

**EL 743XD: Title I Kansas Reading Academy
Emporia State University
Spring, 2009
Graduate Credit (1 hour)**

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Dates: February 4, 5, 6, 2009
Location: Wichita

Pre-registration is required by January 14, 2009. NO ON-SITE REGISTRATION FOR CREDIT.

To enroll for university credit from Emporia State University, call **Distance Education Toll Free at 1-877-332-4249**. You must register and pay for this credit by **January 14, 2009. You will not be able to enroll for credit after this date.**

All certification/recertification students must pay a one-time graduate application fee of \$40.00. If you have not taken courses at ESU, you should check with Lifelong Learning about submitting application materials. Please do not wait until the due date for registration and then complete the application materials.

The tuition for one credit hour is \$230.00 for Graduate Kansas Resident credit. (Non-Resident Credit - \$313.00)

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Syllabus (2009)**

Course Description: This course is designed to provide professional development in literacy instruction for Title I teachers. The course will provide an overview of research-based instruction in the five essential components of reading, assessments tied to the reading components, and instructional strategies. Topics include:

1. An Overview of Reading First and No Child Left Behind
2. Foundations of Effective Teaching
3. Knowledge of Learners
4. Language
5. Word Learning – Phonics & Phonemic Awareness
6. Word Learning – Phonics, Structural Analysis, & Sight Words
7. Analysis of Student Data
8. Vocabulary
9. Comprehension of Narrative Text
10. Comprehension of Expository Text
11. Fluency
12. Weaving it All Together

Requirements:

1. Attend and participate in **all** sessions of the Title I Academy (see #3 regarding the running record training). You must sign-in and sign-out each day to verify your attendance.
2. Participate in the Academy activities and discussions.
3. You must be familiar with the running record process. If you do not know the process involved in taking running records, you must attend the half day running record training held in the fall.
4. Turn in all assessments and completed thumbnail sketches for two students (stapled together; no folders or notebooks please).

The assessments are as follows:

- a. *Quick Phonics Screener (QPS)*,
 - b. *Phonological Awareness Skills Test (PAST)*, and
 - c. Running Record Passages and Retelling (narrative) Rubrics using the *Title I Reading Academy: Informal Reading Inventory Resource* (include all passages given to determine the instructional reading level).
5. If you would like to have the materials returned, please submit a self-addressed stamped envelope with correct postage.
 6. These materials are due by **February 20, 2009**. At the Academy, you may leave the materials with the ESU staff.