CORE Professional Development

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SUMMER 2024 - CHRONOLOGICAL LISTINGS
July 1, 2024 – August 31, 2024

Full course descriptions are available on our website:
http://www.corepdcourses.org/course-descriptions.html

CORE Professional Development proudly announces the addition of a new type of P.D. learning.
We are introducing **VIRTUAL SYNCHRONOUS HYBRID CLASSES**.
Going forward, we will be offering courses in these formats:

1) **Virtual Synchronous Hybrid Classes:** *In Google Meets or Zoom Classrooms. Includes written assignments and oral presentations. (3 in-service credits and/or 45 CTLE hours)*
2) **Online:** *Fully online classes with written assignments and projects. (3 in-service credits and/or 45 CTLE hours)*
3) **Next Generation Workshops:** *Fully online workshops in four areas: ELA, Social Studies, Mathematics and Science. (1 in-service credit and/or 15 CTLE hours)*

IN-SERVICE COURSES
Please pre-register for all classes. We recommend getting district approval prior to registration.

VIRTUAL SYNCHRONOUS HYBRID COURSES *(In Google Meets or Zoom Classrooms)*
LIMIT: 8 Participants

PLEASE CHECK WEBSITE SCHEDULE FOR CLOSED CLASSES

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: July 1, 2, 3…….8 am – 1 pm *(All Work Due by July 17, 2024)* **MORNINGS**
    "The Changing Landscape of American Education: Meeting the Needs of All Students"
        Course #C185   *Instructor: Maryanne Edwards*

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: July 1, 2, 3…….5 pm – 10 pm *(All Work Due by July 17, 2024)* **EVENINGS**
    "Interdisciplinary Learning and Teaching: Developing Students' Critical Thinking and Cognitive Skills" *(Section 1)*
        Course #C318   *Instructor: Caryn Drezner*

Special Summer Saturday Morning Class
Saturdays: July 6, 13, 20…….8 am – 1 pm *(All Work Due by August 5, 2024)* **MORNINGS**
    "Ethics and Morality: Perspectives for Teachers and Counselors"
        Course #C138   *Instructor: Maryanne Edwards*

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: July 9, 10, 11…….8 am – 1 pm *(All Work Due by July 25, 2024)* **MORNINGS**
    "Literacy Instruction: Developing Reading and Writing Skills Across the Curriculum" *(Section 1)*
        Course #C304   *Instructor: Kara Cosolito*

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: July 8, 9, 10…….5 pm – 10 pm *(All Work Due by July 25, 2024)* **EVENINGS**
   "How Children Learn Best: Influence of Classroom Environment on Academic Performance"
      Course #C175   *Instructor: Maryanne Edwards*

Tuesday, Thursday, Tuesday: July 16, 18, 23…….8 am – 1 pm *(All Work Due by August 6, 2024)* **MORNINGS**
   "How to Reach At-Risk Students: Strategies for Teaching Academically Underprepared Learners"
      Course #C124   *Instructor: Judi Weissman*

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: July 16, 17, 18…….5 pm – 10 pm *(All Work Due by August 1, 2024)* **EVENINGS**
   "The Growth Mindset: Helping Students Understand the Value of Effort, Persistence and Challenges"
      Course #C266   *Instructor: Dr. Bernadette Weltsek*

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday: July 22, 24, 25…….8 am – 1 pm *(All Work Due by August 8, 2024)* **MORNINGS**
   "Learning and Teaching in Multicultural Schools: Understanding and Adapting to the Needs of Diverse Students"
      Course #C258   *Instructor: Maryanne Edwards*

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: July 23, 24, 25…….5 pm – 10 pm *(All Work Due by August 8, 2024)* **EVENINGS**
   "Meeting the Needs of ENL Students: Strategies for Teachers in All Subject Areas"
      Course #C136   *Instructor: Dr. Bernadette Weltsek*

Special Summer Friday Morning Class
Fridays: July 26, August 9, 16…….8 am – 1 pm *(All Work Due by August 30, 2024)* **MORNINGS**
   "Mental Health Issues in Children and Adolescents: Impact on Learning Readiness, Behavior and Achievement"
      Course #C280   *Instructor: Judi Weissman*

Tuesday, Thursday, Tuesday: July 30, August 1, 6…….5 pm – 10 pm *(All Work Due by August 20, 2024)* **EVENINGS**
   "Internet Safety, Cyber Bullying and Social Media: How Teachers and Schools Can Help Students Navigate Cyberspace"
      Course #C151   *Instructor: Dr. Judi Weissman*

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: August 5, 6, 7…….8 am – 1pm *(All Work Due by August 21, 2024)* **MORNINGS**
   "Mastery Learning: Strategies for Successful Student Performance in All Academic Areas"
      Course #C324   *Instructor: Caryn Drezner*   NEW COURSE!

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday: August 5, 7, 8…….5 pm – 10pm *(All Work Due by August 22, 2024)* **EVENINGS**
   "Raise Your Hand if You Love Grammar! How to Teach Grammar to Students in All Grades and Subject Areas"
      Course #C316 *Instructor: Kara Cosolito*   NEW COURSE!

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: August 12, 13, 14…….5 pm – 10 pm *(All Work Due by August 28, 2024)* **EVENINGS**
   "Mindfulness for Teachers and Students: Improving Cognitive Performance and Managing Stress"
      Course #C282   *Instructor: Dr. Bernadette Weltsek*

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: August 19, 20, 21…….8 am – 1 pm *(All Work Due by September 4, 2024)* **MORNINGS**
   "Interdisciplinary Learning and Teaching: Developing Students' Critical Thinking and Cognitive Skills" *(Section 2)*
      Course #C318   *Instructor: Caryn Drezner*

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: August 19, 20, 21…….5 pm – 10 pm *(All Work Due by September 4, 2024)* **EVENINGS**
   "Creating LGBT-Inclusive Classrooms and Curriculum: Deepening Understanding and Acceptance for All Students"
      Course #C264   *Instructor: Dr. Bernadette Weltsek*

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: August 26, 27, 28…….8 am – 1 pm *(All Work Due by September 10, 2024)* **MORNINGS**
   "Literacy Instruction: Developing Reading and Writing Skills Across the Curriculum" *(Section 2)*
      Course #C304   *Instructor: Kara Cosolito*

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: August 26, 27, 28…….5 pm – 10 pm *(All Work Due by September 10, 2024)* **EVENINGS**
   "Establishing Relationships in the School Community: How Teachers, Administrators and Parents Can Work Collaboratively to Enhance Student Performance"
      Course #C236   *Instructor: Maryanne Edwards*

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NEXT GENERATION ONLINE COURSES

EACH Next Generation online course is 1 in-service credit and/or 15 CTLE hours
Instructor: Margaret Mavros   See Link for More Information: https://www.corepdcourses.org/next-generation.html

Open Enrollment Period: July 1 – August 13

Course #NG1: Get Ready for Next Generation: ELA
　　　One-Credit online course for K-12 ELA teachers
Course #NG2: Get Ready for Next Generation: Mathematics
　　　One-Credit online course for K-12 Mathematics teachers
Course #NG3: Get Ready for Next Generation: Social Studies
　　　One-Credit online course for K-12 Social Studies teachers
Course #NG4: Get Ready for Next Generation: Science
　　　One-Credit online course for K-12 Science teachers

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ONLINE COURSES

July 1 – July 23
- **"Using Google Apps in the Classroom: Beginner to Intermediate"**
  Course #C102　*Instructor: Christopher Smith*
- **"Creativity in Every Classroom: Fostering a Love of Learning in All Students"**
  Course #C182　*Instructor: Howard Block*
- **"Digital Storytelling: Strengthening Students' Skills in Problem-Solving, Critical Thinking, Collaboration and the Writing Process"**　Course #C262　*Instructor: Danielle Roccisano*

July 2 – July 24
- **"Teacher Survival Guide: A Survey of Critical Concepts for Educators in All Subjects"**
  Course #C326　*Instructor: Mario Nardiello*　NEW COURSE!
- **"The Science of Reading: Understanding How We Read and Learn"**
  Course #C314　*Instructor: Thomas Sheehan*　NEW COURSE!
- **"Walking in Their Shoes: Understanding How Developmentally Disabled Students Learn, Think and Experience the World"**　Course #C298　*Instructor: Loni Stein*

July 3 – July 25
- **"Teacher Resilience: Cultivating Commitment and Passion for All Educators"**
  Course #C302　*Instructor: Dr. Bernadette Weltsek*
- **"How Parents Can Support Classroom Learning: Improving Communication to Foster Academic Success"**　Course #C292　*Instructor: Jessica Liakonis*　NEW COURSE!
- **"Spanish for Educators: Communicating with Students, Parents and Staff"**
  Course #C254　*Instructor: Rosa Malley*

July 8 – July 30
- **"Strategies for Effective Teacher Collaboration"**
  Course #C142　*Instructor: Andrew Frisch*
- **"Creating LGBT-Inclusive Classrooms and Curriculum: Deepening Understanding and Acceptance for All Students"**　Course #C264　*Instructor: Dr. Bernadette Weltsek*
- **"Literacy Instruction: Developing Reading and Writing Skills Across the Curriculum"**
  Course #C304　*Instructor: Kara Cosolito*

- **"Culturally Responsive Teaching: Supporting Cultural and Linguistic Diversity Across the Curriculum"**
  Course #C260   *Instructor: Stacey Kimbell*
- **"Exploring Happiness: Applications in the Field of Education"**
  Course #C334   *Instructor: Gail Leibert*   **NEW COURSE**
- **"Mindfulness for Teachers and Students: Improving Cognitive Performance and Managing Stress"**
  Course #C282   *Instructor: Dr. Bernadette Weltsek*

July 10 – August 1

- **"Close Reading Strategies: Supporting the New York State Learning Standards"**
  Course #C112   *Instructor: Dana Driscoll*
- **"The Power of Station Teaching: How Differentiation and Collaboration Improves Active Learning in All Grades and Content Areas"**   Course #C294   *Instructor: Thomas Sheehan*

July 15 – August 6

- **"Mastering Artificial Intelligence (AI): Empowering Educators for 21st Century Learning"**
  Course #C338   *Instructor: Danielle Roccisano*   **NEW COURSE!**
- **"Meeting the Needs of ENL Students: Strategies for Teachers in All Subject Areas"**
  Course #C136   *Instructor: Dr. Bernadette Weltsek*

July 16 – August 7

- **"Building Critical Thinking Skills in a Digital World"**
  Course #C164   *Instructor: Stacey Kimbell*
- **"Safe Students, Safe Faculty: Establishing Ethical and Legal Boundaries for Professionalism in Education"**
  Course #C230   *Instructor: Cindy Reide Combs*
- **"Virtual Field Trips: Explore the World from Your Classroom"**
  Course #C166   *Instructor: Margaret Mavros*

July 17 – August 8

- **"Using Mentor Texts to Teach Writing: Strengthening Skills and Igniting Imagination with Picture Books"**
  Course #C250   *Instructor: Jessica Liakonis*
- **"Education Reform in America Reshaping Schools, Instructional Strategies and Student Achievement"**
  Course #C208   *Instructor: Judi Weissman*

July 22 – August 13

- **"The Growth Mindset: Helping Students Understand the Value of Effort, Persistence and Challenges"**
  Course #C266   *Instructor: Dr. Bernadette Weltsek*
- **"Computer Skills and Multi-Disciplinary Instruction: How Technology Can Enrich Students and Education"**   Course #C128   *Instructor: Andrew Frisch*

July 23 – August 14

- **"Using Google Apps in the Classroom: Intermediate to Advanced"**
  Course #C180   *Instructor: Christopher Smith*
- **"Total Participation Strategies: Promoting Engagement and Understanding for All Learners"**
  Course #C212   *Instructor: Maryanne Edwards*

July 24 – August 15

- **"Interdisciplinary Learning and Teaching: Developing Students' Critical Thinking and Cognitive Skills"**
  Course #C318   *Instructor: Caryn Drezner*   <mark>NEW COURSE!</mark>
- **"Language and Cultural Barriers in Education"**
  Course #C184 *Instructor: Stacey Kimbell*

July 29 – August 20

- **"Walking in Their Shoes: Understanding How Developmentally Disabled Students Learn, Think and Experience the World"**   Course #C298   *Instructor: Loni Stein*
- **"Teaching Communication Skills in the 21st Century"**
  Course #C238   *Instructor: Margaret Mavros*
- **"Using Google Apps in the Classroom: Beginner to Intermediate"**
  Course #C102   *Instructor: Christopher Smith*

July 30 – August 21

- **"Examining Diversity in Our Schools: Promoting Cultural Awareness and Maintaining High Expectations for All Students"**   Course #C154   *Instructor: Judi Weissman*
- **"Strengthening the Home-School Connection: Using Technology to Create Positive Relationships with Students and Their Families"** Course #C243   *Instructor: Andrew Frisch*

July 31 – August 22

- **"Flipped Classrooms: Transforming and Enhancing Traditional Instruction"**
  Course #C270   *Instructor: Danielle Roccisano*
- **"Ethics and Morality: Perspectives for Teachers and Counselors"**
  Course #C138   *Instructor: Maryanne Edwards*
- **"The Science of Reading: Understanding How We Read and Learn"**
  Course #C314   *Instructor: Thomas Sheehan*   <mark>NEW COURSE</mark>

August 1 – August 26

- **"Mindfulness for Teachers and Students: Improving Cognitive Performance and Managing Stress"**
  Course #C282   *Instructor: Dr. Bernadette Weltsek*
- **"Aligning Formative Assessment Strategies to Standards-Based Learning"**
  Course #C106   *Instructor: Stacey Kimbell*
- **"Fostering Executive Function Skills in All Grades and Subject Areas"**
  Course #C306   *Instructor: Margaret Mavros*   <mark>NEW COURSE!</mark>

August 5 – August 27

- **"Exploring Happiness: Applications in the Field of Education"**
  Course #C334 *Instructor: Gail Leibert*   <mark>NEW COURSE</mark>
- **"Blended Learning: How Student-Centered Learning Can Enhance Traditional Instruction"**
  Course #C274   *Instructor: Jessica Liakonis*
- **"Spanish for Educators: Communicating with Students, Parents and Staff"**
  Course #C254   *Instructor: Rosa Malley*

August 6 – August 28

- **"Real World Teaching: The Importance of Bringing Relevance to 21st Century Classrooms"**
  Course #C332   *Instructor: Mario Nardiello*   <mark>NEW COURSE!</mark>
- **"Closing the Achievement Gap: Examining Disparities in Education"**
  Course #C226   *Instructor: Stacey Kimbell*

- **"Raise Your Hand if You Love Grammar! How to Teach Grammar to Student in All Grades and Subject Areas"**   Course #C316   *Instructor: Kara Cosolito*
- **"Dealing with Difficult Students: How Crisis Intervention Can Keep Schools Safe and Help Students Succeed"**   Course #C110   *Instructor: Cindy Reide Combs*
- **"Using Google Apps in the Classroom: Intermediate to Advanced"**
        Course #C180   *Instructor: Christopher Smith*

August 8 – August 31

- **"Mastery Learning: Strategies for Successful Student Performance in All Academic Areas"**
        Course #C324   *Instructor: Caryn Drezner*   **NEW COURSE!**
- **"Fanning the Flames: Igniting Creativity and Innovation in Every Classroom"**
        Course #C272   *Instructor: Maryanne Edwards*

August 12 – August 29   **ACCELERATED END-OF-SEMESTER CLASSES!

- **"How Social Influences Impact Learning Readiness in Educational Environments"**
        Course #C140   *Instructor: Stacey Kimbell*
- **"Creativity in Every Classroom: Fostering a Love of Learning in All Students"**
         Course #C182   *Instructor: Howard Block*
- **"Content Area Reading: Strategies to Engage Learners in All Subjects"**
        Course #C178   *Instructor: Margaret Mavros*

August 13 – August 30   **ACCELERATED END-OF-SEMESTER CLASSES!

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- **"The Power of Station Teaching: How Differentiation and Collaboration Improves Active Learning in All Grades and Content Areas"**   Course #C294   *Instructor: Thomas Sheehan*
- **"Coding Across the Curriculum: How Computer Programming Can Maximize Problem-Solving Skills and Student Engagement"** Course #C234   *Instructor: Andrew Frisch*

August 14 – August 31   **ACCELERATED END-OF-SEMESTER CLASSES!

- **"Next Generation Learning Standards: Teaching Students with Learning Disabilities"**
        Course #C150   *Instructor: Margaret Mavros*
- **"Academic Rigor and Student Engagement: Classroom Practices for Effective Teaching"**
         Course #C104   *Instructor: Dr. Bernadette Weltsek*
- **"Using Evidence-Based Teaching to Raise Standards and Strengthen Instructional Practices"**
        Course #C224   *Instructor: Stacey Kimbell*

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