

South Coast Collaborative
www.scecoll.org

Free Technology Resources to Support Literacy

Presenter: Linda K. Cullen MS CCC-SLP
 Speech Language Pathologist/Assistive Technology

Time: 8:30-3
 Place: South Coast Educational Collaborative
 2201 GAR Highway/Route 6, Swansea, MA
 Cost: \$150 per person-includes lunch
 Contact Hours: 6 - A certificate of attendance will be awarded

For further info and to register, contact
 Linda Cullen
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Do you have students struggling to read grade level text? Do you have students with physical disabilities who cannot access traditional books? Are you looking for more ways to use your interactive white board? If you answered yes to any of these questions, this workshop is for you! Come and learn about digital text and how to make appropriate, quality literacy experiences available to all learners. We will look at digital text options ranging from picture books to curriculum text. Learn about the regulations governing digital text, how to identify students who qualify for accessible materials, and how to get the materials that they need. The focus will be on free and low-cost resources. We will also discuss subscription services and options for creating your own digital text files. *Attendees are encouraged to bring a laptop to this workshop.*

Pilgrim Area Collaborative
www.pilgrimac.org

Preparing Students for the 21st Century:
 The Standards-Based Foreign Language Classroom

Presenter: Helene B. Orefice, M.Ed.
 Recently retired French, Spanish, and Elementary teacher.
 Regional Coordinator and Instructional Consultant
 for Class Measures

Time: 8:30 - 3:30
 Place: Carver Middle/High School
 Upper Library
 60 South Meadow Road
 Carver, MA

Cost: \$75 per person - includes lunch
 Contact Hours: 6

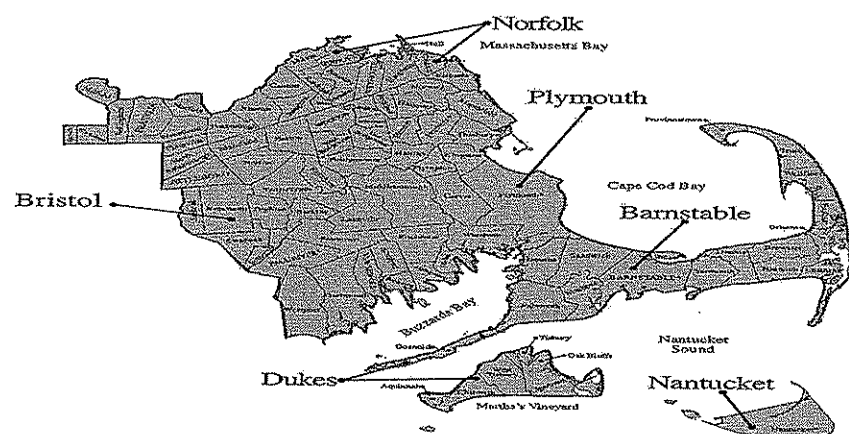
For further info and to register contact:
 Cathie Sheldon
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 781 293-6111 Ext. 11

Target Audience: Teachers of foreign languages, department heads, school administrators

Foreign language proficiency is essential in the 21st century. The 5 Cs outlined and described in detail in the Massachusetts Foreign Languages Curriculum Framework provide the perfect instructional backdrop.

In this participant-driven workshop, teachers and administrators will have the opportunity to thoroughly explore the 5 Cs and create activities and materials designed for their classroom use. Teachers may work in groups or on their own and should bring their own copy of the Frameworks as well as curricular topics they wish to explore.

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Professional Development Day
 November 8, 2011

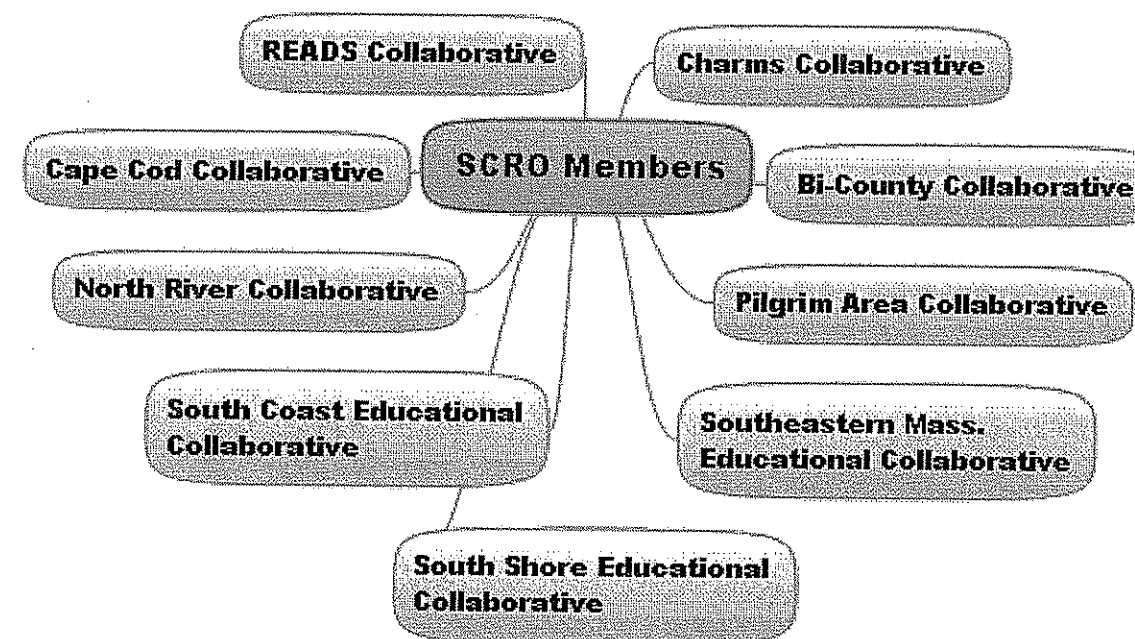
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SCRO PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2011

PLEASE NOTE: Pre-registration is required and must be received by October 14, 2011. Please register with the collaborative sponsoring your choice of workshop, either by phone or online. Seating is limited—please apply early! All trainings will take place on November 8, 2011 at their respective locations. If you require any special accommodations in order to participate in these programs, please provide notice at least 2 weeks in advance. No-shows will be responsible for the full amount of the course, and there are no partial refunds given. All participants will receive a certificate of attendance for the contact hours specified in each offering. **Southeast Collaborative Regional Organization reserves the right to cancel trainings that are under-subscribed.**

READS Collaborative www.readscollab.org

Yoga and Movement Therapy for Children with Special Needs (and those who care for them)

Presenter: Michelle Fleming
Yoga Therapist

Time: 9AM-3:30 PM
Place: READS Collaborative
105 East Grove Street, Middleboro

Cost: \$155 per person - includes lunch
Contact Hours: 6

For further information, contact:
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508 947-3634 Ext 103

Register online at www.readscollab.org
Click on Professional Development

In this one-day training, we will learn to use yoga, brain gym, breathing exercises, and guided meditation to help facilitate balanced brain function in the special children in our lives. It is appropriate for teachers, nurses, therapists, caregivers, and parents who work with children with varying levels of special needs, including, but not limited to: autism, mood disorders, ADHD, anxiety, and brain disorders.

Michelle Fleming is a yoga therapist who uses breath, movement, and bodywork to help facilitate optimum health and balance in the body, mind, and spirit. She is trained in Transformational Yoga Therapy, Brain Gym, Thai Massage, and Structural Integrations. She has been teaching for over a dozen years and is blessed to be the owner of Sanctuary Transformational Yoga and Bodywork and the director and founder of Transformational Yoga Teacher Trainings and Equilibrium, a non-profit organization designed to bring holistic health services to young people with mood disorders.

South Shore Educational Collaborative www.ssec.org

PASS - Partnership for Advancement of School Service Providers, LLC Professional Development for Physical Therapists, Occupational Therapists, and Speech/Language Pathologists

Presenter: Jan Hollenbeck, OTD, OTR

Time: 9AM - 3PM
Place: South Shore Educational Collaborative
90 Industrial Park Road, Hingham, MA

Cost: \$70 per person
Contact Hours: 6

For further info and to register contact:
Lauren A. Clark
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781 749-7518

Related service providers use the educational model and work collaboratively with the team to support student participation in the least restrictive environment. This workshop will address the role of the related service provider under current special education law. Content will focus on the following topics:

- Service eligibility determination
- Educationally relevant and inclusive service delivery options considering LRE
- Empowerment through data

Participants will learn strategies for practical application of these concepts, including writing participation-based goals, developing data collection methods, and thinking outside of the "2x30 min/week box" when determining service delivery. Opportunities for discussion and questions as well as strategies and small group work will be provided in order to help participants move forward to implement this change in their daily practice. *Participants should bring 2 or 3 current IEP goals with supporting objectives.*

SMEC Collaborative www.smeccollaborative.org

Express Yourself! A Special Day for Art Educators Presented in cooperation with ArtWorks! Partners for the Arts & Community and UMass Dartmouth Art Education Department

Time: 8:30-3:30
Place: ArtWorks!
384 Acushnet Ave., New Bedford 02740
Cost: \$120 per person
Lunch is on your own - locations will be provided

Contact Hours: 6
For further info and to register contact:
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508 998-1991

This workshop will offer hands-on workshops in elementary, middle, and high school levels with a focus on fun, challenging, and meaningful endeavors in a variety of 2D and 3D media. The afternoon will feature an experiential workshop and presentation by Dr. Virginia

Bi-County Collaborative www.bicounty.org

The Effects of Psychological Trauma, Neglect, and Disrupted Attachment on the Developing Brain and Self- Regulation: An Update on Diagnostic and Intervention Strategies Presenter: Barry A. Plummer, Ph.D. Clinical Child Psychologist

Time: 8AM check-in
8:30 - 1PM - Presentation
Place: Wrentham Elementary School
Vogel Auditorium
Taunton Street, Wrentham

Cost: \$100 per person
Light refreshments will be provided
Contact Hours: 4.5

For further info and to register contact:
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Target Audience: School psychologists, school adjustment counselors, special educators, and therapists.

The primary focus of this workshop will be how school-based personnel can more effectively understand the manifestation of trauma responses in the educational environment and develop practical interventions. Questions, and case discussions will be welcomed. This session will review current thinking about the significant effect that chronic trauma, neglect, and disrupted attachment from caregivers has on the developing brain. Participants will learn about Bessel van der Kolk and other prominent trauma specialists' current thinking about developmental trauma disorder in children and about the relationship between chronic psychological stress and emotional regulation.

North River Collaborative www.northrivercollaborative.org

Integrating Dance and Movement into Elementary Physical Education

Presenter: Dr. Samuel Baumgarten,
Bridgewater State University (retired)

Time: 8:30-3:30 PM
Place: TBD - Rockland area
Cost: \$94 per person-includes lunch
Contact Hours: 6
Target Audience: Physical Education Teachers, Gr. K-6

Key topics that will be addressed in the workshop include: meaningful movement for children; Laban's Movement Framework; the place of dance in physical education programs; integrating dance units with classroom curriculum; teaching lessons based on cultural dance (folk, square, contra, line) and social/ballroom dance; forming standards-based K-6 dance curriculum; and sample assessments. This will be an active workshop - participants should expect to dance!

Integrating 21st Century Learning & Technology in Physical Education & Health to Impact Students' Personal Health & Fitness

Presenter: Christine Basil
Hopkinton Public Schools

Time: 8:30-3:30 PM
Place: TBD - Rockland area

Cost: \$94 per person-includes lunch
Contact Hours: 6

Target Audience: Physical Education Teachers for Middle/High School

The workshop sessions will investigate how secondary Physical Education and Health teachers can integrate 21st Century learning and technology into the curriculum/lessons, motivate students, and positively impact students' personal health and fitness. Current topics and model lessons in physical education will be reviewed and discussed.

For further info and to register for either of these offerings, contact:

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Online registration will be available by Sept. 6 at
www.northrivercollaborative.org/profdev.html.

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