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Featured Infinitec Stops This Week

Online Classroom New Functionality Notice

On June 9th we updated the Infinitec Online Classroom with new functionality.

This includes the availability of Closed Captions for videos. In addition videos may now be played on mobile devices. Quizzes and presentations still are limited to desktops and non-apple mobile devices. Many districts report success using the Puffin (web browser) app for mobile devices. Please be sure to view the welcome video in the Online Classroom for more information about using the new Online Classroom features.

We are still cleaning up a few small issues and hope to have them resolved quickly. If you encounter any issues, please contact our help desk 1-800-361-0270.

Access to Curriculum

Presented by Dave Edyburn, Ph.D. Running Time: 41:26 minutes; Learning Credits: 1.0

This video presentation examines the roles, responsibilities and four strategies for making the general education curriculum accessible for students with disabilities in ways that enhance educational achievement. Some of the websites recommended are older. Consider YouTube for videos of co-teaching. When Searching for Alternative Materials, Google would be your go-to resource, but consider other search engines like [KidsClick](#), [Finding Dulcinea](#), or [SweetSearch](#).

Dave refers to tiered learning and demonstrates websites. Consider also, Newsela. He mentions Babelfish which appears to no longer be active. Use [Google Translate](#) instead or visit [StoryNory](#) for quick translations of online stories. Text-to-speech is mentioned and easily available through Chrome extensions like Select and Speak, Chrome Speak or Natural Reader.

The web-map on Infinitec to this resources is:

Sign in to www.myinfinitec.org → on the home page, click on the main tab for Online Classroom → click on Access in the scroll box at the middle left side of the page → locate the video from the alphabetic display at the bottom of the page.

Webinars: Live

Webinars from Infinitec are free to members. They are found on the bottom right side of the home page. Click on the webinar(s) of your choice to register. All you need is a phone line and a computer with internet access. The phone call is free.

On the home page of Infinitec on the left side of the page, you will find Webinar FAQs to answer all your questions regarding participation in a webinar. You will also find a very helpful Login Guide to Webinars on the home page. (Many webinars have been archived on the site.)

September 27, 2016

3:30 PM CDT - 4:30 PM CDT

[Co:Writer Universal and Snap & Read Universal](#)

September 28, 2016

3:30 PM CDT – 4:30 PM CDT

[First Author Writing Curriculum & Software: Creating New Authors *GROUP BUY](#)

October 4, 2016

3:30 PM CDT – 4:30 PM CDT

[Switch Development: I found a switch site, how do I build basic skills?](#)

October 7, 2016

11:30 AM CDT - 12:30 PM CDT

[Providing Access to Learning Mathematics by Minimizing Areas of Deficit](#)

October 11, 2016

3:30 PM CDT - 4:30 PM CDT

[Visual Supports for Students w/ Complex Communication: The Next Generation](#)

October 12, 2016

3:30 PM CDT - 4:30 PM CDT

[Google Apps for Education \(GAPE\) by Mike Marotta](#)

October 14, 2016

11:30 AM CDT - 12:30 PM CDT

[Introduction to Partner-Augmented Input for AAC](#)

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