



STC will be offering this special workshop series meet a variety of professional learning needs within our school communities.

- These are 3 hour individual workshops, (not 15 hour course) that still meet the rigor for content to meet NYS Professional Development Credit for CTLE (Continuing Teacher Leadership Education) Credit.
- Full participation is expected to receive credit; completion certificates will be given at the end of the workshop.
 - This series of programming is free and open to anyone regardless of school affiliation.
 - Workshops require prior registration to attend and a refundable \$15 deposit*

To register please go to: www.southtownteacherscenter.org/course-catalog

ALL WORKSHOPS WILL BE AT BIG TREE ELEMENTARY IN THE LIBRARY MEDIA CENTER FROM 4-7 PM

09 OCTOBER –Jackie Gow

10 Mindframes for Visible Learning: Teaching for Success

This workshop will be based on the practical guide, 10 Mind -frames for Visible Learning, from John Hattie and Klaus Zierer. Ten behaviors or mindframes will be defined to maximize student success. How we think about the impact of what we do is more important than what we do!

This workshop is designed for classroom teachers, special education teachers, literacy and math specialists, and any teacher interested in taking a closer look at how to make a lasting impact on students.

23 OCTOBER–Jackie Gow

Visible Learning for Literacy: Implementing Practices that Work Best to Accelerate Student Learning.

This workshop is based on a synthesis of 15 years of research and text by John Hattie, Visible Learning for Literacy. Teachers will affirm literacy practices that ensure student growth and are “visible” to see: their purpose clear, implementation at the right moment in student’s learning, and effect is tangible.

Following this workshop, teachers may want to engage in a book study with colleagues for deeper learning and implementation of practices.

18 NOVEMBER–Nicole Dayka & Jillian Accurso

Let’s Talk About Youth Mental Health

We will talk about common mental health challenges that affect our youth. We will talk about depression, anxiety, substance use disorder and mental health issues. Also go over crisis and non-crisis situations that may come up. This workshop will focus on day to day interventions that might arise in various environments. Class will include who to go to for support along with community resources for the everyday person.

13 JANUARY–Lisa LaRusso

The Quick & Dirty “Shake Up Learning: Practical Ideas to Move Learning from Static to Dynamic” Toolbox for Educators

This course will offer some of Kaey Bell’s best strategies to help move your classroom from static teaching to dynamic learning. This “book study” overview will help you with implementation of using technology in your classroom, provide helpful tips and tricks to help you become dynamic and shake up learning in your classroom. *Participants do not need to own or have read the book, Shake Up Learning: Practical Ideas to Move Learning from Static to Dynamic, however it may help you get more from the workshop.*

11 MARCH–Kim Mattioli

Get Comfortable with Flexible Seating

Flexible seating benefits are profound, due to the fact that the classroom is reorganized to make it more student-centered. This non-traditional style of seating can transform your classroom into a highly functional space where students feel supported and understood. This is an exciting change that any educator can implement in their space, even on a budget, and with the right foundational rule, flexible seating is something that can improve your learning environment. Go ahead, get comfortable with flexible seating and introduce these changes and be ready to see the benefit!

Due to the great response we had last year, we are offering another workshop on this subject

09 April–Lisa LaRusso

Google Slides Boot Camp

Learn the basics of Google Slides and beyond! Learn how to create or enhance your presentation skills with the latest tips and tricks in Google Slides. Did you know that Google Slides is for more than presentations? Get acquainted with some fun tips and tricks that can help you create interactive learning experiences, create images, e-books, insert audio, charts, diagrams and more!

DEPOSIT POLICY: One \$15 deposit is required within 7 days of your reservation for the series, regardless of how many workshops you register for. Deposits not received in this time will result in being dropped. Deposits will be processed for payment if: You are a no show or You fail to notify us withdraw less than 3 days prior to the workshop. If we have to cash your deposit, you will need to provide a new one to keep any future workshop registrations in place. We accept Checks or Credit Cards