

SABES ELA C&I PD Center Year-at-a-Glance, 2021-22

(includes collaborations with other SABES PD Centers)

For dates, details, registrations, & resources, visit www.sabes.org/pd-center/ela

All PD will be online until further notice.

ELA PD Fall 2021, September–December

(as of 11/15/21)

Evidence-Based Reading Instruction:

- Overview of Evidence-Based Reading Instruction (EBRI) (self-paced, pre-recorded, runs every month)
- Remotely Administer Diagnostic Reading Assessments (self-paced, opens 9/15)
- STAR: Student Achievement in Reading (blended, opens 10/29)
- [Diagnostic Assessments of Reading–Fall 2021](#) (blended, over two months; opens 12/1)

Writing:

- Scaffolded Writing Strategies: From Sentences to Paragraphs (10/26)
- [Writing Fluency \(11/17\)](#)
- [Culturally Responsive Writing Instruction for ELA \(12/3 & 12/17\)](#)

ELA Roundtables featuring adult education practitioners:

- Google Classroom Orientation and Onboarding (9/13)
- Creating Vocabulary Videos (11/5)
- [Language Support for Adult Learners \(12/7\)](#)
- [Nearpod in the ELA Classroom \(12/13\)](#)

Standards & Curriculum:

- The Recipe for Success (self-paced, October)
- Make the ELA CCR Standards Work for You (11/10)

Newsela series (Partner PD):

- Discovering Newsela (9/24)
- Differentiating Instruction with Newsela (10/8)
- Supporting Student Engagement and Guiding Inquiry with Newsela (10/22)
- [Hybrid Instruction and the Newsela-Massachusetts Custom Collection \(12/3\)](#)

Reaching All Learners:

- Teaching Adult Learners with Language-Based Learning Disabilities: An Overview (9/21)
- Differentiation by Design: Optimizing Learning for All Learners! (9/22) [w/ ESOL]
- Formative Assessment in Adult Education ELA Classes (9/29 & 10/13)
- Connecting the Dots: Informing ELA Instruction through Learner Performance on the MAPT (10/19)
- ELs in the ABE Classroom (blended, opens 10/26)
- The Trauma-Informed Classroom (10/28) [C&I]
- Facing History: Equipping Ourselves and Our Classes for Difficult Conversations (11/9 & 11/18) [C&I]
- [An Approach That Works: Problem-Based Learning \(12/8\)](#) [w/ESOL]
- [An Approach That Works: Project-Based Learning \(12/15\)](#) [w/ESOL]

We also offer customized PD, Curriculum or Instructional Coaching, and Curriculum Review. Please contact Evonne Peters (epeters@qcc.mass.edu).



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ELA PD Winter/Spring, January–June 2022

(As of 11/15/21, most Winter/Spring dates are TBD. Note that some of the PD is repeated from the Fall.)

Evidence-Based Reading Instruction:

- Overview of Evidence-Based Reading Instruction (EBRI) (self-paced, pre-recorded, runs every month)
- [Alphabetics](#) (self-paced, two months; opens 1/10)
- Overview of Diagnostic Assessments of Reading (self-paced)
- Diagnostic Assessments of Reading–Spring 2022 (blended, two months)
- Words Matter! Teaching Academic Vocabulary in Person or Online
- Teaching Content Vocabulary
- Reading Comprehension for GLE 9-12
- Reading Fluency for Beginning to Intermediate-Level Readers
- STAR: Student Achievement in Reading *continues*

Writing:

- Scaffolded Writing Strategies: From Sentences to Paragraphs
- Improving Student Writing through Diagnostic Assessment and Revision
- Writing – Summarizing Strategies

ELA Roundtables featuring adult education practitioners:

- [Organizing Curricula Online](#) (1/13)
- Civic Engagement lessons for ABE (2/4)
- Other Winter/Spring topics TBD

Standards & Curriculum:

- The Recipe for Success (self-paced, in [January](#), [March](#), and [May](#))
- Overview of ELA Proficiency Guide
- So You Want to Build a Curriculum (self-paced)
- Building ELA Units for Learning that Lasts (self-paced)
- Enriching and Enhancing your ELA Scope & Sequence
- Text Complexity & Selecting Appropriate Texts
- Make the ELA CCR Standards Work for You
- There's a Standard for That!
- The Professional Adult Educator

Reaching All Learners:

- Teaching Adult Learners with Language-Based Learning Disabilities: An Overview
- [Instructional Strategies & Study Skills for Students with LBLD](#) (Jan-Feb)
- MAPT session 2: Class-Level Test Results (1/26)
- Formative Assessment in Adult Education ELA Classes
- The Trauma-Informed Classroom

And More!

- [Multimedia Presentations for Teaching History and Science](#) (1/14 & 2/11)
- [Analyzing Student Activity in Newsela](#) (1/21) [C&I]
- Evidence-Based Argumentation & Reasoning with the Boston Debate League
- *See you at MCAE (4/1)*

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