

2020 Professional Development

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ETFO: KINDERGARTEN PART 3 AQ ~ KINDERGARTEN SPECIALIST

- Date: January 13, 2020 to March 27, 2020

2019 Professional Development

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SHANKER EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT SELF-REG PROGRAM
(COMPRISED OF 3 COURSES, 90 HOURS IN TOTAL)

- Date: May 20, 2019

NORTHERN LIGHTS P.S. FDK TEAM COLLABORATIVE INQUIRY:

Focal Question: "IF WE PROVIDE ENGAGING, HANDS-ON NUMERACY MATH GAMES THEN WILL WE SEE IMPROVED NUMERACY DEVELOPMENT IN OUR KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS?"

1. Collaborated to plan and facilitate a family math night
 2. Collaborated to plan, develop and facilitate take-home math bags
 3. Collaborated to plan and facilitate hands-on numeracy mini-groups in class
- Date: Spring 2019

2018 Professional Development

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THINK, SAY, WRITE, READ: IN PLAY, EVERY DAY

- October 3, 2018

YRDSB: CONTINUED DECE MENTORING

- 2017 until May 2018

VIVIAN CREEK PARK & ROBERT MUNSCH P.S.: OUTDOOR LEARNING

- Date: May 17, 2018

EVERGREEN BRICKWORKS: OUTDOOR LEARNING INTO PRIMARY CLASSROOMS

- Date: April 20, 2018

UNDERSTANDING THE CONTINUOUS PROFESSIONAL LEARNING PROCESS

- Date: April 5, 2018

FDK TEAM BUILDING: Collaborative Inquiry at NLPS

- Date: February 15, 2018

DIFFERENTIATING MATH INSTRUCTION: P.D. DAY

- Date: February 2, 2018

SHARED READING

- Date: January 6, 2018

2017 Professional Development

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YRDSB: GUIDED READING

- Date: November 1, 2017

YRDSB: CENTRAL PRIMARY NETWORK ~ Co-Facilitator

- October 2017 to March 2018

YRDSB EdTech CAMP: Pedagogical Documentation in Kindergarten

- Date: October 14, 2017

ASD: AN INTRODUCTION TO APPLIED BEHAVIOUR ANALYSIS

- Date: October 8, 2017

YRDSB: MENTORING AS A DECE MENTOR

- Date: September 2017 to May 2018

YRDSB: GREAT BEGINNINGS SUMMER INSTITUTE ~ Co-Facilitator of Yr2-Gr1

- Dates: August 8, 9, 10, 11, 2017

TAKING SHAPE: Geometric and Spatial Thinking in K-2

- Date: June 15, 2017

YRDSB: WRITING THE TERM 2 COMMUNICATION OF LEARNING

- Date: May 11, 2017

YRDSB MENTOR TRAINING: First Session

- Date: May 11, 2017

TECHNOLOGY ENHANCED ASSESSMENT AS LEARNING PEDL WORKSHOP: Facilitation by DLRTs Trevor Krikst & Kimberly Pollishuke

- Date: April 5, 2017

PEDAGOGICAL DOCUMENTATION: Using Google Drive & Forms with NLPS FDK Facilitated by DLRT Lisa Donohue

- Date: April 18th, 2017

2016 Professional Development

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FAIRY DUST TEACHING: CREATE 2016 Professional Goals Workshop

- Date: January 11, 2016

YRDSB: First Nation, Metis, Inuit Collaborative Inquiry

- Dates: January 20th, February 9th, February 16th, March 3rd, May 10th

YRDSB in collaboration with SMARTeducation: Mindful Teachers; Resilient Students

- Dates: Tuesday's 5-7 p.m. March 8 – May 10
- SILENT RETREAT April 12th 5-9 p.m.

YRDSB EDTECH CAMP: Google Apps for Education

- Date: April 9, 2016

YORK REGION NATURE COLLABORATIVE: Reggio Inspired Mathematics

- Date: April 16th, 2016 ~ 9:00-12:30

ETFO KINDERGARTEN PART 2 ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATION COURSE

- Date: September 19, 2016 to December 16, 2016

FAIRY DUST TEACHING: Reggio Inspired Workshops

- Dates: December 2016 - December 2017

2015 Professional Development

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SENECA: Continual Professional Learning and the College of Early Childhood Educators

- February 2015

AECEO: Professional Portfolio Development

- Portfolio: www.valeriegriffinrece.com

ROOTS OF EMPATHY: Roots of Empathy Instructor Certification

- June 2015

VOICES FROM THE LAND: The Voices project invites participants to explore language and cultural diversity, biodiversity, and the fragile relationship between people, nature and the passage of time.

- February 2015

MAKING AUTHENTIC INQUIRY WORK: Learning for a Sustainable Future & Natural Curiosity

- July 28, 29, 30, 2015

KINDERGARTEN PART 1 ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATION COURSE

- July 2015

2014 Professional Development

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YRDSB ~ Exploring Blended Learning through Ministry Resources

- January 17, 2014

INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR RESTORATIVE PRACTICES ~ Facilitating Restorative Conferences: Certificate

- April 23 & 24, 2014

THE LEARNING PARTNERSHIP: Welcome to Kindergarten Certificate of Achievement

- May 2, 2014

COLLEGE OF EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATORS & ONTARIO COLLEGE OF TEACHERS: Exploring Interprofessional Collaboration and Ethical Leadership Summer Institute 2014

- July 8 & 9, 2014

MONARCH TEACHER NETWORK OF CANADA: Teaching and Learning with Monarch Butterflies

- July 29 & 30, 2014

ASSOCIATION OF EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATORS ONTARIO: Foundations for RECE Practice in Full Day Kindergarten

- August 12, 13, 14, 2014

YRDSB: The Observation Survey Tasks Series

- September 17, 30, October 14 2014

ROOTS OF EMPATHY in partnership with York Region District School Board: Roots of Empathy Instructor Training

- Oct 28, 29, 30, 2014

YORK REGION DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD: K-2 Primary Network, Natural Curiosity Inquiry Based Learning Focus

- 2014 ~ 2015

2013 Professional Development

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SENECA COLLEGE ~ Full Day Kindergarten Training: Record of Achievement

- July & August 2013
 - ✓ The Roll of ECE in All Day Kindergarten
 - ✓ Curriculum Planning in Full Day Learning
 - ✓ Communication and Teamwork in Full Day Learning
 - ✓ Language and Literacy
 - ✓ E.C.E. Profession and Play Based Curriculum
 - ✓ The Kindergarten Child and Child Guidance

THE HANEN CENTRE: Bring Vocabulary to Life for Kindergarten Children

- July 25, 2013

YRDSB GREAT BEGINNINGS ~ Elementary: 4 Day Summer Institute FDK session

- August 5, 6, 7, 8, 2013