



Early Literacy Department
2021-2022 Fall Professional Learning Opportunities
Audience: 6-8, 9-12 Teachers

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Module Title: **Connecting Content Through Skills**

Content Area Connection: Reading/Language Skills/Cross Curricular Connections

Credit Hours: 1.5

Course Number: 57872

Course Outcomes: Participants will know what text connections and how to teach students how to make connections to text while using context clues to decipher meaning. Participants will understand how to model three different kinds of connections and model how students can use context clues. Participants will be able to use these strategies to teach students to garner meaning from texts.

Grade Band: 6-8, 9-12

In-person or virtual: Virtual

Date: September 23, 2021 @ 4:00-5:30PM

Module Title: **Make Literacy Grow with G.O. (Graphic Organizers)**

Content Area Connection: Reading/Language Skills/Cross Curricular Connections

Credit Hours: 1.5

Course Number: 57808

Course Outcomes: Participants will know the connection between specific literacy skills and the core content courses across all content areas. Participants will understand how to incorporate graphic organizers, activate students' prior knowledge, and utilize questioning strategies in classrooms across all content areas. Participants will be able to utilize and engage in literacy strategies that will help students understand and make meaning from texts across all content areas.

Grade Band: 6-8, 9-12

In-person or virtual: Virtual

Date: October 26, 2021 @ 4:00-5:30PM

Module Title: **A Guide to Literacy for Every Content: Making the Connection with Morphology**

Content Area Connection: Reading/Language Skills/Cross Curricular Connections

Credit Hours: 1.5

Course Number: 57711

Course Outcomes: Educators will know the importance of morphology in supporting fragile learners in their content. Educators will understand how to plan and organize instruction to include morphology in lessons.

Educators will be able to engage students in strategies and activities that foster a strong foundation with vocabulary and reading development.

Grade Band: 6-8, 9-12

In-person or virtual: Virtual

Date: October 28, 2021 @ 4:00-5:30PM