



Professional Learning Courses

STC will continue with a format of Synchronous/Asynchronous courses this year, as well as some face-to-face options. Delivery method will be indicated. To register for a course using a Google Classroom platform, you will need a personal gmail account. They are free and easy to set up. A school or college email will block access to Classroom. The registration form will indicate if this is needed.

STC Courses for 2024-25 !
STC Courses will have a \$15 Registration Fee
Payable by cash, check, credit card
or a Hamburg CSD Prior Approval form
***Late cancellation/No Shows will be Charged \$15**

Fine Print

In the Fall fees will be at a reduced rate for 2024-2025 school year at just \$1/credit hour. Payment required prior to course start. Unpaid spots will be released.

Your registration fee will be forfeit for cancellations received **less than 5 days from start date.** No Shows will be charged the \$15 as well.

Space is limited. We will create a wait list if there is enough interest.

Completion of all work as well as attendance to the synchronous sessions is required to receive full credit.

Participants must have video enabled for the duration of synchronous sessions

All courses are CTLE eligible, unless otherwise indicated.

Courses that have been pre-approved for pro-growth by Frontier/Hamburg will be noted. You are responsible for any prior approval forms your district requires.

Register online:
southtownteacherscenter.org

Book Study with the Author

The Classroom of Choice 100+ Strategies to Reach and Teach Every Learner, 2nd edition

Target Audience: Teachers, Administrators, Social Workers/Counselors

Category: Content, Instructional Strategies, Instructional Best Practices

Approvals: Frontier Pro-Growth/ Frontier Tenure Elective and Hamburg Pro-Growth/Tenure Elective

Fee: \$15

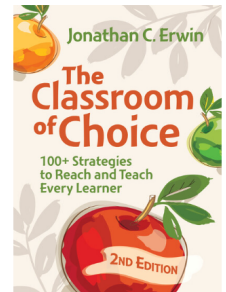
Hours: 15 Hours

Instructor(s):

Time: 4:00- 6:30p.m. Synchronous Zoom meetings on March 3 and March 31 Balance of hours asynchronous in Google Classroom

Dates: Mondays March 3-March 31

Registration Open



In this book with the author, you will gain a compelling rationale for addressing students' intrinsic motivation and learn specific strategies you can use immediately to address the 5 components in intrinsic motivation in the classroom-giving students what they need and getting what you want - a safe, connected, empowered, and joyful learning environment.

Books provided to the first 12 participants.

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Register online for these workshops at
www.southtownteacherscenter.org/course-catalog



Creating a Visual Learning Classroom

Target Audience: Teachers K-12

Category: Instructional Strategies, Best Practices, Classroom Management

Approvals: Frontier Pro-Growth/ (Frontier Tenure Elective Hamburg Pro-Growth/Tenure Elective

Fee: \$15

Hours: 15 Hours

Instructor(s): Addie Sausner

Time: 4:15-5:15 pm Synchronous Zoom meeting and 10 hours of asynchronous work

Dates: Thursdays March 6, 13, 20, 27 April 3

Registration: Open now

Visible Learning is a ground-breaking concept by education researcher John Hattie that states that learning must be seen and obviously, not assumed. To Achieve this, participants will learn how to use learning intentions and success criteria in the classroom to increase student achievement. Participants will learn about various visible learning strategies that can be used across all content areas. By the end of the course, participants will have a toolkit of ready to use strategies for learning and engagement.

Breaking Barriers in The Classroom: Implicit Bias, Stereotypes and Micro-aggressions

Target Audience: Teachers K-12, Social Workers/ Counselors, Administrators

Category: Best Professional Practice, Differentiation, Instructional

Approvals: Frontier Pro-Growth/Hamburg Pro-Growth

Fee: \$15

Hours: 15 Hours

Instructor(s): Annette Baldwin & Joe Winiiecki

Time: 4:15-5:45p.m. Synchronous Zoom meeting and 7.5 hours asynchronous work

Approvals: Hamburg Tenure Elective Frontier Pro-Growth Tenure Elective

Dates: Mondays, March 3, 10, 17 & 24

Registration Open

Learn how to promote social unity and increase cultural awareness in your school and community by attending this new NYSUT workshop and course for members and local affiliates. The goal is to bridge cultural divides and make our schools and communities more welcoming and inclusive places for people of all abilities and backgrounds by helping participants see beyond their own personal worldviews.

TEACHER AIDE

COURSE

Behavior Strategies for Teacher Aides/ Assistants Book Study Course Teacher Aides (HAMBURG)

Category: Classroom management/special education

Approvals: Hamburg Required Course for Das

Fee: waived with prior approval from district

Hours: 15 Hours

Instructor(s): Jessica Dollendorf

Dates: Mondays March 3, 10, 17 & 24 (4 sessions)

Time: 4:30-5:45p.m. Synchronous online via Google Meet 10 Hours guided independent work. You must attend all sessions and complete all assignments. Make Up sessions will not be possible.

Books will be sent to your school prior to the start date.

“Education paraprofessionals are often tasked with handling a variety of challenging behaviors. Paraprofessionals provide support to students with special needs, and act as extra staff in classrooms for students with emotional and behavioral difficulties and performing a variety of important duties that require skill in preventing and managing behavior.”

In this course, participants will read the book Behavior Support Strategies for Education Paraprofessionals by Will Henson, PsyD., as well as supplemental articles provided by the instructor. Each week the instructor will facilitate a discussion on the readings and allow participants to share their experiences, challenges, and successes with each other. Written reflections will also be assigned.

The instructor will share the reading schedule and provide review the procedure for asynchronous work. The book will be provided for you to borrow. You will need to have access to a device for Google Meets/ Zoom and to receive and submit assignments.

**TENURE REQUIRED COURSE
HAMBURG/FRONTIER**

Creating the Learning Environment

Approvals:Hamburg Required Course for Tenure
Frontier Teachers seeking tenure must take either
this course or Understanding Learning

Fee: \$15

Hours: 15 Hours

Instructor(s):Laura Glista/Lynn Sullivan

Dates:March 11, 25, April 1, 8, 22 (NO CLASS 4/18)

Time: 4:15-5:45 p.m. Synchronous online via ZOOM

7.5 Hours guided independent work. You must
attend all sessions and complete all assignments.
Make Up sessions will not be possible.

This updated, research-based course based on Robert
Marzano’s books, *The Dimensions of Learning* and *The
Art and Science of Teaching* is designed to help
teachers establish an orderly and safe classroom
environment that makes students feel welcome,
accepted and valued; thereby enhancing their learning.
Strategies for implementing rules and procedures,
building relationships with students, communicating high
expectations, and using engagement techniques will be
the focus of this course. Teachers will learn the most up
to date techniques to teach in a way that draws from the
past, is rooted in the present while keeping an eye on
the future. Each teacher must discover what works best
for him or her and make it their own.

*If you pre-registered for this course, you will be
automatically added to the roster. We will send a
confirmation. No need to register again.*



Upcoming for Spring Session 5

Awaken Creativity in Your Classroom (April)

Learn to put Canva, Cricut and other applications to use
in your classroom. Hands-on course with practical days
to make items for your classroom.

Understanding Learning will be offered either this
session or in the summer depending on instructor
availability

*We are working to on board a couple of brand new
courses that hopefully will be offered this session as
well!.*

Did you know?

STC now has our Lending Library
is now searchable online!

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Request a book via email or stop
in. Don't see a book you want to
read for pro-growth? Let us know
and we may be able to add it to
the library.



STC Services Snapshot

Copies BW .07 | Color .30
*Cardstock/Color Paper/11 x 17
additional cost*

Lamination .08/inch or .96/foot
Posters \$5-\$10 w/ laminating