

# 2019-2020 Online Book Study Courses

**Audience:** K-12 teachers, especially those teachers who need professional development hours to meet the operating standards to service gifted students

Districts are encouraged to register a group of teachers to collaborate in this online learning experience. Participants will earn 15 hours that can count for this year or upcoming years' requirements for teachers who serve gifted students.

## Course Objectives

- Acquire specific strategies that allow for differentiation of instructional materials and content
- Examine practices that promote student engagement and critical thinking

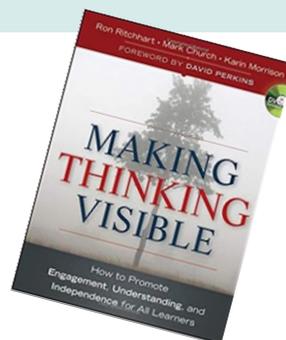
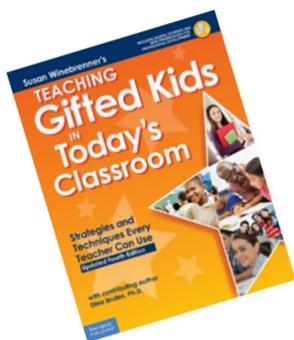
## Course Overview

- Each book study is a 6 week online course using Google classroom to facilitate weekly discussions.
- Participants will complete weekly reading assignments and answer questions as well as respond to colleagues in the group discussion.

*Teaching Gifted Kids in Today's Classroom, 4th Edition*  
By Susan Winebrenner  
(Free Spirit, 2012)

### Course Options

October 14 - November 24  
February 3 - March 22



*Making Thinking Visible* By  
Ron Ritchhart, Mark Church,  
and Karin Morrison  
(Jossey-Bass, 2011)

### Course Options

December 2 - January 26  
(No assignments weeks  
12/23, 12/30)  
April 6 - May 16

**Facilitator:** Amy Cruse, ESC of Northeast Ohio Curriculum & Instruction Consultant

**Cost:** \$30.00 per person per course

Participant is responsible for purchase of book

**Contact Hours:** 15

1 graduate credit hour at a reduced rate available through Ashland University

**REGISTRATION:** Registration located on our website at [www.escneo.org](http://www.escneo.org) PD/Calendar of Events

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