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The Southeast Alabama Regional Inservice Center is pleased to announce its Professional Development schedule for the summer of 2025.

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***The seating capacity of presentation rooms and handouts will be based on the number of participants who register. Should there not be a sufficient number of registrations 72 hours prior to a workshop, it will be canceled and registrants will be notified. Only pre-registered participants will be notified of workshop changes or cancellations!** If you do not pre-register for a workshop and decide to attend anyway, please call our office the day before the workshop to find out if the workshop is still open and has not been canceled.

The Southeast Alabama Regional Inservice Center Governing Board's continuous commitment to support our schools' requests for an individual teacher, school, and district initiatives helps build a community where educators can continually grow by striving to improve student achievement and behavior.

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Date\ Time	Workshop Title:	Location:	Consultant:	Course Number:	Section Number:
May 5—9, 2025					
9-May 9:00 AM-3:00 PM	Wiregrass Writing Project Invitational Summer Institute	Troy University, Dothan Campus Dothan, AL	Cindy Miller, Co-Director Wiregrass Writing Project Troy University		
10-May 9:00 AM-3:00 PM	Wiregrass Writing Project Invitational Summer Institute	Troy University, Dothan Campus Dothan, AL	Cindy Miller, Co-Director Wiregrass Writing Project Troy University		
June 2—6, 2025					
3, 4 & 5- June 2:00 PM-5:00 PM	Wiregrass Writing Project Invitational Summer Institute	Virtual	Cindy Miller, Co-Director Wiregrass Writing Project Troy University		
4-Jun 9:00 AM-1:00 PM	TU_RIC- PLUACLD1185 Beyond Human, Minds and Machines: Exploring Artificial Intelligence	TROY Univ. Extended Learning Center Troy, AL	Dr. Charisse Snell, Alabama Technology in Motion Specialist, Troy University	310965	527226
5-Jun 9:00 AM-1:00 PM	TU_RIC: PLUACLD1185 Beyond Human, Minds and Machines: Exploring Artificial Intelligence	TROY Univ. Extended Learning Center Troy, AL	Dr. Charisse Snell, Alabama Technology in Motion Specialist, Troy University, Troy, AL	310965	527226
6-Jun 9:00 AM-1:00 PM	TU_RIC: PLUACLD1185 Beyond Human, Minds and Machines: Exploring Artificial Intelligence	TROY Univ. Extended Learning Center Troy, AL	Dr. Charisse Snell, Alabama Technology in Motion Specialist, Troy University, Troy, AL	310965	527226
6-June 8:30 AM-3:30 PM	Wiregrass Writing Project Invitational Summer Institute	TROY Univ. Extended Learning Center Troy, AL	Cindy Miller, Co-Director Wiregrass Writing Project Troy University		

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June 9 –13, 2025					
10-Jun 9:00 AM-12:00 PM	Revolutionize Your Teaching with ALEX: Tools, Tips & Tricks for K-12 Educators!	Virtual	Hailey Ridgeway, ALEX Project Hannah Bradley, ALEX Project Instructor	3330179	528397
10-Jun 9:00 AM-12:00 PM	Enhancing Education with MagicSchool AI	Troy Univ. Dothan Campus Dothan, AL	Dr. Charisse Snell, Alabama Technology in Motion Specialist, Troy University	329796	527517
10,11 & 12 June 2:00 PM-5:00 PM	Wiregrass Writing Project Invitational Summer Institute	Virtual	Cindy Miller, Co-Director Wiregrass Writing Project Troy University		
12-Jun 8:30 AM-2:30 PM	Integrating Coding into Elementary Math: A Hands-On Approach	Troy Univ. Dothan Campus Dothan, AL	Dr. Charisse Snell, Alabama Technology in Motion Specialist, Troy University	329813	527535
13-June 8:30 AM-3:30 PM	Wiregrass Writing Project Invitational Summer Institute	TROY Univ. Extended Learning Center Troy, AL	Cindy Miller, Co-Director Wiregrass Writing Project Troy University		
June 16 -20, 2025					
16-Jun 9:00 AM-2:00 PM	BEST Robotics Three-Day Summer Workshop for Teachers	TROY Univ. Extended Learning Center Troy, AL	Dr. Robin Bynum Hub Director TROY University BEST Robotics, Troy, AL Stephen Tsukuda Hub Director Wiregrass BEST Robotics Dothan, AL	329909	527748
16-Jun 9:00 AM-10:30 AM	PST or PLC : Where Do I Begin?	Virtual	Kristie Shankles Education Specialist, Alabama State Department of Education, Instructional Services, Alabama MTSS	329681	527202

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June 16 -20, 2025

Date\ Time	Workshop Title:	Location:	Consultant:	Course Number:	Section Number:
17-Jun 9:00 AM– 2:00 PM	BEST Robotics Three-Day Summer Workshop for Teachers	TROY Univ. Extended Learning Center, Troy, AL	Dr. Robin Bynum Hub Director TROY University BEST Robotics Stephen Tsukuda Hub Director Wiregrass BEST Robotics Dothan, AL	329909	527748
17-Jun 9:00 AM– 12:00 PM	Co-Teaching	Enterprise City Board of Educa- tion Enterprise, AL 36330	Dr. Lisa Etheridge Associate Professor College of Education, Troy University	330279	528580
18-Jun 9:00 AM– 2:00 PM	BEST Robotics Three-Day Summer Workshop for Teachers	TROY Univ. Extended Learning Center, Troy, AL	Dr. Robin Bynum Hub Director TROY University BEST Robotics Stephen Tsukuda Hub Director Wiregrass BEST Robotics Dothan, AL	329909	527748

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Date\ Time	Workshop Title:	Location:	Consultant:	Course Number:	Section Number:
June 23– 27, 2025					
23-Jun 9:00 AM- 12:00 PM	Data-Informed Decisions	TROY Univ. Extended Learning Center Troy, AL	Dr. Andrea Beall Education Specialist, Ala- bama MTSS ALSDE Instructional Ser- vices	329912	527761
24, 25 & 26- June 2:00 PM- 5:00 PM	Wiregrass Writing Project Invitational Summer Institute	Virtual	Cindy Miller, Co-Director Wiregrass Writing Project Troy University		
26-June 2:00 PM- 3:30 PM	Encyclopedia of Alabama Power User Workshop	Virtual	Gail Harper Morris	330489	529177
27-June 8:30 AM- 3:00 PM	Wiregrass Writing Project Invitational Summer Institute	TROY Univ. Extended Learning Center Troy, AL	Cindy Miller, Co-Director Wiregrass Writing Project Troy University		

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Date\ Time	Workshop Title:	Location:	Consultant:	Course Number:	Section Number:
June 30—July 3, 2025					
30-Jun 8:30 AM– 11:30 AM	Exploring the New Social Studies Course of Study (K-6)	TROY Univ. Extended Learning Center Troy, AL	Dr. Blake Busbin, Social Studies Education Special- ist, course of Study Admin- istrator, Alabama State Department of Education	329849	527628
30-Jun 12:30 PM– 3:30 PM	Exploring the New Social Studies Course of Study (7-12)	TROY Univ. Extended Learning Center Troy, AL	Dr. Blake Busbin, Social Studies Education Special- ist, course of Study Admin- istrator, Alabama State Department of Education	329849	527633
30-Jun	Gulf Coast Conference on the Teaching of Writing	Perdido Beach Resort Orange Beach, AL			
1-Jul	Gulf Coast Conference on the Teaching of Writing	Perdido Beach Resort Orange Beach, AL			
2-Jul	Gulf Coast Conference on the Teaching of Writing	Perdido Beach Resort Orange Beach, AL			
3-Jul	Gulf Coast Conference on the Teaching of Writing	Perdido Beach Resort Orange Beach, AL			

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July 7—12, 2025					
8-Jul 8:30 AM - 2:30 PM	Empowering Elementary Teachers: Integrating AI Tools for Teaching All Subjects	Troy Univ. Dothan Campus Dothan, AL	Dr. Charisse Snell, Alabama Technology in Motion Specialist, Troy University	329810	527532
8-Jul 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM	Fraction Action: From Screener to Strategy	TROY Univ. Extended Learning Center Troy, AL	Sherrie Blackmon, Regional Coordinator, Region 11 Office of Math Improvement, Alabama State Department of Education	330368	529409
8-Jul 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM	PowerSchool Special Populations for Novice Coordinators	Virtual	PowerSchool Coaches Office of Student Learning Alabama State Department of Education	330496	529186
8-Jul 12:30 PM - 2:30 PM	PowerSchool Special Populations (PSSP) 101: Navigating the Basics with Confidence	Virtual	PowerSchool Coaches Office of Student Learning Alabama State Department of Education	330496	529188
9-Jul 8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	TU-RIC TEAMS PD: Empowering STEM Exploration Through Math and Science in Learning Blade	Troy Univ. Dothan Campus Dothan, AL	Dr. Charisse Snell, Alabama Technology in Motion Specialist, Troy University	329727	527244
9-Jul 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM	Fraction Action: From Screener to Strategy	TROY Univ. Extended Learning Center Troy, AL	Sherrie Blackmon, Regional Coordinator, Region 11 Office of Math Improvement, Alabama State Department of Education	330368	529409
10-Jul 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Ethical Considerations of AI: A Guide for Elementary Teachers	Troy Univ. Dothan Campus Dothan, AL	Dr. Charisse Snell, Alabama Technology in Motion Specialist, Troy University	329795	527516

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Date\ Time	Workshop Title:	Location:	Consultant:	Course Number:	Section Number:
July 14 – 18, 2025					
15-Jul 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM	TU-RIC Building Computational Thinking Skills in K-3 Science: A Hands-On Approach	Troy Univ. Dothan Campus Dothan, AL	Dr. Charisse Snell, Alabama Technology in Motion Specialist, Troy University	329825	527536
17-Jul 9:00 AM- 1:00 PM	TU-RIC Computational Thinking in the Pre-K Classroom	Troy Univ. Dothan Campus Dothan, AL	Dr. Charisse Snell, Alabama Technology in Motion Specialist, Troy University	329816	527539
18-Jul 9:00 AM- 12:30 PM	Text Dependent Writing Strategies	TROY Univ. Extended Learning Center Troy, AL	Mrs. Margaret Folmar Wiregrass Writing Project Teacher Consultant	330233	528496

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Date\ Time	Workshop Title:	Location:	Consultant:	Course Number:	Section Number:
July 21 – 25, 2025					
21- Jul 9:00 AM – 10:30 AM	Grammar Skills, Literacy Thrills: Embedding Grammar Strategies to Build Confident Readers and Writers (Face-to-Face)	Conecuh County Bboard of Education Evergreen, AL	Ginger Henderson, Regional Literacy Specialist, Alabama Reading Initiative, Alabama State Department of Education Tammie Sullivan Regional Literacy Specialist, Alabama Reading Initiative, Alabama State Department of Education	329046	527739
21-Jul 10:45 AM – 12:15 PM	Reading and Rereading: A Recipe for Building Fluency (Face-to-Face)	Conecuh County Board of Education Evergreen, AL	Ginger Henderson Regional Literacy Specialist, Alabama Reading Initiative, Alabama State Department of Education Tammie Sullivan Regional Literacy Specialist, Alabama Reading Initiative, Alabama State Department of Education	329047	527741
22- Jul 3:00 PM – 4:30 PM	Examining the Use of Functional Behavior Assessments for All Students	Virtual	Heather Jones	330214	528460
22-Jul 9:00 AM- 12:00 PM	TU_ RIC Safe & Civil Schools	TROY Univ. Extended Learning Center, Troy, AL	Dr. Johnny Whaley Educator Administrator, Office of School Facilities and Safety Alabama State Department of Education	329944	527815

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July 21 – 25, 2025

Date\ Time	Workshop Title:	Location:	Consultant:	Course Number:	Section Number:
22-Jul 9:00 AM- 12:00 PM	Beginning Teacher Symposium TU_RIC Safe & Civil Schools	TROY Univ. Extended Learning Center, Troy, AL	Dr. Johnny Whaley Educator Administrator, Office of School Facilities and Safety Alabama State Department of Education	329935	527808
22-Jul 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM	Beginning Teacher Symposium First Days of School	TROY Univ. Extended Learning Center, Troy, AL	Margaret Folmar Wiregrass Writing Project Teacher Consultant	329935	528525
22-Jul 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Revolutionize Your Teaching with ALEX: Tools, Tips & Tricks for K-12 Educators!	Virtual	Hailey Ridgeway, ALEX Project Director Hannah Bradley, ALEX Project Instructor	330179	528401
23-Jul	NBCT Bootcamp	Virtual	NBCT Consultants		
24-Jul	NBCT Bootcamp	Alabama State Univ. Mont., AL	NBCT Consultants		
25-Jul	NBCT Bootcamp	Alabama State Univ. Mont., AL	NBCT Consultants		
24-Jul 9:00 AM – 10:30 AM	Help! I'm an Elementary Princi- pal/Assistant Principal. What do I need to know about the Ala- bama Literacy Act? (Face-to- Face	Butler County Board of Education Greenville, AL	Cody Carnley Regional Literacy Leader- ship Specialist Alabama Reading Initiative Alabama State Department of Education Tammie Sullivan Regional Literacy Specialist Alabama Reading Initiative Alabama State Department of Education	329147	527609

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Date\ Time	Workshop Title:	Location:	Consultant:	Course Number:	Section Number:
24-Jul 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Walking the High Road: Steps to Inspired and Desired Leadership (Face-to-Face)	Butler County Board of Education Greenville, AL	Cody Carnley Regional Literacy Leadership Specialist Alabama Reading Initiative Alabama State Department of Education	329045	527629
24-Jul 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Dyslexia Awareness Training – Dyslexia: An Overview (Face-to-Face)	Coffee County Board of Education Elba, AL	Kristi Lewis Regional Literacy Specialist Alabama Reading Initiative Alabama State Department of Education Dr. Laura Leigh Rambach Regional Literacy Leadership Specialist Alabama Reading Initiative Alabama State Department of Education	278484	527720
24-Jul 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM	Amazing Alphabet Arcs (Face-to-Face)	Coffee County Board of Education Elba, AL	Andrea Forehand Regional Literacy Specialist Alabama Reading Initiative Alabama State Department of Education Yolanda Coleman Regional Literacy Specialist Alabama Reading Initiative Alabama State Department of Education	329048	527733
24-Jul 3:00 PM – 4:30 PM	TU_ RIC Scoring GOALS with autistic children: Decision-making and successful implementation	Virtual	Brenda Beverly and Victoria Henbest USA Allied Health	330220	528463

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24- Jul 9:00 AM – 10:30 AM	Help! I'm an Elementary Principal/Assistant Principal. What do I need to know about the Alabama Literacy Act? (Face-to-Face) (APLDS)	Butler County Board of Education Greenville, AL	Cody Carnley Regional Literacy Leadership Specialist Alabama Reading Initiative Alabama State Department of Education Tammie Sullivan Regional Literacy Specialist Alabama Reading Initiative Alabama State Department of Education	320312	527773
24-Jul 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Walking the High Road: Steps to Inspired and Desired Leadership (Face-to-Face) (APLDS)	Butler County Board of Education Greenville, AL	Cody Carnley Regional Literacy Leadership Specialist Alabama Reading Initiative Alabama State Department of Education	329398	527883
24-Jul 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Dyslexia Awareness Training – Dyslexia: An Overview (Face-to-Face) (APLDS)	Coffee County Board of Education Elba, AL	Kristi Lewis Regional Literacy Specialist Alabama Reading Initiative Alabama State Department of Education Dr. Laura Leigh Rambach Regional Literacy Leadership Specialist Alabama Reading Initiative Alabama State Department of Education	320626	528205

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Date\ Time	Workshop Title:	Location:	Consultant:	Course Number:	Section Number:
July 28 – 31, 2025					
30- Jul 8:00 AM – 3:30 PM	An Overview of the ELA COS Standards 2021 (Virtual) (APLDS)	Virtual	Ginger Henderson Regional Literacy Specialist Alabama Reading Initiative Alabama State Department of Education	329402	528211
30-Jul 8:30 AM – 3:30 PM	An Overview of the ELA COS Standards 2021 (Virtual)	Virtual	Ginger Henderson Regional Literacy Specialist Alabama Reading Initiative Alabama State Department of Education	329385	527744
30- Jul 9:00 AM– 2:00 PM	Tier 2 Instruction in the Secondary Classroom	Troy Univ. Dothan Campus Dothan, AL	Dr. Robin Bynum Executive Director of Educational Outreach College of Education Troy Univ. Troy, AL	330683	529640
31-Jul 8:30 AM– 4:00 PM	TU_RIC Youth Mental Health First Aid	Troy Univ. Dothan Campus Dothan, AL	Tracey Goreed Education Specialist Instructional Services Alabama State Department of Education	330324	528654

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Title: TU-RIC Help! I'm an Elementary Principal/Assistant Principal. What do I need to know about the Alabama Literacy Act? (Face-to-Face)

Date: July 24, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM—10:30 AM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 320312

Section: 527773

Grade Levels: K-4

Audience: Elementary Principals & Assistant Principals

Location: Butler County Board of Education, 211 School Highlands Road, Greenville, AL

Description: There are facets of the Alabama Literacy Act that must be put into place to support students in achieving reading proficiency. This includes students who have been retained in third grade and those who have been promoted to fourth grade utilizing a good cause exemption. This session will highlight the steps necessary to build structures at the local level. These structures support full implementation of instruction, based in the science of reading and lead to increased efficacy among teachers. Participants will engage with peers regarding structures that are working to improve literacy outcomes for Alabama students.

Consultants: Cody Carnley, Regional Literacy Leadership Specialist, & Tammie Sullivan, Regional Literacy Specialist, Alabama Reading Initiative, Alabama State Department of Education



Title: TU-RIC Walking the High Road: Steps to Inspired and Desired Leadership (Face-to-Face)

Date: July 24, 2025

Time: 11:00 AM—12:00 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329398

Section: 527883

Grade Levels: K—4

Audience: Elementary Principals and Assistant Principals

Location: Butler County Board of Education, 211 School Highlands Road, Greenville, AL

Description: Are you ready to take your school leadership journey to the next level? Join us as we explore John Maxwell's transformative principles of High Road Leadership. Together, we'll uncover a roadmap that emphasizes leading with integrity, intention, and influence. You'll discover how to embrace the high road in leadership, creating a positive impact on others, while achieving remarkable results. If you're eager to lead in a way that is both inspiring and fulfilling, this session will provide you with actionable steps to elevate your leadership journey. Don't miss this opportunity to embark on the path to high road leadership!

Consultant: Cody Carnley, Regional Literacy Leadership Specialist, Alabama Reading Initiative, Alabama State Department of Education



Alabama Principal Leadership Development System

Title: TU-RIC Dyslexia Awareness Training- Dyslexia: An Overview

Date: July 24, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM—12:00 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 320626

Section: 528205

Grade Levels: K-12

Audience: K-12 Principals and Assistant Principals

Location: Coffee County BOE Auditorium, 400 Reddoch Hill Road, Elba, AL 36323

Description: This session is designed to increase awareness of the difficulties and frustrations that people with dyslexia, as well as those with the characteristics of dyslexia, encounter daily. We hope this experience will provide insight into working more effectively with these students and lead to greater empathy and understanding.

Consultants: Kristi Lewis, Regional Literacy Specialist, & Dr. Laura Leigh Rambach. Regional Literacy Leadership Specialist, Alabama Reading Initiative, Alabama State Department of Education

Title: An Overview of the ELA COS Standards 2021 (Virtual)

Date: July 30, 2025

Time: 8:00 AM—3:30 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329402

Section: 528211

Grade Levels: K-5

Audience: K-5 Principals and Assistant Principals

Location: Virtual -Participants will receive Zoom link upon registration in PowerSchool.

Description: This professional learning will provide K-5 educators the opportunity to delve into the 2021 Alabama Course of Study: English Language Arts (ELA COS). Participants will have an opportunity to explore the content and grade-level standards. Participants will be able to interact with, not only teachers who teach the same grade, but also other grade-levels to explore the similarities and differences as students move through the progression of English Language Arts standards across grade levels.

Consultants: Ginger Henderson, Regional Literacy Specialist, Alabama Reading Initiative, Alabama State Department of Education

Alabama Learning Exchange (ALEX)

Housed in Education Technology

Title: TU-RIC Revolutionize Your Teaching with ALEX: Tools, Tips & Tricks for K-12 Educators!

Date: June 10, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM—12:00 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 330179

Section: 528397

Grade Levels: K—12

Date: July 22, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM—12:00 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 330179

Section: 528401

Grade Levels: K—12

Audience: K–12 Teachers and Administrators

Location: Virtual -Participants will receive Zoom link upon registration in PowerSchool.

Description: Tired of searching for quality lesson plans and engaging student activities? Wish you had a one-stop shop for standards-aligned resources? ALEX (Alabama Learning Exchange) has you covered! In this interactive virtual session, we'll dive into:

Lesson Plan Component (LPC): A game-changer for designing effective, ready-to-use lessons

Spark!: A gamified learning system that helps students engage with and process material while giving teachers easy tools to create and share activities.

Time Saving Strategies: How to find, customize, and implement ALEX resources seamlessly into your teaching.

Whether you're a veteran teacher or just starting out, this session will give you practical tools to enhance your instruction, save time, and keep students engaged, Don't miss out – join us and spark new ideas for your classroom!

Consultants: Hailey Ridgeway, ALEX Project Director & Hannah Bradley, ALEX Project Instructor



AUTISM

Title: TU-RIC Examining the Use of Functional Behavior Assessments for All Students (Virtual)

Date: July 22, 2025

Time: 3:00 PM—4:30 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 330214

Section: 528460

Grade Levels: K—12

Audience: K–12 Educators and Administrators

Location: Virtual -Participants will receive Zoom link upon registration in PowerSchool.

Description: Recent information from the US Department of Education recommends the expansion of functional behavior assessment (FBA) methodology and theory to support all students. This session will explore the recommendations including the focus on positive behavioral interventions, evidence-based practices, and function of behavior to reduce the use of exclusionary discipline. Participants will explore the components of a FBA, how the FBA informs a behavior intervention plan (BIP), and how the results of a FBA can inform proactive instructional strategies. The information in this session will apply to all ages.

Consultant: Heather Jones

Title: TU-RIC Scoring GOALS with Autistic Children: Decision-making and Successful Implementation

Date: July 24, 2025

Time: 3:00 PM—4:30 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 330220

Section: 528463

Grade Levels: K—12

Audience: K–12 Educators and Administrators

Location: Virtual -Participants will receive Zoom link upon registration in PowerSchool.

Description: Workshop content emphasizes the development and implementation of speech, language and communication goal setting in educational and clinical contexts serving children on the autism spectrum. Effective goal setting decisions are based on (1) understanding speech, language and communication needs of autistic individuals, (2) evaluating academic and social contexts, and (3) applying the evidence base. Strategies and discussion on integrating neurodiversity-affirming constructs is included to promote goal relevance and functional outcomes. Although applicable for all ages, the spoken and written language skills of pre-school and school-age children on the autism spectrum are the primary focus.

Consultants: Brenda Beverly & Victoria Henbest, USA Allied Health



BEGINNING TEACHER SYMPOSIUM

Title: TU-RIC Safe & Civil Schools

Date: July 22, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329935

Section: 527808

Grade Levels: K-12

Audience: K-12 Educators

Location: Troy University Extended Learning Center, Room 117, 1101 S. Brundidge St., Troy, AL

Description: Topics include: **The New School Security Act**, understanding the updated regulations and Guidelines to improve security on school grounds and **School Safety Law**, learn about the legal framework designed to ensure safer learning environments and how it impacts your school.

Consultant: Dr. Johnny Whaley, Educator Administrator, Office of School Facilities and Safety, Alabama State Department of Education

Title: TU-RIC First Days of School

Date: July 22, 2025

Time: 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329935

Section: 528525

Grade Levels: K-12

Audience: K-12 Educators

Location: Troy University Extended Learning Center, Room 127, 1101 S. Brundidge St., Troy, AL

Description: Feel the excitement of the first day of school! Be prepared and ready to conquer the school year. Do I have my classroom ready? Do I have all necessary materials and forms? Do I have a classroom management plan? All of these questions will be covered to help you become the best teacher on the hall.

Consultant: Margaret Folmar, Wiregrass Writing Project Teacher Consultant, Troy University, Troy, AL



3-DAY ROBOTICS CAMP

Join us for an immersive and enriching professional development camp for teachers and students passionate about robotics and STEM education. Hosted from June 16 – 18th. This camp will equip participants with the knowledge, skills, and resources necessary to excel in the exciting world of BEST Robotics.

During this 3-day camp, educators and students will engage in hands-on workshops, interactive sessions, and collaborative projects led by experienced mentors and industry professionals. Participants can explore various aspects of robotics, programming, mechanical design, electrical engineering, and project management.



Prepare for the BEST Robotics Competition 2025, “Factoids”.

Gain insight into competition structure, build strategies, and bring back project-ready content to your classroom!

Grade Levels: 4 - 12

Dates: June 16 -18, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Location: TROY University Extended Learning Center, Room 117, 1101. South Brundidge Street, Troy, AL

PowerSchool Course Number: 329909

Section Number: 527748



BEST Robotics





Title: TU-RIC Co-Teaching

Date: June 17, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM—12:00 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 330279

Section: 528580

Grade Levels: K— 12

Audience: Grade K— 12 Teachers and Administrators

Location: Enterprise City Schools Service Center, 1648 E. Park Avenue, Enterprise, AL.

Description: This professional development training is designed to equip educators with the knowledge, skills, and strategies necessary to implement effective co-teaching practices. Participants will explore various co-teaching models, learn to develop strong collaborative relationships, and discover practical methods for planning and delivering instruction that support diverse learners.

Consultant: Dr. Lisa Ethridge, Associate Professor, College of Education, Troy, University



Title: TU-RIC Data-Informed Decisions

Date: June 23, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM—12:00 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329912

Section: 527761

Grade Levels: PK-12

Audience: PK-12 Teachers & Administrators

Location: Troy University Extended Learning Center, Room 117, 1101 S. Brundidge St., Troy, AL

Description: This session will include conversations about utilizing data resources to determine appropriate instruction and intervention. Participants will consider a variety of data points to inform planning and implementing tiered instruction.

Consultant: Dr. Andrea Beall, Education Specialist, Instructional Services, Alabama State Department of Education

eLearning for Educators Alabama

Course Listings

Summer - June 4 -July 22, 2025

EARLY BIRD SUMMER 2025

(May 7- June 24)
(For those who want to get a jump on courses)

CSDL4201:
Application of CSDL COS

EDU4499:
Teaching Your First English Learners (ELs)

21ST CENTURY CLASSROOM

EDU4403:
Virtual Tours

EDU4407:
Special Students

EDU4422:
Classroom Mtg. in the 21st Century

EDU4435:
Digital Citizenship in the 21st Century

EDU4437: Visual
Strategies to Improve Student Thinking

EDU4468:
Using Google Classroom

EDU4473:
Twitter and Facebook

EDU4481:
Flipped Classroom

EDU6612:
Becoming Online FAC

SCHOOL AND DISTRICT LEADERS

EDU5501:
Data-driven School Reform

EDU5502:
Integrate Tech with Curriculum

③ EDU5503:
Internet Safety for Schools

EDU5505:
Leading School in Web 2.0

① EDU5506:
Developing Your PLU

EDU5507:
Special Students in Regular Classrooms

EDU5508:
Google Docs Administrator

ACLD-APPROVED PLU COURSES

(PLUACLD courses are ONLY for those who previously completed the corresponding course.
Contact Tom Dreilinger to register for the course)
June 4 - June 25



**New ACLD Approved PLUs
for Summer 2025
Courses will be posted in May**

e-LEARNING
FOR EDUCATORS
Alabama

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

CSDL4201:
Application of CSDL COS

① EDU1104:
Fit, Healthy, and Ready to Succeed

① SCI2801:
Navigating the Science Framework (K-5)

REA6451:
Dyslexia: What is it and What to Do

MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL

CSDL4201:
Application of CSDL COS

① HIS3713:
Internet and History - Terrorsim

① REA3475:
Reading Intervention for Struggling Readers

① REA6451:
Dyslexia: How to Identify it and What to Do

① SCI3801:
Navigating the Science Framework (6-12)

- ① These courses align to the Academic Growth and Achievement priority area.
- ② These courses align to the College, Career and Workforce priority area.
- ③ These courses align to the Safe and Supporting Learning Environment priority area.



Become an



Power User

TU-RIC Encyclopedia of Alabama Power User Workshop

Date: June 26, 2025

Time: 2:00 PM—3:30 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 330489

Section: 529177

Grade Levels: 4—12

Audience: 4 -12 Teachers

Location: Virtual -Participants will receive Zoom link upon registration in PowerSchool.

Description: Join us for your content area, and let's discuss sample lesson plans and work together to develop some plans for your students. All subjects are invited, specifically English, Math, Science, Social Studies, and Arts/ Media. You will have time to meet in content-specific groups to work through some activities and plan together. We will create shared lessons for our EOA Power Users.

EOAs a free online resource on Alabama's history, culture, geography, and natural environment. This site offers articles on Alabama's people, events, sports, art, literature, industry, government, plant and animal life, agriculture, recreation, and so much more.

Consultant: Gail Harper Morris

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS

Title: TU-RIC An Overview of the ELA COS Standards 2021

Date: July 30, 2025

Time: 8:30 AM—3:30 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329385

Section: 527744

Grade Levels: K-5

Audience: K-5 General Ed. Teachers, SPED Teachers, EL Teachers, Administrators, Interventionists, Newly Hired Local Reading Specialists

Location: Virtual -Participants will receive Zoom link upon registration in PowerSchool.

Description: This professional learning will provide K-5 educators the opportunity to delve into the 2021 Alabama Course of Study: English Language Arts (ELA COS). Participants will have an opportunity to explore the content and grade-level standards. Participants will be able to interact with, not only teachers who teach the same grade, but also other grade-levels to explore the similarities and differences as students move through the progression of English Language Arts standards across grade levels.

ELA Couse of Study:

<https://www.alabamaachieves.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/08/2021-Alabama-English-Language-Arts-Course-of-Study.pdf>

Consultants: Ginger Henderson, Regional Literacy Specialist, Alabama Reading Initiative
Alabama State Department of Education

Gulf Coast Conference on the Teaching of Writing



June 30 – July 3, 2025



Perdido Beach Resort
Orange Beach, Alabama



Tuesday, July 1, 2025

Dr. Dee Bennett, Monica Anderson Young & SHORT the Squirrel

Dr. Dee Bennett and Monica Anderson Young are described as creative and passionate individuals with a knack for storytelling and innovation, as well as dynamic thinkers and problem-solvers. The duo are the creators of the Alabama-based nonprofit reading initiative SHORT the Squirrel. SHORT the Squirrel is now Alabama's official literacy mascot.



Wednesday, July 2, 2025

Barry Lane

For the last 25 years, Barry Lane has worked in schools with teachers on professional development in writing and reading in all 50 states and many countries around the world, including Canada, Romania, France, England, Germany, Holland, and India.

Some of his most popular books include *After THE END: Teaching and Learning Creative Revisions*, *Revisers Toolbox*, and *But How Do We Teach Writing*.

His workshops teach teachers how to create classes of lifelong writers and readers.



Thursday, July 3, 2024

Andy Schoenborn

Andy Schoenborn is an award-winning author and high school English teacher in Michigan at Mt. Pleasant Public Schools. His main objective is teaching and facilitating literacy using progressive methods that focus on student-critical thinking, digital collaboration, and multimedia means. As the Vice President for the Michigan Council of Teachers of English, he regularly meets with leaders across the state to promote literacy in Michigan.

Reviewers of his latest book, *Creating Confident Writers*, co-authored with Dr. Troy Hicks, say, "The authors provide a broad perspective on what it means to be a young writer and how to teach them."

Conference Schedule

Monday, June 30, 2025

4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Registration

Tuesday, July 1, 2025

7:30 AM – 1:00 PM Registration/Exhibits

8:30 AM – 10:00 AM Keynote Address—Dr. Dee Bennett, Monica Anderson Young & SHORT the Squirrel

10:00 AM – 10:30 AM Break

10:30 AM – 11:30 AM Concurrent Sessions

11:30 AM – 1:00 PM Luncheon

1:00 PM – 3:00 PM Writing Workshop— Dr. Dee Bennett, Monica Anderson Young & SHORT the Squirrel

Wednesday, July 2, 2025

8:00 AM – 1:00 PM Registration/Exhibits

8:30 AM – 9:45 AM Keynote—Mr. Barry Lane

9:45 AM– 10:15 AM Alabama Region Scholastic Art and Awards Ceremony

10:00 AM – 10:30 AM Break

10:30 AM – 12:30 PM Concurrent Sessions

12:30 PM – 1:00 PM Box Lunch

1:00 – 3:00 PM Writing Workshop- Mr. Barry Lane

Thursday, July 3, 2025

8:00 AM. – 11:30 AM Registration/Exhibits

8:30 AM– 10:00 AM Keynote Address—Mr. Andy Schoenborn

10:00 AM–10:30 AM Break

10:30 AM–12:30 PM Writing Workshop – Mr. Andy Schoenborn

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Conference Lodging:

Special Conference Rate Single/Double: \$335.00

Booking ID #21299:

Call-in Reservations: (800) 634-8001

Online reservations:

<https://www.perdidobeachresort.com/>

For more information about the conference, go to

[Gulf Coast Conference on the Teaching of Writing](http://www.gulfcoastconference.org)
trov.edu

Registration Form	
Name _____	
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School Name _____	District _____ Position _____
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Home Phone _____	School Phone _____
 Mail registration with fees to Gulf Coast Conference 025 Hawkins Hall Troy University Troy, AL 36082 (334)670-3495 or 334-670-5978 inservice@trov.edu	
\$265 Early Bird Registration by May 10, 2025 \$290 Regular Registration by June 10, 2025 \$325 Registration after June 10, 2025 *Call 334-670-3494 to pay via credit card. (Registration includes: Keynotes, Writing Workshops, Concurrent Sessions, morning breaks, Tuesday Luncheon and Wednesday Lunch.)	
<div>Early Bird Registration Deadline: May 10, 2025 No refunds after: May 24, 2025</div>	

The 2025 Gulf Coast Conference on the Teaching of Writing
is sponsored by Alabama's Regional Inservice Centers.

MATHEMATICS

Title: TU-RIC TEAMS PD: Empowering STEM Exploration Through Math and Science in Learning Blade

Date: July 9, 2025

Time: 8:30 AM—3:30 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329727

Section: 527244

Grade Levels: 6-12

Audience: 6-12 Science, Math, and Computer Science Teachers

Location: Troy University Dothan Campus, Malone Hall, Room 106, 500 University Drive, Dothan, AL

Description: Learning Blade provides middle and high schools with online interactive lessons and activities designed to boost interest in high-demand careers such as computer science, STEM, and CTE. It is a free STEM/Computer Science/CTE career awareness toolbox that allows students to learn about 100 careers and technologies through lessons that are aligned to Alabama state standards. This PD will help teachers learn how to get their classes enrolled, assignments made, and best practices of how to implement learning into their classes. Teachers will have the opportunity to engage with hands-on activities, along with diving into some AI resources.

Consultant: Dr. Charisse Snell, Alabama Technology in Motion Specialist, Troy University, Troy, AL



Title: TU-RIC Fraction Action: From Screener to Strategy

Date: July 8 & 9, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM—3:30 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 330368

Section: 5294097

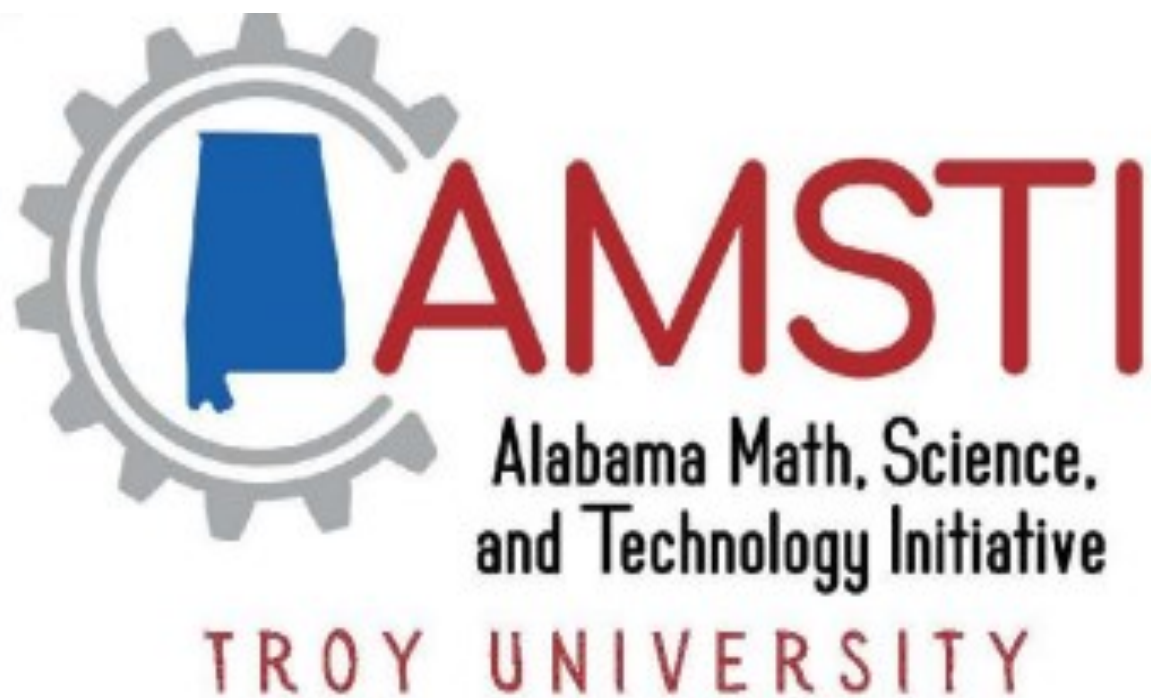
Grade Levels: 3-5

Audience: Teachers Grades 3—5

Location: TROY University Extended Learning Center, Room 127, 1101 S. Brundidge St., Troy, AL

Description: Designed for 3rd-5th grade teachers and administrators, this two-day professional development course provides the conceptual understanding and practical skills needed to effectively administer and interpret the **Forefront Fractional Reasoning Screener**. Participants will deepen their knowledge of key fraction concepts assessed in the screener, including fraction equivalence, comparison, and operations. Additionally, they will learn research-based strategies for analyzing student responses and identifying common misconceptions. Through hands-on practice and analysis, participants will learn to administer the screener, interpret the results, and design targeted instruction based on student learning needs

Consultant: Sherrie Blackmon, Region 11 Coordinator, Office of Math Improvement, Alabama State Department of Education



Math

[AMSTI – Troy Professional Learning Opportunities and Registration Information](#)



AMSTI - Troy University

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1) Math Foundational Training

2) 2019 ALCOS Overview as prerequisites to AMSTI content training.**

Content Trainings require additional Follow Up PLC's (3 hours for 1 day training, 6 hours for 2 day trainings.)

K-5 Math

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Grade	Session	Date(s)	Time	Location/Notes
K-5	Math Foundational Training	Jul 8	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	TBD (Escambia County Area)
K-5	2019 ALCOS: Mathematics Overview (K-5): Navigation and Implementation	Jul 9	AM Only	TBD (Escambia County Area)
K-5	Number Talks	Jul 9	PM Only	TBD (Escambia County Area)
K-5	Math Foundational Training	Jul 9	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	Dothan City Board of Education <i>Dothan Teachers Only</i>
K-5	2019 ALCOS: Mathematics Overview (K-5): Navigation and Implementation	Jul 10	8:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Dothan City Board of Education <i>Dothan Teachers Only</i>
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K-5	Number Talks	Jul 10	AM Only	TBD (Andalusia Area)
K-5	Number Talks	Jul 17	AM Only	TBD (Enterprise Area)
K-5	Math Foundational Training	Jul 29	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	TBD (Escambia County Area)
K-5	2019 ALCOS: Mathematics Overview (K-5): Navigation and Implementation	Jul 30	AM Only	TBD (Escambia County Area)
K-5	Number Talks	Jul 30	PM Only	TBD (Escambia County Area)

6-12 Math

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Grade	Session	Date(s)	Time	Location/Notes
6-12	Math Foundational Training	May 6	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	Elba High School
6-12	Vertical Planning with the Math Pact: Algebra & Functions Pt. 1	June 3	8:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Enterprise BOE
6-12	Vertical Planning with the Math Pact: Algebra & Functions Pt. 2	June 3	12:00PM - 3:00PM	Enterprise BOE
9-12	Algebra & Functions: Transformations & Function World	June 4	8:00AM - 3:00PM	Enterprise BOE
6-12	Vertical Planning with the Math Pact: Algebra & Functions Pt. 1	June 11	8:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Covington County BOE
6-12	Vertical Planning with the Math Pact: Algebra & Functions Pt. 2	June 11	12:00PM - 3:00PM	Covington County BOE
9-12	Algebra & Functions: Transformations & Function World	June 12	8:00AM - 3:00PM	Covington County BOE
6-8	Numbers: Measurement & Geometry <i>(Must attend both days for credit)</i>	June 17 & June 18	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM (Both days)	Houston County Career Academy

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6-8	Numbers: Measurement & Geometry <i>(Must attend both days for credit)</i>	June 25 & June 26	8:00 AM - 3:00 PM	Covington County BOE
6-8	The Experience: ACAP (6-8 Math)	July 22	8:00AM - 11:00AM	Enterprise BOE
6-8	ACAP Aligned Daily Instruction	July 22	12:00PM - 3:00PM	Enterprise BOE
9-12	The Experience: ACT (9-12 Math)	July 23	8:00AM - 11:00AM	Enterprise BOE
9-12	ACT Aligned Daily Instruction	July 23	12:00PM - 3:00PM	Enterprise BOE
6-12	Vertical Planning with Math Pact: Data Analysis	July 24	8:00AM - 11:00AM	Enterprise BOE
6-12	Vertical Planning with Math Pact: Geometry	July 24	12:00PM - 3:00PM	Enterprise BOE
6-8	The Experience: ACAP (6-8 Math)	July 22	8:00AM - 11:00AM	Butler County BOE
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9-12	The Experience: ACT (9-12) Math	July 23	8:00AM - 11:00AM	Butler County BOE
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Administrators

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Grade	Session	Date(s)	Time	Location/Notes
K-5	Math Foundational Training	Jul 8	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	TBD (Escambia County Area)
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K-5	Math Foundational Training	Jul 9	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	Dothan City Board of Education Dothan Teachers Only

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6-12	Math Nation Implementation POWERSCHOOL REGISTRATION	Apr 24	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	Troy University Extended Learning Center
6-12	Vertical Planning with the Math Pact: Algebra & Functions Pt. 1	June 3	8:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Enterprise BOE
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Conference Information

Date: July 14-18, 2025

Location: Mobile Convention Center

1 S Water St., Mobile AL 36602

AL-MTSS: Focusing on Educator and Student Outcomes

Title: TU-RIC PST or PLC : Where Do I Begin?

Date: June 16, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM

PowerSchool PD Course: 329681

Section: 527202

Grade Levels: K-12

Audience: K—12 Educators & Instructional Leaders

Location: Virtual -Participants will receive Zoom link upon registration in PowerSchool.

Description: Join us for a deeper dive into starting or refining your PST or PLC process! This session will provide practical strategies and insights to help you build a strong foundation, enhance collaboration, and maximize student success. Whether you're just starting or looking to fine-tune your existing framework, this course will equip you with the tools and knowledge to create a more effective and impactful team.

Consultant: Kristie Shankles, Education Specialist, Instructional Services, Alabama MTSS, Alabama State Department of Education

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2025 NBCT BOOT CAMP

WEDNESDAY
JULY 23
VIRTUAL

THURSDAY & FRIDAY
JULY 24 & 25
IN-PERSON



ALABAMA STATE UNIVERSITY
MONTGOMERY



National Board Boot Camp 2025 Enlistment Form

Registration will be open soon. If you would like to be notified once this form is open, please complete this form using the following QR Code:





**Title: TU-RIC PLUACLD1185 Beyond Human, Minds and Machines:
Exploring Artificial Intelligence (APLDS Approved)**

Date: June 4, 5, & 6, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM-1:00 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 310965

Section: 527226

Grade Levels: K-12

Audience: Administrators K—12

Location: Troy University Extended Learning Center, Room 149, 1101 S. Brundidge St., Troy, AL

Description: Artificial Intelligence (AI) is transforming the world as we know it, leading to countless innovations and advancements across various fields. This technology has immense potential, and when used effectively, it can change the way we work, learn, and live. Artificial Intelligence is a branch of computer science that involves the development of intelligent machines that can work and learn like human beings. AI utilizes advanced algorithms and technologies such as machine learning, natural language processing, and computer vision to simulate human-like behavior. In this PLU we will explore and discover the positive and negative impacts of AI and how we can use it to transform education.

Consultant: Dr. Charisse Snell, Alabama Technology in Motion Specialist, Troy University, Troy, AL



Title: TU-RIC PowerSchool Special Programs for Novice Coordinators

Date: July 8, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM-11:00 AM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 330496

Section: 529186

Grade Levels: K-12

Audience: PowerSchool Coordinators

Location: Virtual -Participants will receive Zoom link upon registration in PowerSchool.

Description: This session is designed for novice coordinators looking to build a solid foundation in PowerSchool Special Programs. Learn best practices for managing student profiles, handling documents, generating reports, and security settings. An ALSDE PowerSchool Special Programs Coach will guide you through essential features, providing practical tips to streamline your workflow and enhance your program management. Gain confidence in navigating PowerSchool Special Programs and improve your ability to support student success and compliance within your school or district.

Consultant: PowerSchool/Schoology Coach, Alabama State Department of Education



Title: TU-RIC PSSP 101: Navigating the Basics with Confidence

Date: July 8, 2025

Time: 12:30 PM-2:30 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 330496

Section: 529188

Grade Levels: K-12

Audience: Teachers K—12

Location: Virtual -Participants will receive Zoom link upon registration in PowerSchool.

Description: This comprehensive training session is designed to introduce new teachers to the features and functionalities of PowerSchool Special Programs. Participants will gain valuable knowledge on navigating the platform and creating documents such as IEPs, the Notice and Eligibility Decision Regarding Special Education Services and the Student Transfer Review, and others.

By the end of the session, new teachers will feel confident in using PowerSchool to support their students' unique needs, streamline documentation, and manage compliance. Whether participants are new to PowerSchool or just looking to deepen their understanding of its special education features, this training will provide the tools needed for success.

Consultant: PowerSchool/Schoology Coach, Alabama State Department of Education



READING

Title: TU-RIC Help! I'm an Elementary Principal/Assistant Principal. What do I need to know about the Alabama Literacy Act? (Face-to-Face)

Date: July 24, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM—10:30 AM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329147

Section: 527609

Grade Levels: K-4

Audience: Elementary Principals & Assistant Principals

Location: Butler County Board of Education, 211 School Highlands Road, Greenville, AL

Description: There are facets of the Alabama Literacy Act that must be put into place to support students in achieving reading proficiency. This includes students who have been retained in third grade and those who have been promoted to fourth grade utilizing a good cause exemption. This session will highlight the steps necessary to build structures at the local level. These structures support full implementation of instruction, based in the science of reading and lead to increased efficacy among teachers. Participants will engage with peers regarding structures that are working to improve literacy outcomes for Alabama students.

Consultants: Cody Carnley, Regional Literacy Leadership Specialist, & Tammie Sullivan, Regional Literacy Specialist, Alabama Reading Initiative, Alabama State Department of Education



READING

Title: TU-RIC Walking the High Road: Steps to Inspired and Desired Leadership (Face-to-Face)

Date: July 24, 2025

Time: 11:00 AM—12:00 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329045

Section: 527

Grade Levels: K—4

Audience: Central Office Leaders, Elementary Principals and Assistant Principals

Location: Butler County Board of Education, 211 School Highlands Road, Greenville, AL

Description: Are you ready to take your school leadership journey to the next level? Join us as we explore John Maxwell's transformative principles of High Road Leadership. Together, we'll uncover a roadmap that emphasizes leading with integrity, intention, and influence. You'll discover how to embrace the high road in leadership, creating a positive impact on others, while achieving remarkable results. If you're eager to lead in a way that is both inspiring and fulfilling, this session will provide you with actionable steps to elevate your leadership journey. Don't miss this opportunity to embark on the path to high road leadership!

Consultant: Cody Carnley, Regional Literacy Leadership Specialist, Alabama Reading Initiative, Alabama State Department of Education

Family & COMMUNITY YouTube Series



Phonemic Awareness Family Video

This video shares fun, easy ways to help your student identify and manipulate sounds, building a foundation for strong reading and spelling skills.



Phonics Family Video

In this video, learn about multisensory strategies to help students build letter-sound knowledge and strengthen phonics skills.



Fluency Family Video

This video models simple, fun strategies for fluency practice at home, helping learners improve fluency skills need for comprehension.



Vocabulary Family Video

In this video, learn vocabulary-building tips using conversation, read-alouds, movement, and morphemes to strengthen students' expressive and receptive language.



Comprehension Family Video

This video models tips to improve text comprehension, including conversations, monitoring, questioning, and using background knowledge for understanding.



Alabama Reading Initiative



READING

Title: TU-RIC Dyslexia Awareness Training- Dyslexia: An Overview

Date: July 24, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM—12:00 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 278484

Section: 527720

Grade Levels: K-12

Audience: K-12 General Education Teachers, SPED Teachers, EL Teachers, Administrators, Local Reading Specialists, Interventionists

Location: Coffee County BOE Auditorium, 400 Reddoch Hill Road, Elba, AL 36323

Description: This session is designed to increase awareness of the difficulties and frustrations that people with dyslexia, as well as those with the characteristics of dyslexia, encounter daily. We hope this experience will provide insight into working more effectively with these students and lead to greater empathy and understanding.

Consultants: Kristi Lewis, Regional Literacy Specialist, & Dr. Laura Leigh Rambach, Regional Literacy Leadership Specialist, Alabama Reading Initiative, Alabama State Department of Education

Title: TU-RIC Amazing Alphabet Arcs (Face-to-Face)

Date: July 24, 2025

Time: 1:00 PM—2:30 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329048

Section: 527733

Grade Levels: K-5

Audience: K-5 General Education Teachers, SPED Teachers, EL Teachers, Interventionists

Location: Coffee County BOE Auditorium, 400 Reddoch Hill Road, Elba, AL 36323

Description: Participants will gain a deeper understanding of alphabet tasks that can be achieved through the use of alphabet arcs. We will explore a continuum of concepts ranging from letter recognition to alphabetizing. Participants will exercise multisensory arc routines that support the AL 2021 ELA COS and the Alabama Dyslexia Resource Guide. Participants will be able to describe the role the alphabet arc routines play in the connection of letter knowledge to reading and spelling.

Consultants: Andrea Forehand & Yolanda Coleman Regional Literacy Specialist, Alabama Reading Initiative, Alabama State Department of Education



READING

Title: TU– RIC Grammar Skills, Literacy Thrills: Embedding Grammar Strategies to Build Confident Readers and Writers (Face-to-Face)

Date: July 21, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM—10:30 AM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329046

Section: 527739

Grade Levels: K-5

Audience: K-5 General Education Teachers, SPED Teachers, EL Teachers, Interventionists

Location: Conecuh County Board of Education, 1455 Ted Bates Road, Evergreen, AL

Description: How were you taught grammar? As a teacher, how do you teach grammar to your students? Our students need to understand and apply grammar concepts that last forever. Research says that when we embed grammar instruction into reading and writing, the connection is stronger. In this session we will introduce evidence-based strategies to teach grammar in context, fostering stronger connections between reading, writing, and grammar.

Consultants: Ginger Henderson & Tammie Sullivan Regional Literacy Specialist, Alabama Reading Initiative, Alabama State Department of Education

Title: TU-RIC Reading and Rereading: A Recipe for Building Fluency (Face-to-Face)

Date: July 21, 2025

Time: 10:45 AM—12:15 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329047

Section: 527741

Grade Levels: K-5

Audience: K-5 General Education Teachers, SPED Teachers, EL Teachers, Interventionists

Location: Conecuh County Board of Education, 1455 Ted Bates Road, Evergreen, AL

Description: Looking for just the right ingredients to add flavor and spice to your fluency instruction? Well, you too can be a master chef! Join us for an engaging session that will stimulate your literacy taste buds. We will explore the ingredients that make up effective reading instruction and how the process of reading and rereading can serve as a powerful tool to build fluency in young readers. Just like a recipe, mastering reading fluency requires the right components and techniques to yield the best results. Don't miss your chance to partake in the perfect literacy recipe for mastering reading fluency.

Consultants: Ginger Henderson & Tammie Sullivan, Regional Literacy Specialist, Alabama Reading Initiative, Alabama State Department of Education

Safe & Civil Schools



Title: TU-RIC Safe & Civil Schools

Date: July 22, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329944

Section: 527815

Grade Levels: K-12

Audience: K-12 Educators

Location: Troy University Extended Learning Center, Room 117, 1101 S. Brundidge St., Troy, AL

Description: Topics include: **The New School Security Act**, understanding the updated regulations and Guidelines to improve security on school grounds and **School Safety Law**, learn about the legal framework designed to ensure safer learning environments and how it impacts your school.

Consultant: Dr. Johnny Whaley, Educator Administrator, Office of School Facilities and Safety
Alabama State Department of Education



Title: TU-RIC TEAMS PD: Empowering STEM Exploration Through Math and Science in Learning Blade

Date: July 9, 2025

Time: 8:30 AM—3:30 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329727

Section: 527244

Grade Levels: 6-12

Audience: 6-12 Science, Math, and Computer Science Teachers

Location: Troy University Dothan Campus, Malone Hall, Room 106, 500 University Drive, Dothan, AL

Description: Learning Blade provides middle and high schools with online interactive lessons and activities designed to boost interest in high-demand careers such as computer science, STEM, and CTE. It is a free STEM/Computer Science/CTE career awareness toolbox that allows students to learn about 100 careers and technologies through lessons that are aligned to Alabama state standards. This PD will help teachers learn how to get their classes enrolled, assignments made, and best practices of how to implement learning into their classes. Teachers will have the opportunity to engage with hands-on activities, along with diving into some AI resources.

Consultant: Dr. Charisse Snell, Alabama Technology in Motion Specialist, Troy University, Troy, AL



Science

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1) Math Foundational Training

2) 2019 ALCOS Overview as prerequisites to AMSTI content training.**

Content Trainings require additional Follow Up PLC's (3 hours for 1 day training, 6 hours for 2 day trainings.)

K-8 Science

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Grade	Session	Date(s)	Time	Location /Notes
K-12	Science Foundational Training	Jun 10	8:30 AM -	Brewton City Board of
K-12	Alabama Course of Study: Science Overview	Jun 11	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	Brewton City Board of Education
K-12	Science Foundational Training	Jun 24	8:30 AM -	Enterprise City Board of
3	It's All in the Patterns	Jul 8	8:30 AM -	Troy University Extended
K-12	Science Foundational Training	Jul 9	8:30 AM -	Troy University Extended
K-12	Alabama Course of Study: Science Overview	Jul 10	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	Troy University Extended Learning Center
7	Gaudy Goldfish and Cat Conundrum	Jul 14	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	Troy University Extended Learning Center
K-12	Alabama Course of Study: Science Overview	Jul 24	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	The ATTA Library of STEM and History, Abbeville

9-12 Science

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K-12	Science Foundational Training	Jul 9	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM	Troy University Extended Learning Center



Title: TU-RIC Exploring the New Social Studies Course of Study (K-6)

Date: June 30, 2025

Time: 8:30 AM-11:30 AM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329849

Section: 527628

Grade Levels: K-6

Audience: General Ed. Teachers, SPED Teachers, EL Teachers, Administrators, Interventionists

Location: TROY University Extended Learning Center, Room 117, 1101 S. Brundidge St., Troy, AL

Description: Discover the new social studies standards and vision for Kindergarten through Grade 6 as put forth in the 2024 Alabama Course of Study: Social Studies. Participants will explore key updates, pedagogical shifts, and interdisciplinary strategies that align with the revised standards. The course will highlight practical applications, including curriculum planning, assessment design, and resource utilization tailored to the new standards.

Consultant: Dr. Blake Busbin, Social Studies Education Specialist, Course of Study Administrator, Instructional Services, Alabama State Department of Education



Title: TU-RIC Exploring the New Social Studies Course of Study (7-12)

Date: June 30, 2025

Time: 12:30 PM-3:30 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329849

Section: 527633

Grade Levels: 7-12

Audience: General Ed. Teachers, SPED Teachers, EL Teachers, Administrators, Interventionists

Location: TROY University Extended Learning Center, Room 117, 1101 S. Brundidge St., Troy, AL

Description: Discover the new social studies standards and vision for Grade 7 through Grade 12 as put forth in the 2024 Alabama Course of Study: Social Studies. Participants will explore key updates, pedagogical shifts, and interdisciplinary strategies that align with the revised standards. The course will highlight practical applications, including curriculum planning, assessment design, and resource utilization tailored to the new standards.

Consultant: Dr. Blake Busbin, Social Studies Education Specialist, Course of Study Administrator, Instructional Services, Alabama State Department of Education



TECHNOLOGY

Title: TU-RIC Enhancing Education with MagicSchool AI

Date: June 10, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM—12:00 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329796

Section: 527517

Grade Levels: 6- 12

Audience: General Ed. Teachers, SPED Teachers, EL Teachers

Location: Troy University Dothan Campus, Malone Hall, Room 106, 500 Univ. Drive, Dothan, AL

Description: Discover the transformative power of artificial intelligence in education with MagicSchool AI. This session will explore innovative ways to integrate AI tools into the classroom, enhancing both teaching and learning experiences. Participants will gain insights into how MagicSchool AI can personalize learning, automate administrative tasks, and provide real-time feedback, making education more efficient and engaging. Join me to learn how to harness the potential of AI to create a dynamic and interactive educational environment.

Consultants: Dr. Charisse Snell, Alabama Technology in Motion Specialist, Troy University, Troy, AL

Title: TU-RIC Empowering Elementary Teachers: Integrating AI Tools for Teaching All Subjects

Date: July 8, 2025

Time: 8:30 AM—2:30 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329810

Section: 527532

Grade Levels: K-6

Audience: General Ed. Teachers, SPED Teachers, EL Teachers

Location: Troy University Dothan Campus, Malone Hall, Room 106, 500 Univ. Drive, Dothan, AL

Description: This session is designed to provide elementary educators with practical strategies for incorporating artificial intelligence (AI) into their teaching practices. Participants will explore how AI can enhance learning experiences across Math, Science, Social Studies, and English Language Arts. Through hands-on activities and collaborative discussions, educators will gain valuable insights into leveraging AI to personalize instruction and foster critical thinking skills in their students.

Consultants: Dr. Charisse Snell, Alabama Technology in Motion Specialist, Troy University, Troy, AL



TECHNOLOGY

Title: TU-RIC Ethical Considerations of AI: A Guide for Elementary Teachers

Date: July 10, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM—1:00 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329795

Section: 527516

Grade Levels: K– 6

Audience: General Ed. Teachers, SPED Teachers, EL Teachers

Location: Troy University Dothan Campus, Malone Hall, Room 106, 500 Univ. Drive, Dothan, AL

Description: As artificial intelligence becomes increasingly integrated into education, it's essential for educators to understand the ethical implications. This session will provide elementary teachers with a comprehensive guide to navigating the ethical landscape of AI in the classroom. Participants will explore topics such as data privacy, bias in AI algorithms, and the responsible use of AI tools. Through discussions and practical examples, teachers will learn how to foster a safe and ethical learning environment for their students. Join me to ensure that AI is used responsibly and ethically in your teaching practices.

Consultants: Dr. Charisse Snell, Alabama Technology in Motion Specialist, Troy University, Troy, AL

Title: TU-RIC Integrating Coding into Elementary Math: A Hands-On Approach

Date: June 12, 2025

Time: 8:30 AM—2:30 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329813

Section: 527535

Grade Levels: K-6

Audience: General Ed. Teachers, SPED Teachers, EL Teachers

Location: Troy University Dothan Campus, Malone Hall, Room 106, 500 Univ. Drive, Dothan, AL

Description: Unlock the potential of coding to enhance elementary math education with this interactive session. Designed for educators, this workshop will demonstrate practical strategies for incorporating coding activities into math lessons. Participants will engage in hands-on exercises that illustrate how coding can reinforce mathematical concepts, foster problem-solving skills, and make learning math more engaging and fun for young students. Join me to discover innovative ways to blend coding and math, and leave with ready-to-use activities that you can implement in your classroom.

Consultants: Dr. Charisse Snell, Alabama Technology in Motion Specialist, Troy University, Troy, AL



TECHNOLOGY

Title: TU-RIC Building Computational Thinking Skills in K-3 Science: A Hands-On Approach

Date: July 15, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM—1:00 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329825

Section: 527536

Grade Levels: K– 3

Audience: General Ed. Teachers, SPED Teachers, EL Teachers

Location: Troy University Dothan Campus, Malone Hall, Room 106, 500 Univ. Drive, Dothan, AL

Description: Empower young learners with essential computational thinking skills through engaging science activities. This hands-on session is designed for K-3 educators looking to integrate computational thinking into their science curriculum. Participants will explore practical methods to teach problem-solving, pattern recognition, and logical reasoning using age-appropriate science experiments and projects. By the end of the workshop, teachers will have a toolkit of activities that make learning science interactive and fun, while laying the foundation for computational thinking. Join me to inspire curiosity and critical thinking in your students through innovative science education.

Consultants: Dr. Charisse Snell, Alabama Technology in Motion Specialist, Troy University, Troy, AL

Title: TU-RIC Computational Thinking in the Pre-K Classroom

Date: July 17, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM—1:00 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 329816

Section: 527539

Grade Levels: Pre-K

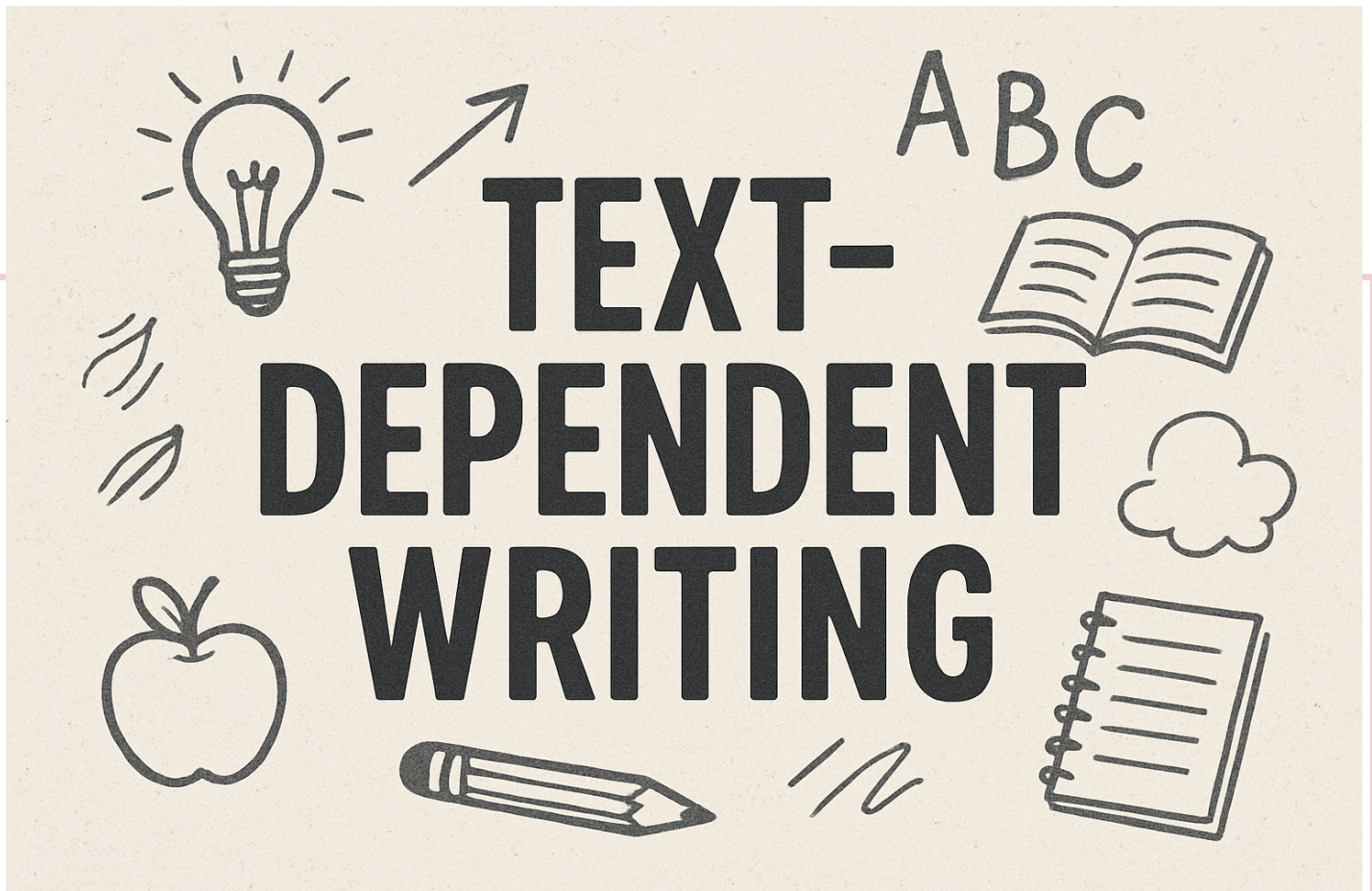
Audience: General Ed. Teachers, SPED Teachers, EL Teachers

Location: Troy University Dothan Campus, Malone Hall, Room 106, 500 Univ. Drive, Dothan, AL

Description: Join me for an engaging and interactive session designed to empower Pre-K teachers with the tools and knowledge to integrate computational thinking skills into their classrooms.

“Computational Thinking in the Pre-K Classroom” will introduce you to the fundamental concepts of computational thinking and provide practical strategies for teaching these skills to young learners.

Consultants: Dr. Charisse Snell, Alabama Technology in Motion Specialist, Troy University, Troy, AL



Title: TU RIC Text -Dependent Writing Strategies

Date: July 18, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM

PowerSchool PD Course: 330233

Section: 528496

Grade Levels: K-12

Audience: K-12 Teachers & Instructional Leaders

Location: TROY University Extended Learning Center, Room 117, 11010 S. Brundidge Street, Troy, AL

Description: Learn to implement text-dependent writing into your lessons by using different strategies that engage and meet the needs of all students.

Consultant: Margaret Folmar, Wiregrass Writing Project Teacher Consultant, Troy University, Troy, AL



Title: TU RIC Tier 2 Instruction in the Secondary Classroom

Date: July 30, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

PowerSchool PD Course: 330683

Section: 529640

Grade Levels: 6-12

Audience: 6-12 Teachers & Instructional Leaders

Location: TROY University Dothan Campus, Malone Hall, Harrison Room, 500 Univ Dr., Dothan, AL

Description: Tier 2 Instruction is a targeted support model designed to meet the needs of students who require additional academic intervention beyond core instruction. This interactive professional development workshop is designed to deepen educators' understanding of Tier 2 instruction within a secondary classroom setting. Participants will explore practical strategies for identifying students in need of targeted intervention, designing responsive small-group instruction, and integrating Tier 2 supports.

Consultant: Dr. Robin Bynum, Executive Director of Educational Outreach, College of Education, Troy University, Troy, AL

Youth Mental Health First Aid

Title: TU-RIC Youth Mental Health First Aid

Date: July 31, 2025

Time: 8:30 AM—4:00 PM

PowerSchool PD- Course: 330324

Section: 528654

Grade Levels: 6-12

Audience: 6-12 Teachers, 6-12 Instructional Leaders

Location: Troy University Dothan Campus 500 University Drive, Dothan, AL Malone Hall, Harrison Room

Description: Youth Mental Health First Aid is a skills-based training that teaches parents, family members, caregivers, teachers, school staff, peers, neighbors and health and human services workers and any other citizen how to identify, understand and respond to an adolescent (ages 12-18) who may be experiencing a mental health or substance use challenge.

Consultants: Tracey Goreed, Education Specialist, Instructional Services, Alabama State Department of Education



Who should attend:

- educators across all disciplines K-16
- instructional coaches
- administrators.

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Invitational Summer Institute

The Wiregrass Writing Project (WWP) provides professional development, develops resources, generates research, and acts on knowledge to improve the teaching of writing and learning in schools and communities. We believe that teachers are key to helping other teachers; therefore, we believe strongly in the concept of teachers teaching teachers. During our Invitational Summer Institute, participants focus on the following activities:

- writing and responding to a variety of genres
- developing and presenting successful writing lessons to use in their classrooms
- studying the best practices and theories in the teaching of writing
- reading and responding to research on the teaching of writing
- developing professional development activities to present in area schools
- and collecting resources to share with local schools/districts.

2025 Institute Schedule:

- May 9-10, 2025 – Face-to-Face, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM, Troy University, Dothan Campus, Dothan, AL
- June 3-5, 2025 – Virtual, 2:00 PM – 5:00 PM
- June 10-12, 2025 – Virtual, 2:00 PM – 5:00 PM
- June 24-26, 2025 – Virtual, 2:00 PM – 5:00 PM

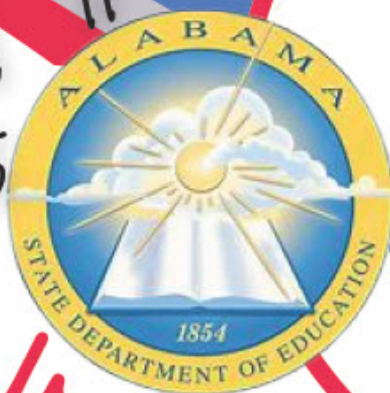
June 6, 13, and 27, 2025, will be face-to-face and held on the Troy University Troy Campus, Troy, AL, from 8:30 AM to 3:30 PM.

All educators across the disciplines, K-16, are eligible to attend the 20-day Summer Institute and may register and pay college credit (EDU 6672) or receive professional development contact hours.

Each individual will receive a \$400 stipend for his/her participation in the 20-day Summer Institute. Enrollment is limited to 10 participants.

To receive additional information or to apply to participate in this professional development opportunity, complete the online interest form at <http://c1.livetext.com/misk5/formz/public/106089/nrKhmpZVNj>

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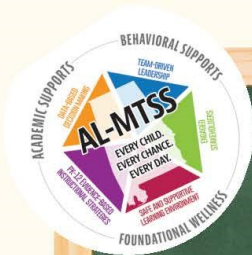
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