior Literacy	June 29 & 30/09	Education Centre, Seaforth, ON
	Making the Most of Your Language Block – Primary Literacy	June 29 & 30/09	Seaforth Public School, Seaforth, ON
	Let’s Talk About Reading – Primary Literacy	August 25 & 26/09	Education Centre, Seaforth, ON
	Grade 1 & 2 Mathematics	August 25 & 26/09	Education Centre, Seaforth, ON
	Grade 3 Mathematics	August 17 & 18/09	Education Centre, Seaforth, ON
	Grade 4 Mathematics	August 19 & 20/09	Education Centre, Seaforth, ON
		August 12 & 13/09	Education Centre, Seaforth,

Board and Contact Person	Courses	Dates	Location
<p>Bluewater District School Board Tel: 519.363.2014 ext. 266 Jacqui Traverse-Thomas Jacqui_traverse-thomas@bwdsb.on.ca</p> <p>Register at www.bwdsb.on.ca – Summer Institute. For more information contact Joan Farrow 519.363.2014 ext. 207</p>	Grade 5 & 6 Mathematics		ON
	<p>Planning for Effective Instruction for Beginners This session will include curriculum mapping, curriculum dissection, enduring understanding, big question and using Literacy as a basis for all instruction. This session is for teachers who have not yet had the opportunity to be involved in this process to any great degree. Ministry Resources will be highlighted for use in this planning. Participants will also have the opportunity to visit the BWDSB Media Lending Library to review and book resources to compliment their instructional plans. Participants are asked to please bring all the planning resources that they will need. No resource documents will be provided at the session.</p>	August 17 &18 9am-4pm	BWDSB Education Centre
	<p>Planning for Effective Instruction for Advanced This session will include curriculum mapping, curriculum dissection, enduring understanding, big question and using Literacy as a basis for all instruction. This session is for teachers who have had prior experience in this process and would like to develop their understanding. Ministry Resources will be highlighted for use in this planning. Participants will also have the opportunity to visit the BWDSB Media Lending Library to review and book resources to compliment their instructional plans. Participants are asked to please bring all the planning resources that they will need. No resource documents will be provided at the session.</p>	August 17 &18 9am-4pm	BWDSB Education Centre
	<p>Facilitated Planning This will be an opportunity for teacher teams to come together to continue their work on units of study currently in progress. The facilitators will not be presenting any new information but rather providing the differentiated support required by</p>	August 17 &18 9am-4pm	BWDSB Education Centre

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	<p>each of these planning teams. Participants will also have the opportunity to visit the BWDSB Media Lending Library to review and book resources to compliment their instructional plans. Participants are asked to please bring all the planning resources that they will need. No resource documents will be provided at the session.</p> <p>Designing Rich Assessment Tasks in Mathematics Participants will be learning about the design of rich assessment tasks in mathematics, choosing expectations and designing tasks and the assessment tools to accompany them. Participants are asked to bring the Ontario Mathematics Curriculum documents and any other planning documents.</p> <p>Teacher Moderation in Mathematics Participants will have the opportunity to moderate actual student booklets from the BWDSB Math Common Assessment – Grs. 2, 4 & 8. Participants are asked to bring the Ontario Mathematics Curriculum document.</p> <p>Teach Me to Differentiate (Differentiated Instruction) A practical two day course that will help educators differentiate their teaching practice for all students in their classroom. The course will highlight how educators can differentiate through culture, good curriculum instruction, on-going assessment, designing relevant and respectful activities and using flexible groupings.</p>	<p>August 17 &18 9am-4pm</p> <p>August 17 &18 9am-4pm</p> <p>August 17 &18 9am-4pm</p>	<p>BWDSB Education Centre</p> <p>BWDSB Education Centre</p> <p>Owen Sound Collegiate & Vocational Institute</p>
Catholic District SB of Eastern Ontario. Tel: 1.800.267.7136 Charlotte Rouleau, ext. 377	Sharing the Way, An Introduction to the Aboriginal World	August 26	Smiths Falls Board Office

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Charlotte.rouleau@cdsbeo.on.ca	Manipulating Math with Integers and Fractions Establishing a Restorative Classroom Community Lights! Camera! Action! Bringing the World of Media to your Students Making Math Meaningful... and Fun!	August 17 & 18 August 24 & 25 August 27 August 24 & 26 August 24 & 25 August 27 & 28	Cornwall Board Office Smiths Falls Board Office Kemptville Board Office Cornwall Board Office Smiths Falls Board Office Cornwall Board Office
District School Board of Niagara Tel.: 905.227.5551 Carol Germyn carol.germyn@dsbn.edu.on.ca Math Sue Wilson, ext. 2279 Sue.Wilson@dsbn.edu.on.ca Literacy Paula McIntee ext. 2274 Paula.mcintee@dsbn.edu.on.ca	Teaching and Learning Mathematics Through Problem Solving using High Yield Strategies, Kindergarten to Grade 2 Teaching and Learning Mathematics Through Problem Solving using High Yield Strategies, Grade 3 to Grade 6 Making Connections for Greater Understanding: Environment, Environment, Environment: Creating the Conditions for Effective Instruction Kindergarten to Grade 3 Making Connections for Greater Understanding: Environment, Environment, Environment: Creating the Conditions for Effective Instruction Grades 4-8	Monday, June 29 and Tuesday, June 30 Monday, June 29 and Tuesday, June 30 Monday, July 6 and Tuesday, July 7 Monday, July 6 and Tuesday, July 7	Don Reilly Resource Centre 13227 Lundy's Lane ALLANBURG, Ontario LOS 1A0
District S. Board of Ontario North East. Tel: 705.360.1151 Heather Rody, ext. 681 Heather.rody@dsb1.edu.on.ca	Junior/Intermediate Literacy Primary/Junior Numeracy	August 24, 25 2009 August 19, 20 2009	Roland Michener SS 155 Legion Drive South Porcupine, ON P0J 1H0

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Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board. 905.890.0708 Pat Borda, ext. 24430 pat.borda@dpcdsb.org Louisa Filipuzzi, ext. 24303 louisa.filipuzzi@dpcdsb.org	4 – 6 Reading	Aug. 18	Philip Pocock Secondary 4555 Tomken Rd., Mississauga, ON
	4 – 6 Reading	Aug. 19	Same
	K – 6 Differentiated Instruction Primary	Aug. 24	Same
	K – Differentiated Instruction Junior	Aug. 25	Same
	Combined Grades- Strategies to reach a range of learners K – 6	Aug. 25 & 26	Same
	K – 3 Number Sense and Numeration	Aug. 25 & 26	Same
	K – 3 Geometry and Spatial Sense	Aug. 18 & 19	Same
	K – 6 Number Sense and Numeration	Aug. 20 & 21	Same
	4 – 6 Addition & Subtraction, whole and Decimal numbers	Aug. 19	Same
	4 – 6 Multiplication & Division, Whole and Decimal numbers	Aug. 20	Same
4 – 6 Relationships between fractions, decimals, ratios, rates and percents	Aug. 21	Same	
Durham Catholic School Board Tel: 905.576.6707 Lisa Stewart, Lisa.stewart@dcdsb.ca After June 30 th : Mike Jacobs, ext. 2240 Michael.jacobs@dcdsb.ca	The First Twenty Days – Setting Up An Effective Mathematical Environment Audience – Primary and Junior Teachers	August 25 th & August 26 th 8:30-3:00	All Saints Catholic Secondary School 3001 Country Lane Whitby, ON ROOM 207
	Learn to Talk – Talk to Learn: Planning Oral Communication Instruction	August 25 th & August 26 th	All Saints Catholic Secondary School

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	<p>Audience – Grades 3-8 Teachers</p> <p>Jump Start Your Primary Literacy Block!! Audience: Primary Teachers</p> <p>Media Literacy Through the Lens of our Faith Audience: Junior & Intermediate Teachers</p>	<p>8:30-3:00</p> <p>August 25th & August 26th 8:30-3:00</p> <p>August 25th & August 26th 8:30-3:00</p>	<p>3001 Country Lane Whitby, ON ROOM 208</p> <p>All Saints Catholic Secondary School 3001 Country Lane Whitby, ON ROOM 209</p> <p>All Saints Catholic Secondary School 3001 Country Lane Whitby, ON ROOM 210</p>
<p>Durham District School Board Tel: 905.666.6314 or 1.800.265.3968 Dianne Kolumbus kolumbus_dianne@durham.edu.on.ca</p>	<p>4-6 Number Sense & Numeration</p> <p>K-6 Assessment</p> <p>K-6 Assessment</p> <p>4-6 Junior Literacy</p> <p>K-3 Primary Writing</p> <p>Teaching & Learning Through Problem Solving Junior</p> <p>K-3 Reading (Early Reading Strategies)</p> <p>Teaching & Learning Through Problem Solving Junior</p> <p>K-3 Primary Writing</p>	<p>Aug. 5 & 6</p> <p>Aug. 5 & 6</p> <p>Aug. 10 & 11</p> <p>Aug. 10 & 11</p> <p>Aug. 10 & 11</p> <p>Aug. 12 & 13</p> <p>Aug. 12 & 13</p> <p>Aug. 17 & 18</p> <p>Aug. 17 & 18</p>	<p>All courses are in the same venue: Durham District School Board 400 Taunton Road East Whitby, Ontario L1R 2K6</p>

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	K-3 Geometry and Spatial Sense	Aug. 17 & 18	
	K-3 Number Sense & Numeration (Early Math Strategies)	Aug. 19 & 20	
	K-6 Media Literacy	Aug. 19 & 20	
	4-6 Junior Writing	Aug. 19 & 20	
Grand Erie District School Board Tel.: 519.428.1880 William Valoppi william.valoppi@granderie.ca chris.lambert@granderie.ca	K-3 Reading (guided reading focus)	August 24 & 25	Teacher Resource Centre – Brantford
	K-6 Differentiated Instruction	August 20 & 21	Norfolk School Support Centre - Simcoe
	K-6 Understanding Data Informing Instruction (Literacy Focus)	August 26 & 27	Norfolk School Support Centre - Simcoe
	K-3 Measurement, Data management & Probability as well as Patterning & Algebra	August 18 & 19	Norfolk School Support Centre – Simcoe
	K-3 Measurement, Data management & Probability as well as Patterning & Algebra	August 20 & 21	Teacher Resource Centre – Brantford
	4-6 Addition / Subtraction, with Multiplication / Division Whole and Decimal Numbers – Facilitator Handbook & PPT	August 26 & 27	Teacher Resource Centre – Brantford
	4-6 Relationships between Fractions, Decimals, Ratios	August 18 & 19	Teacher Resource Centre – Brantford
Greater Essex County District School Board Tel.: 519.255.3235 Lisa Bott lisa_bott@gecdsb.on.ca	Learning Mathematics For teaching	July 29 & 30	GECDSB Board Office, Windsor, Ontario
	Balanced Literacy- Reading with the Resources	July 6 & 7	451 Park Street. W. Windsor, ON
	Effective Writing Instruction K-2	July 15 & 16	Same as above

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	Multiliteracies-Beyond Reading & Writing-Junior	July 13 & 14	Same as above
	Multiliteracies-Beyond Reading & Writing-Early Years and Primary	July 8 & 9	Same as above
	Effective Writing Instruction Grades 3-6	August 10 & 11	Same as above
	Teacher Moderation	Cancelled	GECDSB Board Office, Windsor, Ontario 451 Park Street. W. Windsor, ON
	Combined Grades	July 27 & 28	
Halton Catholic District School Board. Tel: 905.632.6300 Helen Murphy, ext. 123 murphyh@hcdsb.org	Grade 1-8 Differentiated Instruction: Literacy	Aug. 24-25	St. Luke Elementary School 2750 Kingsway Dr., Oakville
	Grade 1-8 Differentiated Instruction: Numeracy	Aug. 26-27	Same
	Kindergarten Developing Readers and Writers in Kindergarten	Aug. 25-26	Same
	Grade 4-8 Literacy Strategies to Engage the Core French Students	Aug. 25-26	Same
Halton District School Board Tel: 905.335.3663 Veronica Purcell, ext. 3374 purcellv@hdsb.ca	Primary Reading	June 29-30	All courses are being held in the same venue: Captain Wilson Public School 2145 Grand Oak Trail, Oakville, ON L6M 4S7
	Junior Reading and Media	June 29-30	
	4-6 Multiplication and Division	June 29-30	
	4-6 Teaching and Learning through Problem Solving	June 29-30	

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	K-3 Number Sense & Numeration	June 29-30	
	K-3 Geometry and Spatial Sense	June 29-30	
	K-6 Learning Mathematics for Teaching	June 29-30	
	Primary Writing	July 2-3	
	Junior – Oral Language and Writing	July 2-3	
	Intermediate Literacy	July 2-3	
	1-6 Making Mathematics Accessible for all students	July 2-3	
	4-6 Number Sense and Numeration	July 2-3	
	K-3 Measurements	July 2-3	
	4-6 Fractions, Decimals, Ratios, Rates and Percents	July 2-3	
Hamilton-Wentworth Catholic District School Board Tel.: 905.525.2930 Sandra Pizzuti pizzutis@hwcdsb.ca Morris Hucal hucalm@hwcdsb.ca	Getting Started in Kindergarten Literacy	August 24-25	All courses are being held in the same venue: Nicholas Mancini Centre 44 Hunt St. Hamilton, ON L8R 3R1
	Literacy: K to 3 Reading	Cancelled	
	Literacy: K to 3 Writing	Cancelled	
	Literacy: 4 to 6 Reading	August 24-25	
	Literacy: 4 to 6 Writing	August 26-27	
	K to 6 - Differentiated Instruction	Cancelled	
	K to 6 – Assessment	Cancelled	

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	<p>Teacher Moderation</p> <p>Supporting English Language Learners in Literacy</p> <p>Literacy in French Immersion</p> <p>Literacy in Core French</p> <p>K-3 Mathematics: Number Sense and Numeration</p> <p>K-3 Mathematics: Measurement</p> <p>4-6 Mathematics: Teaching Through Problem Solving</p> <p>4-6 Mathematics: Multiplication and Division of Whole Numbers and Decimal Numbers</p>	<p>August 24-25</p> <p>Cancelled</p> <p>August 24-25</p> <p>August 26-27</p> <p>August 24-25</p> <p>August 26-27</p> <p>August 24-25</p> <p>August 26-27</p>	
<p>Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board</p> <p>Tel.: 905.304.8722</p> <p>Sarah Goodman, ext. 273</p> <p>sarah.goodman@hwdsb.on.ca</p>	<p>Step “Write Up”: Practical Strategies for Teaching Beginning Writers</p> <p>Busy Brain: Teaching Students to Think While They Read K-3</p> <p>Reading for Meaning Strategies with Media Literacy 4-6</p> <p>Comprehending in Action: Connecting Reading and Writing with Higher Order Thinking</p>	<p>June 29-30</p> <p>July 2-3</p> <p>July 6-7</p> <p>July 8-9</p>	<p>All courses are being held in the same venue:</p> <p>Maple Lane Learning Centre</p> <p>20 Miller Drive</p> <p>Ancaster, ON</p>

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	K-6: Teaching Reading in the French Immersion Classroom Making Math Meaningful with Manipulatives and Tools in Primary Making Math Meaningful with Manipulatives and Tools in Junior Digging Deeper into Problem Solving and Communication in Primary Digging Deeper into Problem Solving and Communication in Junior	July 2-3 July 9-10 July 2-3 July 6-7 June 29-30	
Hastings and Prince Edward District School Board. Tel: 613.966.1170 Maureen Baraniecki, ext. 2130 Mbaraniecki@hpedsb.on.ca	Connecting Reading and Writing for Higher Order Thinking Through Inquiry (K-8) Planning for Teaching and Learning Through Problem Solving (K-8)	July 6 and 7	156 Ann Street Belleville Ontario, Education Centre
Huron-Perth Catholic District School Board Tel.: 519.345.2440 Dawne Boersen, ext.304 dawne_boersen@hpcdsb.edu.on.ca	Moodle Your Pathway Fun & Effective Methods to Teach Oral Language and Handwriting to Young Children Using SMART Technology in Three-Part Math Lessons	August 17 & 18 August 17 & 18 August 19 & 20	HPCDSB Board Office, Dublin, ON
Limestone District School Board Tel: 613.544.6925 Pat Warren-Chaplin, ext. 201 warrenp@limestone.on.ca Joanne Pratt, ext. 218	Assessment, Planning and Instruction with a Focus on Formative and Summative Assessments through the Lens of Backward Design and Higher Order Thinking, K-6	August 18,19	LDSB Education Center 220 Portsmouth Ave., Kingston, ON

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	Making Math Accessible to All Students, Grades 1-6	August 18,19	LDSB Education Center 220 Portsmouth Ave., Kingston, ON
<p>London District Catholic School Board Tel.: 519.663.2088 Sharon Gillies, ext. 42104 s.gillies@ldcsb.on.ca Eleanor Hunt, ext. 40006 *cc during summer e.hunt@ldcsb.on.ca</p>			
<p>Near North District School Board Tel: 705.472.7015 Diana Hirsh, ext. 5062 hirshd@nearnorthschools.ca</p>	<p>Non-Fiction Writing</p> <p>Boys and Literacy</p> <p>Teaching and Learning Through Problem Solving</p>	<p>August 18, 19</p> <p>August 20, 21</p> <p>August 20, 21</p> <p>August 18, 19</p> <p>August 18, 19</p> <p>August 20, 21</p>	<p>Widdifield Secondary School Library</p> <p>Parry Sound High School Library</p> <p>Widdifield Secondary School Library</p> <p>Parry Sound High School Library</p> <p>NNDSB Board Room</p> <p>Parry Sound Board Room</p>
<p>Niagara Catholic District School Board. Tel: 905.735.0240 Khayyam Syne, ext.163 khayyam.syne@ncdsb.com</p>	<p>K-3 Writing</p> <p>Int. Mathematical Literacy</p> <p>K-3 Reading</p> <p>K-3 Geometry and Spatial Sense</p>	<p>July 7, 8</p> <p>July 7, 8</p> <p>August 18, 19</p> <p>Cancelled</p>	<p>St. Michael Cath HS – Niagara Falls</p> <p>Msgr. Clancy Cath ES - Thorold</p> <p>Blessed Trinity Cath. HS - Grimsby</p> <p>Mother Teresa Cath. ES – St. Catharines</p>

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	Gr. 4-6 Number Sense and Numeration	August 18, 19	Msgr. Clancy Cath ES - Thorold
	Gr. 7 – 10 Science Literacy	August 19, 20	Blessed Trinity Cath. HS - Grimsby
	K-6 Teaching and Learning Mathematics through Problem Solving	August 18, 19	Alexander Kuska Cath. ES – Welland
	Gr. 4-6 Reading	August 27, 28	Msgr. Clancy Cath ES - Thorold
	Gr. 7 – 10 Co-Curricular Literacy	August 25, 26	St. Michael Cath HS – Niagara Falls
Nipissing-Parry Sound Catholic DSB Tel: 705.472.1201 Joanne Benard, ext. 242 benardj@npsc.edu.on.ca			
Northern School Resource Alliance Dorothy Nicholls, d_nicholls@shaw.ca			
Ottawa Carleton District School Board. Tel: 613.596.8211 Kathleen Paterson, ext. 8546 kathleen.paterson@ocdsb.ca	La litteratie au jardin et en premiere annee: Developper le gout de lire et d'ecrire chez vos eleves	August 18- 19	Confederation Education Cent. 1645 Woodroffe Avenue Ottawa, ON
	Playing to Learn in Kindergarten	August 18- 19	Confederation Education Cent.
	The Planning and Assessment Cycle	August 18- 19	Confederation Education Cent.
	Differentiated Instruction for ELLs	August 18- 19	Confederation Education Cent.
	Number Sense and Numeration Through Problem Solving	August 18-19	Confederation Education Cent.
	La litteratie en deuxieme et troisieme annee : Le developpement de la	August 20-21	Confederation Education Cent.

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	pensee critique a travers la lecture et l'écriture		
	Focus on Literacy : Writing	August 20-21	Confederation Education Cent.
	L'enseignement de l'écriture	August 20- 21	Confederation Education Cent.
	Principal's Session	August 20- 21	Confederation Education Cent. 1645 Woodroffe Avenue Ottawa, ON
	Planning for Integration Across the Curriculum	August 20-21	Confederation Education Cent.
	Teaching and Learning Through Problem Solving	August 21& August 24	Confederation Education Cent.
	Literacy Roadmap for the Young Learner (K-1)	August 24-25	Confederation Education Cent.
	Comprehending in Action : Taking a Critical Stance	August 24-25	Confederation Education Cent.
	Differentiated Literacy Instruction for Boys	August 24-25	Confederation Education Cent.
	Les habiletés supérieures de la pensée au se la lecture et l'écriture	August 24-25	Confederation Education Cent.
	Going Beyond AIM - Balanced Literacy in the Core French Classroom"	August 24-25	Confederation Education Cent.
Ottawa Catholic School Board. Tel: 613.224-4455 Brenda Wilson, ext. 2372	K to 6 Assessment: Long Range Planning - Creating a Learning Environment for Higher Order	August 17 & August 18	Ottawa-Carleton Catholic School Board 570 Hunt Club W.

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brenda.wilson@ottawacatholicschools.ca	Thinking All Year Long		Ottawa, Ontario
Peel District School Board Tel: 905.890.1010 Marta Mulhern, ext. 2532 marta.mulhern@peelsb.com	Teaching and Learning Through Problem Solving	July 9-10	Meadowvale SS 6700 Edenwood Drive Mississauga, ON
	K to 3 Number Sense and Numeration	July 9-10	
	K to 3 Measurement	July 9-10	
	K to 3 Geometry and Spatial Sense	July 9-10	
	4 to 6 Number Sense and Numeration	July 9-10	
	4 to 6 Measurement	July 9-10	
	4 to 6 Geometry and Spatial Sense	July 9-10	
	Teaching and Learning Through Problem Solving	July 13-14	
	K to 3 Number Sense and Numeration	July 13-14	Meadowvale SS 6700 Edenwood Drive Mississauga, ON
	K to 3 Measurement	July 13-14	
	K to 3 Patterning and Algebra	July 13-14	
	4 to 6 Number Sense and Numeration	July 13-14	
	4 to 6 Measurement	July 13-14	
	4 to 6 patterning and Algebra	July 13-14	Meadowvale SS 6700 Edenwood Drive Mississauga, ON
	Focus on Reading K to 3	July 2-3	

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	Focus on Writing K-3	July 2-3	Meadowvale SS 6700 Edenwood Drive Mississauga, ON
	Focus on Literacy 4 – 6	July 2-3	
	Assessment: Focus on Moderation	July 2-3	
	Differentiated Instruction	July 2-3	
	Shared Reading 4 – 6	July 2-3	
	Combined Grades K – 6	July 2-3	
	Focus on Reading K – 3	July 6-7	
	Focus on Writing K – 3	July 6-7	
	Focus on Literacy 4 – 6	July 6-7	
	Comprehending in Action: Inferring 4 – 6	July 6-7	
	Assessment: K – 6	July 6-7	
	Comprehending in Action: Connecting Reading to Higher Order Thinking 4-6	July 6-7	
Peterborough Victoria Northumberland and Clarington DSB Tel: 705.748.4861 Joan Ruf ext. 171 jruf@pvnccdsb.on.ca	K – 3 Writing	August 18 & 19	
Rainbow District School Board Tel: 705.523.3308 Sheridawn Maloney, ext. 212 malones@rainbowschools.ca	Building Reading and Writing Strategies in the Primary Classroom Making Math Meaningful in the	August 17 and 19 August 20-21	Howard Johnson Plaza Hotel 50 Brady Street, Sudbury Howard Johnson Plaza Hotel

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	Primary/Junior Classroom High Yield Strategies for the FSL Classroom Differentiated Instruction: Grades 7-10	August 26-27 August 26-27	50 Brady Street, Sudbury Howard Johnson Plaza Hotel 50 Brady Street, Sudbury Gord Ewin Centre LoEllen SS 275 Loach's Road Sudbury
Rainy River District School Board Tel: 807.274.9857 Jill Perry, ext. 235 jperry@mail.rrdsb.com	Focus Writing and Assessment K-6	August 19 & 20	TBA
Renfrew County Catholic District SB Tel: 613.735.5211 Lynn Denault ldenault@rccdsb.edu.on.ca	K-8 Writing K-8 Making Math Accessible for all Students	August 17-18 August 19-20	Margueritie Centre, 700 MacKay St. Pembroke, Ont. Mary Street Education Centre Pembroke, Ont.
Renfrew County District School Board Tel: 613.735.0151 Cathy Kyle (K-3) kylec@fc.renfrew.edu.on.ca Michelle Belsher (4-6) belsherm@fc.renfrew.edu.on.ca	K-8 Writing K-8 Making Math Accessible for all Students	August 17-18 August 19-20	Margueritie Centre, 700 MacKay St. Pembroke, Ont. Mary Street Education Centre Pembroke, Ont.
Simcoe County District School Board Tel: 705.734.6363 Anita Townsend Atownsend@scdsb.on.ca Pauline Cook pcook@scdsb.on.ca	Writing Grades K to 2 Writing Grades K to 2 Writing Grades K to 2 Writing Grades 3 to 8 Writing Grades 3 to 8 Writing Grades 3 to 8 DI Grades K to 6 DI Grades K to 6 DI Grades K to 6 Primary Measurement/Patterning and	August 24-25 August 24-25 August 24-25 August 25-26 August 25-26 August 25-26 August 26-27 August 26-27 August 26-27 August 24-25	Coldwater PS -Coldwater West Bayfield ES – Barrie Alcona Glen ES – Innisfil Coldwater PS -Coldwater West Bayfield ES – Barrie Alcona Glen ES – Innisfil Coldwater PS -Coldwater West Bayfield ES – Barrie Alcona Glen ES – Innisfil Coldwater PS –Coldwater

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	Algebra/Data Management and Probability Primary Measurement/Patterning and Algebra/Data Management and Probability Primary Measurement/Patterning and Algebra/Data Management and Probability Junior Number Sense/Teaching Through Problem Solving Junior Number Sense/Teaching Through Problem Solving Junior Number Sense/Teaching Through Problem Solving Primary Number Sense/Geometry Primary Number Sense/Geometry Primary Number Sense/Geometry Junior Look at the First Term Strands : Patterning, Number, Data Management Junior Look at the First Term Strands : Patterning, Number, Data Management Junior Look at the First Term Strands : Patterning, Number, Data Management	August 24-25 August 24-25 August 25-26 August 25-26 August 25-26 August 26-27 August 26-27 August 26-27 August 27-28 August 27-28 August 27-28	West Bayfield ES – Barrie Alcona Glen ES – Innisfil Coldwater PS –Coldwater West Bayfield ES – Barrie Alcona Glen ES – Innisfil Coldwater PS –Coldwater West Bayfield ES – Barrie Alcona Glen ES - Innisfil
Simcoe Muskoka Catholic District School Board. Tel: 705.722.3555 Eleanor McCue, ext. 299 emccue@smcdsb.on.ca Karen Pond, ext. 282 kpond@smcdsb.on.ca	Primary Number Sense and Patterning/ Algebra through Problem Solving A problem-centered approach to teaching mathematics uses interesting and well-selected problems to launch mathematical lessons and engage students. In this way, new ideas, techniques, and mathematical relationships emerge and become the focus of discussion. During this two-day session teachers will have the opportunity to blend the theory of learning through	Aug 12/13 9:00 am – 3:00 pm	80 Bell Farm Road, Barrie

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	<p>problem-solving with practical classroom applications in number sense and patterning/algebra. Teachers will take away examples of problem-solving activities that will engage and challenge students.</p> <p>Patterning/Algebra and Measurement in Kindergarten Interactive workshop on a variety of strategies to teach patterning and measurement throughout the day. Focus will be on centers, circle time and specific lessons. Using Smartboard, children's literature and learning carpet as well as using a variety of manipulatives to teach and learn math concepts. There will be time for lesson planning and sharing, make & take activities that can be used in the first weeks of school.</p> <p>4 to 8 Reading : Using Drama to support attitudes toward reading. Student's attitudes toward reading can directly impact their progress throughout school. Learn how you can affect their attitudes. Topics include: reading strategies, action research model, reading attitudes, variety of engaging drama exercises aimed at improving reading comprehension that leads to improved attitudes. Practical session with ideas to use in September. Welcome all.</p> <p>1-8 Learning Mathematics for Teaching</p>	<p>Aug 12/13 9:00 am – 3:00 pm</p> <p>Aug 12/13 9:00 am – 3:00 pm</p> <p>Aug 17/18</p>	<p>80 Bell Farm Road, Barrie</p> <p>46 Alliance Blvd, Barrie</p> <p>80 Bell Farm Road, Barrie</p>

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	<p>Math The purpose of this Mathematics workshop is to help teachers become more comfortable with Math content, which will help to deliver the curriculum in a child-centred environment. The work of Debra Ball will be a focus of the session. Come and share your ideas and gather those of others. Create practical tools from all five strands that you can take back and use in your classroom! Acquire user-friendly tasks that are perfect for all teachers, including those of combined grades and those who are integrating differentiated instruction in the classroom.</p> <p>4 to 8 Writing and Oral Language and the Revised Science Curriculum Writing and talking in Science & Technology...why of course! Get down and dirty with the experiments and investigations then communicate the observations and findings in a clear organized manner. The revised Science and Technology curriculum is filled with inspiring ideas; we will dive into these to create lessons and units that directly relate to the language (oral and writing) curriculum. Teachers of students in grades four through eight will leave this workshop with practical ideas and concrete material that will engage their students not only in Science & Technology, but also in oral communication and writing...how's that</p>	<p>9:00 am-3:00 pm</p> <p>Aug 17/18 9:00 am – 3:00 pm</p>	<p>80 Bell Farm Road, Barrie</p>

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	<p>for multi-tasking?!</p> <p>Meaningful Classroom Assessment: How to Make it real and really work! This engaging and activity-filled workshop on assessment will combine latest research and make it relevant and practical for classroom teachers. Focus will be on practical ways of how teachers can effectively assess students to inform their teaching practice through assessment for, as and of learning. Dialogue and discussion with plenty of take-home practical ideas and ready-to-use assessment strategies.</p> <p>4 to 8 Teaching and Learning Mathematics Through Problem Solving A problem-centered approach to teaching mathematics uses interesting and well-selected problems to launch mathematical lessons and engage students. In this way, new ideas, techniques, and mathematical relationships emerge and become the focus of discussion. During this two-day session teachers will have the opportunity to blend the theory of learning through problem-solving with practical classroom applications. Teachers will take away examples of problem-solving activities that will engage and challenge students.</p> <p>Differentiating Instruction: How and Why? Our classrooms are extremely diverse.</p>	<p>Aug 17/18 9:00 am – 3:00 pm</p> <p>Aug 17/18 9:00 am – 3:00 pm</p> <p>Aug 19/20 9:00 am – 3:00 pm</p>	<p>80 Bell Farm Road</p> <p>80 Bell Farm Road, Barrie</p> <p>46 Alliance Blvd., Barrie</p>

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	<p>Children come to us with varying backgrounds, abilities, and needs. Differentiated instruction provides a means for teachers to meet their diversity. This two-day session will provide participants with a brief explanation of what DI is and why it is important. Participants will learn some very practical ideas and strategies to incorporate into their daily teaching practice.</p>		
<p>St. Clair Catholic District School Board Tel.: 519.627.6762 Lucy Pranovi lucy.pranovi@st-clair.net Frank Leddy frank.leddy@st-clair.net</p>	<p>Digital Classroom Project: 4-6 Media (Digital Cameras, Photostory/Moviemaker, Audacity, Comic Life, Online Books/Audio Books)</p> <p>Cross- Curricular Planning Gr. 1 – 8 Using Mentor Texts</p>	<p>Aug 12 &13</p> <p>Aug. 18 & 19</p>	<p>CEC, Wallaceburg</p> <p>Sarnia Location: TBD Chatham Location: TBD</p>
<p>Sudbury Catholic District School Board Tel: 705.673.5620 Theresa Spencer, ext. 210 spencert@scdsb.edu.on.ca</p>	<p>Connecting Reading & Writing for Higher Order Thinking</p> <p>Comprehending In Action: Inferring & Evaluation Texts</p> <p>Teaching & Learning Through Problem Solving</p> <p>Strategies To Reach A Range of Learners</p> <p>Enhancing Learning For Aboriginal Students</p>	<p>August 17 &18</p> <p>Cancelled</p> <p>Cancelled</p> <p>August 19 & 20</p> <p>Cancelled</p>	<p>All sessions will be held at Catholic Education Centre 165 D’Youville Street Sudbury</p>
<p>Thames Valley District School Board. Tel.: 519.452.2000 Lynda Pressey l.pressey@tvdsb.on.ca</p>	<p>Primary Reading - Aspects of a Balanced Reading Program</p> <p>Primary Writing – Aspects of a Balanced</p>	<p>August 24-25</p> <p>August 26-27</p>	<p>Education Centre – Thames Valley District School Board – London</p>

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Wendy Allen w.allen@tvdsb.on.ca	Writing Program Junior Reading – Aspects of a Balanced Reading Program Junior Writing - Aspects of a Balanced Writing Program The Big Ideas – Planning for Kindergarten in the 21 Century Combined Grades Literacy Strategies to Reach a Range of Learners in Grade 1 to Grade 6 1-6 PRIME Training with Number & Operations 1-6 Teaching & Learning Through Problem Solving 4-6 Number Sense & Numeration – Relationships Between Fractions, Decimals, Ratio K-3 Number Sense & Numeration and Patterning & Algebra	 August 24-25 August 26-27 August 26-27 August 24-25 August 19-20 August 19-20 August 17-18 August 17-18	 Education Centre – Thames Valley District School Board - London Education Centre – Thames Valley District School Board - London Same as above Education Centre – Thames Valley District School Board - London Same as above
Trillium Lakelands District School Board Tel: 705.324.6776 Mary Handley, ext. 22152 Mary.Handley@tlds.on.ca	Making Math Accessible to All Students Writing K-6 En Français	Mon June 6 Tues June 7 Thurs July 9 Fri July 10	Archie Stouffer Conference Centre, Minden ON Archie Stouffer Conference Centre, Minden ON

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<p>Toronto Catholic District School Board Tel. 416.222.8282 Teresa Paoli; ext. 2527 teresa.paoli@tcdsb.org</p> <p>Gina Iuliano Marrello; ext. 2533 gina.iulianomarrello@tcdsb.org</p>	<p>Oral Language Junior Division</p> <p>Writing – Primary</p> <p>Reading – Primary</p> <p>Comprehending in Action; Inferring 4-6</p> <p>Media Literacy 4-6</p>	<p>June 29 – 30</p> <p>June 29 – 30</p> <p>June 29 – 30</p> <p>June 29 – 30</p> <p>June 29 – 30</p>	<p>Catholic Education Centre 80 Sheppard Ave. E. Toronto, ON M2N 6E8</p>
<p>Toronto District School Board. Jane Reid – 416-396-6334 jane.reid@tdsb.on.ca</p> <p>Administrative contacts: Camille Williams-Taylor (Literacy) 416-396-7992 camille.williams-taylor@tdsb.on.ca</p> <p>Sandy Spyropoulos (Numeracy) 416- 396-2174 Sandy.spyropoulos@tdsb.on.ca</p>	<p>Teaching & Learning Through Problem Solving (4-6)</p> <p>7 – 8 Mathematics: Investigate How the 3-part Lesson with Rich and Meaningful Contexts Empowers Students in Their Learning</p> <p>Writing (4 – 6)</p> <p>Media Literacy (4 – 8)</p> <p>Reading (K – 3)</p> <p>Relationship between Fractions, Decimals, Ratios, Rates and Percents</p> <p>Teacher Moderation</p> <p>Comprehending in Action (Inferring) (4 – 6)</p> <p>Comprehending in Action (Connecting Reading and Writing for Higher Order</p>	<p>July 2 – 3</p> <p>July 2 – 3</p> <p>July 2 – 3</p> <p>July 2 – 3</p> <p>July 2 – 3</p> <p>July 6 – 7</p> <p>July 6 – 7</p> <p>July 6 – 7</p> <p>July 6 – 7</p>	<p>Midland CI 720 Midland Avenue</p> <p>Bathurst Heights 640 Lawrence Avenue West</p> <p>Bathurst Heights 640 Lawrence Avenue West</p> <p>Same as above</p> <p>Midland CI, 720 Midland Ave.</p> <p>Bathurst Heights 640 Lawrence Avenue West</p> <p>Bathurst Heights 640 Lawrence Avenue West Midland CI 720 Midland Avenue</p> <p>Bathurst Heights 640 Lawrence Avenue West</p>

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	Thinking 4 – 6) Making Math Accessible for all Learners (1 – 6) Comprehending in Action (Connecting Reading and Writing for Higher Order Thinking 4 – 6). Oral Language (4 – 6) Reading (4 – 6) Patterning & Algebra and Measurement (Gr. 4-6) Patterning & Algebra and Measurement (Gr. K-3)	July 8 – 9 July 8 – 9 July 8 – 9 July 8 – 9 July 2-3 July 6-7	Midland CI 720 Midland Avenue Midland CI 720 Midland Avenue Bathurst Heights 640 Lawrence Avenue West Midland CI 720 Midland Avenue Midland CI 720 Midland Avenue Bathurst Heights 640 Lawrence Avenue West
Upper Canada District School Board. Tel: 613.342.0371 or 1.800.267.7131 Donna McMillan, ext. 1238 donna.mcmillan@ucdsb.on.ca	Literacy: K-6 Assessment – Using assessment to inform instruction Literacy: K-6 Reading – Guided Reading and Small Group Instruction K-6 Number Sense and Numeration – Using Manipulatives and Games to Improve Achievement in Mathematics K-6 Reading/Writing (French Immersion) Getting Connected – Setting up for success	August 13, 14 August 17-18 August 17-18 August 25-26	South Branch School, Kemptville South Branch School, Kemptville South Branch School, Kemptville Kemptville College – Purvis Hall
Upper Grand District School Board. Tel: 519.941.6191 Nick Leroux, ext. nick.leroux@ugdsb.on.ca	K – 3 Literacy 4 – 6 Literacy 7 – 8 Literacy K – 3 Mathematics	Jun. 29-30 June 29/30 June 29-30 Jul 2-3	40 Amelia St., Orangeville, 40 Amelia St., Orangeville, 40 Amelia St., Orangeville, 40 Amelia St., Orangeville,

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	4 – 6 Mathematics	July 2-3	40 Amelia St., Orangeville,
	7 – 8 Mathematics	July 2-3	40 Amelia St., Orangeville,
	K – 3 Literacy	July 2-3	John Black Public School
	4 – 6 Literacy	July 2-3	150 Lamond St. Fergus, ON
	7 – 8 Literacy	July 2-3	John Black Public School
	K – 8 Literacy for French Immersion	July 2-3	150 Lamond St. Fergus, ON
	K – 3 Mathematics	July 6-7	John Black Public School
	4 – 6 Mathematics	July 6-7	150 Lamond St. Fergus, ON
	7 – 8 Mathematics	July 6-7	John Black Public School
	K – 3 Media Literacy	July 8-9	150 Lamond St. Fergus, ON
	4 – 6 Media Literacy	July 8-9	John Black Public School
	7 – 8 Media Literacy	July 8-9	150 Lamond St. Fergus, ON
	K – 3 Literacy & Numeracy in the New Science and Arts Curriculum	July 9-10	John Black Public School
	4 – 8 Literacy and Numeracy in the Science and Arts Curriculum	July 9-10	150 Lamond St. Fergus, ON
Waterloo Catholic District School Board. Tel: 519.578.3660 Rodney Eckert, ext. 2336 rodney.eckert@wcdsb.ca	JR. Teachers - Comprehending in Action: Synthesizing Pr./Jr. Teachers -The Power of Non-fiction Reading and Writing	Aug. 24 & Aug. 25 Aug. 24 & Aug. 25	Literacy Room – 154 Gatewood Rd., Kitchener, N2M 4E4

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	JR. Teachers - Critical Literacy in Today's Classroom for Tomorrow's World	Aug. 26 & Aug. 27	
Waterloo Region District School Board. Tel.: 519.570.0003 Joanne Rowlandson, ext. 4291 joanne_rowlandson@wrdsb.on.ca	Comprehending in Action: Literacy Strategies for Junior Teachers	August 18 & 19 9:00. - 3:30	Cambridge Room, WRDSB, Education Centre, 51 Ardelt Avenue, Kitchener
Wellington Catholic District School Board. Tel: 519.821.4640 Erin Fish, ext. 244 erin_fish@wellingtoncssb.edu.on.ca Cathy Chaput, ext. 244 cathy_chaput@wellingtoncssb.edu.on.ca	K – 3 Strategies for Reading Non-Fiction K – 3 Teaching Mathematics through Problem Solving, How and Why? 4 – 8 Critical Literacy 4 - 8 Making Math Accessible to Every Student 7 – 10 Differentiated Instruction	July 6-9 July 8-9 July 6-7 July 8-9 July 19-20	St. Michael School 9 McElderry Road Guelph, ON Same as above Same as above Same as above
Windsor Essex Catholic School Board Tel.: 519.253.2481 Emelda Byrne emelda_byrne@wecdsb.on.ca			
York Catholic District School Board. Tel: 416.221.5051 Mary Anne DiSebastiano, MaryAnne.DiSebastiano@ycdsb.ca	Literacy and Numeracy Learning Opportunities (JK & SK) Practical and Interactive Activities in the Primary Classroom – Grade 1 Practical and Interactive Activities in the Primary Classroom – Grade 2 & 3 Best Practice in Literacy and Numeracy – Grades 4,5, 6	Aug. 26 & 27 Aug. 26 & 27 Aug. 26 & 27 Aug. 26 & 27	St. Joseph the Worker 475 Brownridge Dr, Thornhill, Ont. L4J 5Y6 Holy Spirit 315 Stone Rd, Aurora, Ont. L4G 6Y7 Same Venue Immaculate Conception 500 Aberdeen Ave. Woodbridge, Ont. L4L 5J4

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	The Critical Literacy Classroom Grades 7 & 8	Aug. 26 & 27	Catholic Education Centre 300 Bloomington Rd. W. Aurora, Ont. L4G 3G8
	Enhancing Literacy Learning with Aim/Gestures (Beginner – Elementary FSL)	Aug. 26 & 27	St. Nicholas 480 Keith Ave. Newmarket, ONt. L3X 1V5
	Enhancing Literacy Learning with Aim/Gestures (Refresher – Elementary FSL)	Aug. 26 & 27	St. Nicholas 480 Keith Ave. Newmarket, ONt. L3X 1V5
<p>York Region District School Board Tel: 905.727.0022 Barbara Heffler; ext. 3449 barbara.heffler@yrdsb.edu.on.ca</p>	Great Beginnings Conference Grade 1	Aug. 4, 5, 6, 7 (1/2 days)	Stephen Lewis SS 555 Autumn Hill Blvd. Thornhill, Ont. L4J 8X2
	Great Beginnings Conference Grade 1/2	Same	
	Great Beginnings Conference Grade 2	Same	Same
	Great Beginnings Conference Grade 2/3	Same	Same
	Great Beginnings Conference Grade 3	Same	Same
	Great Beginnings Conference Grade 3/4	Same	Same
	Great Beginnings Conference Grade 4	Same	Same
	Great Beginnings Conference Grade 4/5	Same	Same
	Great Beginnings Conference Grade 5	Same	Same
	Great Beginnings Conference Grade 5/6	Same	Same
	Great Beginnings Conference Grade 6	Same	Same
	Great Beginnings Conference Grade 6/7	Same	Same

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	Great Beginnings Conference Grade 7	Same	Same
	Great Beginnings Conference Grade 7/8	Same	Same
	Great Beginnings Conference Grade 8	Same	Same
	Primary Math	Same	Same
	Junior Math	Same	Same