

2018 Speech Language Pathologist (SLP) Summer Institute

Day/ Time	Title	Description	Presenters
Monday June 18 9:00 a.m.	State of the State	VDOE staff will provide an update on recent legislative and regulatory actions affecting school based SLPs. Learn about new efforts to support students and accountability measures that impact local education agencies. Explore strategies for assessment and treatment for students of all ages.	Marie Ireland, M. Ed., CCC-SLP, BCS-CL, Virginia Department of Education
Monday June 18 10:45 a.m.	I Have Data! Now What Do I Do With It?	Collecting quality data is important but it isn't enough. What you do with that data is what really helps us to make effective decisions to improve programming and help students to be more successful. This session will look at how to analyze data as well as how to avoid some common mistakes so data collection is more effective.	Selena Layden, Ph.D., BCBA-D, LBA, Virginia Commonwealth University, Autism Center for Excellence
Monday June 18 1:15 p.m., 2:45 p.m.	Empowering the IEP Team with AAC in the Classroom	This session will provide the SLP with strategies, tools, and insight for making AAC applicable for the classroom environment. We'll explore the stages of AAC development, provide treatment ideas, and brainstorm ways to empower the IEP team to take this beyond the walls of the "Speech Room."	Susan Mapes, M.A., CCC-SLP; Melissa Miesner, M.S., CCC-SLP; Lisa Disney, M.Ed., BASLP Chesterfield County
Monday June 18 1:15 p.m., 2:45 p.m.	Speech Sound Disorders: Elevating Evaluations and Therapy	This presentation will cover a brief review of speech sound disorders, the best way to evaluate them, how to look at eligibility for speech sound disorders, writing goals, and managing treatment. There will be hands-on activities for therapists to work on skills presented during the presentation.	Amy Barnett, M.S., CCC-SLP Chesterfield County
Monday June 18 1:15 p.m., 2:45 p.m.	Everything (almost!) You Knew About Grammar...But Forgot!	This session will examine elements of grammar essential for language sampling. This interactive session will include identifying compound and complex sentences, identifying clauses, identifying grammatical morphemes, and selecting intervention targets.	Stacey Pavelko, Ph.D., CCC-SLP James Madison University
Tuesday June 19 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m.	Jack Of All Trades: The Multitasking Demands of Group Therapy	Group therapy sessions are inevitable for the school-based SLP. With group therapy sessions comes the need for the SLP to be well versed in behavior management, differentiation of instruction, and effective and efficient data collection. This session will cover strategies and tools that support meeting the demands of group therapy.	Amber Handon, M.Ed., CCC-SLP Charlottesville City
Tuesday June 19 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m.	Evidence-Based Practice: Tips for Finding and Evaluating Research	SLPs face many challenges in implementing evidence-based practice (EBP). To answer clinical questions, SLPs must find relevant research and then evaluate it for its quality, level of evidence, and applicability. Participants in this session will be provided with tips and resources for navigating these steps in the EBP process.	Kimberly A. Murphy, Ph.D., CCC-SLP, Old Dominion University
Tuesday June 19 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m.	Let's Give 'Em Something to Talk About: Stepping into AAC Integration in Schools	This session will discuss the problems of AAC integration and solutions for implementing AAC in the schools. It will describe a systematic and collaborative approach to AAC and an overview of our stages of AAC integration and communication techniques needed for the faculty of non-verbal and minimally verbal students. By focusing on our fourth key principle (people matter) and understanding key elements of AAC, participants will learn to foster inter-professional practice in AAC which will give their students something to talk about.	Rachel Herman, M.S., CCC-SLP; Barbara Cannon, AAC Specialist; Lindsay Rose, M.Ed. Spotsylvania County
Tuesday June 19 12:45 p.m.	The Law and Speech Language Pathologists	This session will cover a variety of topics related to school-based speech language pathology practice and compliance with the law.	Reed Smith Associates
Tuesday June 19 3:00 p.m.	Closing Session		Marie Ireland, M. Ed., CCC-SLP, BCS-CL, Virginia Department of Education