October Workshops for JFT Members



JFT is proud to offer <u>research-based professional development workshops to</u> <u>its members</u>. These courses will be offered on both the Eastbank and Westbank. Additionally, courses will be offered after school and on Saturdays.

Foundations of Effective Teaching

(Effective Group Management/Interactive Direct Instruction)

Tuesday, October 7, 2014

5:00 p.m.-6:30 p.m.

(Seafarers Hall, 3911 Lapalco Boulevard, Harvey)

In this course, participants will make connections between classroom management and effective group management strategies. Participants will also apply research to their daily practices and identify strategies to address grouping. Interactive Direct Instruction focuses on cognitive based learning and examines the patterns of direct instruction and daily scaffolding.

Strategies for Student Success: Flipped Classroom

Tuesday, October 14, 2014

5:00 p.m.-6:30 p.m.

(JFT Conference Room, 2540 Severn Avenue, Suite 302, Metairie)

This course focuses on engaging instruction and learning environments that allow students to interact, inquire, and create using the content learned. This session will introduce the components of the flipped classroom and guide participants in designing tasks related to this model of instruction.

Thinking Mathematics K-2 and 3-5

Saturday, October 25, 2014

9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

(JFT Conference Room, 2540 Severn Avenue, Suite 302, Metairie)

The thinking Mathematics course focuses on research about how children learn mathematics and implications of these findings in the classroom. It has been designed to help teachers understand the content and practice standards for the Common Core State Standards of Mathematics and their connection to the research. The Ten Principals capture practices that lead to a better understanding of math for all students and are applicable at all grade levels.

If you have any questions or would like to register for any of the workshops, please email kesler@jft.org

Please register early, classes are limited.
You will earn CLUs for these workshops.

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