

Teaching Academic Content and Literacy to English Learners

July 11, 2016
9:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m. CDT
Music City Center
201 5th Avenue S.
Nashville, TN 37203

Agenda

Presenters/Facilitators

- Dr. Joan Morris, Panel Member, Instructional Research Group
- Ms. Amanda Nelms, ELD Specialist, Metro Nashville Public Schools (MNPS)
- Mr. Kevin Stacy, Executive Director for the Office of English Learners, MNPS
- Ms. Megan Trcka, ELD Specialist, MNPS
- Ms. Jennifer Wotring, REL Appalachia

9:30–9:45 a.m. **Welcome, Overview, and Introductions**
Ms. Jennifer Wotring

9:45–10:45 a.m. **Overview of IES Practice Guide**
Dr. Joan Morris

10:45 a.m.–12:00 p.m. **Morning Breakout Sessions**
Ms. Amanda Nelms, Mr. Kevin Stacey, Ms. Megan Trcka
Breakout Session #1: Framing Professional Development for English Learner Achievement
Breakout Session #2: Academic Conversations
Breakout Session #3: Literacy for All: Balanced Literacy for English Learners

12:00–1:00 p.m. **Lunch on your own**

1:00–2:10 p.m. **Afternoon Breakout Sessions**
Ms. Amanda Nelms, Mr. Kevin Stacey, Ms. Megan Trcka
Breakout Session #1: Framing Professional Development for English Learner Achievement
Breakout Session #2: Academic Conversations

Breakout Session #3: Literacy for All: Balanced Literacy for English Learners

2:15–3:15 p.m.

Mock PLC Session

Dr. Joan Morris

3:15–3:30 p.m.

Wrap-Up and Closing Remarks; Evaluation

Ms. Jennifer Wotring