

CESA 5's Instructional Technology Services presents an
online class for educators...



*Thinkfinity for
Wisconsin Educators*

**Wednesday, January 12
through
Tuesday, March 8, 2011**

online class available 24 / 7

— optional two credits from Viterbo University —

Facilitator: Susan Fulks

Registration Deadline:
Tuesday, January 4, 2011

CESA 5 Instructional Technology Services
Attn: Janet Gaber
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Thinkfinity for Wisconsin Educators

Who: K-12 teachers and other interested educators

When: January 12 - March 8, 2011
Online class using Moodle
available 24/7 with weekly assignments and discussions

Description:

Participants in this eight-week online course will explore in depth the Verizon Thinkfinity web site (<http://www.thinkfinity.org>) and the nine partner web sites to find standards-based Internet resources for the classroom. They will develop a list of online resources appropriate for their classroom and professional development. They will take part in guided practice using advanced search strategies and will critically evaluate lessons and resources for the quality appropriate for 21st Century skills. They will discuss best practice examples and methodologies for assessing the impact of these resources on instruction. Participants will use their new knowledge to develop integration plans and curriculum units that incorporate Thinkfinity resources and high quality content into their teaching repertoire. Unit plans will include a plan for both formative and summative assessments. Unit plans and reflections will be due one week following the conclusion of the online class. This class will address Wisconsin Teacher Standards #1, #2, #3, #4, #6, #7, and #8.

Note: An optional introductory online session via GoToMeeting will be scheduled for Wednesday, January 12th (4:00-6:00 p.m.) for those participants who are unfamiliar with Moodle or who would prefer to get a head start on the Week 1 activities.

Viterbo Credit Option: An optional two graduate credits from Viterbo University will be available for \$180. Viterbo enrollment forms and payment will be collected during the first week of class.

Questions on the Class ?

contact Susan Fulks 608/742-8814, ext. 229
fulkss@cesa5.k12.wi.us

or Janet Gaber 608/742-8814, ext. 277
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Registrations for this class will be taken via the online CESA workshop portal at <http://www.myQuickReg.com>. First time users are asked to fill out an online registration form so that they can register for this and other CESA 5 workshops.

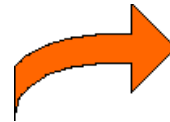
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CESA 5 Course Registration Fee: \$ 175 **

- ** Course costs are partially subsidized by D.P.I. through a Verizon Thinkfinity training grant.
- ** Purchase order or check for payment of CESA 5 course registration fee should be submitted to CESA 5, Attn. Janet Gaber, by Monday, January 10.
- ** **Discounted CESA 5 fee of \$100** for educators who register by Monday, December 20th from Ed Tech Consortium and full-service ITSS districts:

Adams-Friendship	Montello	Port Edwards	Sauk
Almond-Bancroft	Necedah	Portage	Prairie
Auburndale	Nekoosa	Poynette	Waupaca
Cambria-Friesland	New Lisbon	Princeton	Westfield
Columbus	Pardeeville	Randolph	Wild Rose
Lodi	Pittsville	Rio	Wisconsin
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Registration Deadlines:

- Monday, December 20 - final day for teachers from above districts to receive a discounted CESA 5 fee
- Tuesday, January 4 - class registration deadline
- Monday, January 10 - CESA 5 registration fees due

Registration for this course is limited to twenty.

If the course is full and you would like to be placed on a waiting list, please email your name, school, and district to Janet Gaber at gaberj@cesa5.k12.wi.us. Any registration cancellation must be received 3 working days before the scheduled start date for a refund to be issued. CESA 5 reserves the right to cancel any session due to insufficient enrollment. Participants will be notified by email or phone.