



Division of English Language Learning (DELL)

DELL e-broadcast 2015-316: DELL newsletter

June 24, 2016

Dear Program Directors:

Dell General Announcement

FY17 listserv—July 2016

Each summer we recreate the list of the EL administrators who receive our newsletter based on the current contact information included in the grant application. Please make sure your email address is listed correctly in the application. If you are not listed as the Program Director in the application, but you have been receiving and need to continue receiving the EL newsletter from DELL, please contact Sonia Serrano at sserrano@isbe.net by July 1, 2016 with your request and reason to join the listserv.

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/ 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

TOPIC	DATES	LOCATION
Engaging English language Learners in Science	February 27-28, 2017 8:00am – 8:30am Registration 8:30am – 3:30pm Workshop	TBD: DuPage County

For more information and registration details, please review the WIDA catalog at:

<http://www.isbe.net/bilingual/pdfs/wida-prof-dev15-16.pdf>

To register, please email the requested information to DELLRegistration@isbe.net.

Recording of the Eleventh Annual Bilingual Parent Summit Now Available

The CAN-TV plenary presentations of the Eleventh Annual Bilingual Parent Summit are available using the link below”

Morning Presentation:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yTms4hKtdrc>

MC and introduction - Erika Maldonado, Univision

Greetings - Lula Ford, Illinois State Board of Education – 5 minutes

Mathew John Rodriquez, Illinois PTA –10 minutes

Martin Sandoval, State Senator -10 minutes

Reyna Hernandez, The Assistant Superintendent of the Center for Language and Early Child Development at ISBE, provided remarks on the latest development related to the state’s Family Engagement framework. 20 minutes

Monica Soto Espinoza, Logan Square Neighborhood Association, speaking of her experiences as a parent mentor and how it changed her life – 20 Minutes

Kim Potowsky, from the University of Illinois at Chicago talked about how to support biliteracy at home. 40 minutes

Luncheon Presentation:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=z6YXmMzlh7I>

MC- Lourdes Duarte - WGN TV

Welcoming - David Nieto – Division Administrator for English Language Learning at the Illinois State Board of Education.

Student musical entertainment performance

Grants

Please be advised that the deadline for submitting the FY17 TBE/TPI LIPLEPS grant to ISBE via IWAS is **June 30, 2016**.

Districts that submit the application after the deadline may not be eligible for Title III LIPLEPS or Immigrant Education Program funding. The application 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.

We anticipate that districts will have to complete additional information after submittal of the grant application to fulfill the new GATA requirements. We will notify you of these requirements once they become available.

Other Resources

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

In the News

States Struggle to Identify, Support ELLs With Learning Disabilities

http://blogs.edweek.org/edweek/learning-the-language/2016/06/state_struggle_to_identify_sup.html?cmp=eml-enl-eu-news2