

# Face to Face Professional Development Session

## Creating a Culture for Disciplinary Literacy

December 8, 2021 *OR* January 25, 2022

Time: 9:00 am—3:00 pm

Location: ESC of Northeast Ohio  
6393 Oak Tree Blvd.  
Independence OH 44131

Based on the work of several national literacy experts, participants of this workshop will gain both a conceptual understanding of disciplinary literacy as well as content-specific classroom practices and resources to advance purposeful reading, writing, and discussion of complex text in grades 4-12.

Participants are asked to bring a content-specific article (or other type of non-textbook reading sample) that would challenge students but also enhance a particular unit of study.

Register through the ODE OH | ID portal:  
<https://safe.ode.state.oh.us/portal>

**Contact Hours: 5.0**



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## Adolescent Literacy Series



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# Virtual Professional Development Sessions (all sessions held virtual via Zoom)



## Leading Adolescent Literacy at the School Level

**November 2, 2021**

Time: 10:00 am—12:00 pm

Location: Virtual via Zoom

**Leading Adolescent Literacy at the School Level** is designed for secondary principals and members of building leadership teams. Participants will gain an understanding of adolescent literacy as an essential element for college and career readiness in the 21st century. Participants also will receive resources designed to assess and enhance evidence-based literacy practices in their schools. Proven literacy leadership approaches used to dramatically transform low-performing schools into nationally recognized schools also will be discussed.

Zoom Registration Link: <https://tinyurl.com/ZoomLiteracy11221>

Professional Development  
Contact Hours for all  
virtual sessions: **2.0**

## Instructional Routines and frameworks to Support Successful Adolescent Literacy Instruction

**December 14, 2021**

Time: 10:00 am—12:00 pm

Location: Virtual via Zoom

**Instructional Routines and Frameworks to Support Successful Adolescent Literacy Instruction.** Unlike elementary schools, the structures of secondary schools have traditionally not been designed to support universal literacy instruction. This session will explore the benefits of implementing school-wide instructional routines within common instructional frameworks as a means of advancing the evidence-based practices of adolescent literacy.

Zoom Registration Link: <https://escneo.zoom.us/meeting/register/>

## Beyond Textbooks: Incorporating Complexity and Adolescent Evidence-Based Practices Through Text Sets

**January 18, 2022**

Time: 10:00 am—12:00 pm

Location: Virtual via Zoom

**Beyond Textbooks: Incorporating Complexity and Adolescent Evidence-Based Practices Through Text Sets.** At the root of the grades 6-12 literacy standards and adolescent evidence-based practices is a focus on complex text. Text sets can serve as a means for scaffolding complex text for all learners while also building background knowledge, vocabulary, comprehension, and motivation for literacy tasks. Frameworks for creating text sets will be presented as well as resources for accessing existing text sets.

Zoom Registration Link: <https://tinyurl.com/ZoomLiteracy11822>

## Motivating and Engaging Adolescents in Literacy Learning

**March 15, 2022**

Time: 10:00 am—12:00 pm

Location: Virtual via Zoom

**Motivating and Engaging Adolescents in Literacy Learning** is not only one of the Big Ideas of Secondary Reading, it is a recommended evidence-based practice for classroom instruction (I.E.S. Practice Guide, 2008). Participants will examine the alarming research regarding older student's disengagement with school, and recommended practices for enhancing intrinsic student motivation and engagement in literacy tasks.

Zoom Registration Link: <https://tinyurl.com/ZoomLiteracy31522>

