



Division of English Language Learning (DELL)

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Dear Program Directors:

Dell Special Announcement

REGISTRATION FOR THIS FREE EVENT WILL BE SENT ON MONDAY.

BILINGUAL PROGRAM DIRECTORS CONFERENCE HAS BEEN RESCHEDULED
TWO INDIVIDUALS ARE RECOMMENDED TO ATTEND

September 15-16, 2016

DoubleTree by Hilton Chicago - Oak Brook

1909 Spring Rd, Oak Brook, IL 60523

Accountability and Monitoring

The 2016-2017 Compliance Monitoring List with all school districts that are scheduled to be visited this school year has been posted under ISBE DELL: <http://isbe.net/bilingual/pdfs/comp-monitoring-school-dist-list-sy17.pdf>. Please note that this tentative list is ordered alphabetically and is subject to change.

Information about the compliance monitoring process may be found under Compliance Monitoring: <http://isbe.net/bilingual/htmls/program-monitoring.htm>, as well as under the Accountability and Compliance *Monitoring* PowerPoint: <http://isbe.net/bilingual/ppt/dell-accountability-comp-monitoring-pres0815.pdf>. If you have any further questions, please contact your ISBE DELL Principal Consultant.

ISBE – Sponsored Conferences and Workshops

ISBE Sponsored free professional development workshops provided by WIDA

Please review our catalog of free workshops that ISBE DELL has planned for the 2016-2017 school year presented by the World Class Instructional Design and Assessment (WIDA) Consortium for workshop dates and descriptions: <http://www.isbe.net/bilingual/pdfs/wida-prof-dev16-17.pdf>.

Please remember that these workshops are free of charge for Illinois public school educators, and districts can register up to three participants, unless additional space is available. You can visit our Professional Development page for archived webinars, presentations, and updates:

<http://www.isbe.net/bilingual/htmls/prof-dev.htm>.

Individuals will be able to register online at [http://webapps.isbe.net/ISBE Conference/](http://webapps.isbe.net/ISBE_Conference/) for the workshops starting three months prior to the event.

Contact DELLRegistration@isbe.net with any questions.

TOPIC	DATES	LOCATION
Standards Based Lesson Planning for ELLs	October 18-19, 2016 8:00am – 8:30am Registration 8:30am – 3:30pm Workshop	TBD: LaSalle Area
Collaboration	November 14-15, 2016 8:00am – 8:30am Registration 8:30am – 3:30pm Workshop	TBD: Normal Area
Engaging English language Learners in Science	February 27-28, 2017 8:00am – 8:30am Registration 8:30am – 3:30pm Workshop	TBD: DuPage County

Grants

Please be advised that the deadline for submitting the FY16 Title III LIPLEPS and Immigrant Education Program budget amendments on IWAS is **July 31, 2016**.

Districts that submit the amendment after the deadline will be rejected. The amendment has to be submitted to ISBE, and not just "Submitted for Review" to your district superintendent, so please check the status of your application on IWAS to make sure the submission has been completed. If you have any questions or need any assistance, please contact your assigned consultant at (312) 814-3850.

Note: Since the deadline for amending the FY16 TBE/TPI grant has been closed, any attempt to amend any sections of your TBE/TPI will cause errors; therefore, please do not touch any part of your TBE/TPI sections of the application.

Other Resources

Minnesota’s SLIFE website: <http://education.state.mn.us/MDE/SchSup/EngLearn/SLIFE/index.htm>

State guidance on serving English learners who may have learning disabilities: February 2016
https://relwest.wested.org/system/documents/pdfs/448/original/REL_West_Memo_State_manuals_on_EL_SWD_022016.pdf?1456769112

This was the original IES/REL report published in 2015:
 Identifying and supporting English learner students with learning disabilities: Key issues in the literature and state practice
http://ies.ed.gov/ncee/edlabs/regions/west/pdf/REL_2015086.pdf