



This training is presented by the CESA 6 Literacy Center

Literacy Leaders' Network 2014-2015

A set of 4 network meetings:
September 18, November 13, 2014; February 24, May, 14 2015;

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Description: This year's network meetings will be based on Regie Routman's latest book, *Read, Write, Lead* (ASCD, 2014). Each member will receive a book. Literacy leadership capacity will be built through three structures:

Knowledge Café: Knowledge Café is an effective vehicle for opening up conversations and discussions that lead to a deeper understanding of literacy and leadership issues that in turn leads to improved decision making, new ways of working and innovation. Prior to each meeting, network members request topics/issues at the Knowledge Café. CESA 6 provides the background research and brings the top knowledge to the table. Network members use those resources and their colleagues to grow shared knowledge and gain a deeper collective understanding – through conversation.

Staff Development Suitcases: Together, network members will increase literacy knowledge on a specific topic identified as important and urgent by their building's teachers. Using templates for PD intended for 20 minutes, 45 minutes, and 2 hours; as well as a set of online resources, members will collaboratively design the details of PD specific for a grade level or grade level band. Completed suitcases will be available on the network's Moodle.

Individualized Support: The greatest benefits of the network are the vast opportunities to collaboratively problem solve and increase shared knowledge. At times, the uniqueness of needs, personalities, and circumstances require individualized support. Each meeting is designed to allow for scheduled, face-to-face meetings with a Literacy Center Coordinator. That support continues after the meeting via electronic communication.

Registration Details

- **Date:** September 18, November 13, 2014; February 24, and May 14, 2015
- **Registration Fee:** \$250 per person; Includes materials.
- **Time:** 12:30 - 3:30 p.m.
- **Onsite check-in:** 12:15 - 12:30 p.m.
- **Location:** CESA 6 Conference Center 2300 State Road 44, Oshkosh WI 54903
- **Registration Deadline:** September 12, 2014
- **Online registration:** http://www.cesa6.k12.wi.us/prof_dev/

Who should attend: Reading specialists, literacy coaches, principals, curriculum directors, and all who support teachers as literacy leaders.

For additional information contact: CESA 6 Literacy Center: 920.236.0562

Cancellation Policy: Any registration cancellation must be received 48 hours before the scheduled date for a refund to be issued. Because attendance at most sessions is limited, persons registering and not in attendance on the day of the session will be charged the full registration fee. CESA 6 reserved the right to cancel any session due to insufficient enrollment. Participants will be notified by email or phone if a cancellation occurs.

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Participant Name(s)

Position(s)

District

Phone (Work)

(Home)

Would you like to be notified by email of future CESA 6 training sessions? Yes No

Email Address

Special accommodations or dietary needs

To Register: Go to http://www.cesa6.k12.wi.us/prof_dev/ or send completed form to:
Mary Ann Schwandt, Program Assistant, CESA 6, 2935 Universal Court, Oshkosh, WI 54904,
Phone: 920-236-0562; Fax: 920-424-3478

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