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In an attempt to better serve your needs, we ask that you take a moment to complete a brief survey regarding your level of satisfaction with our services. With your input we hope to improve our services and expand our offerings to enhance your professional development options. Please visit: http://www.surveymonkey.com/s.aspx?sm=h3iv5r8Riq1TDgKQCBGdXw_3d_3d to complete our Activities Survey. Thank you in advance for your thoughtful assistance in this endeavor.

Please join us for these outstanding trainings!

The Northeast Resource Center will be offering a variety of outstanding face-to-face trainings this August. Kick-off the new year with one of these information-packed sessions. You can register for the following trainings on our calendar of events at: www.neable.org

- **Technology Day**

August 9, 2007



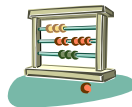
- **Lesson Planning Workshop**

August 9, 2007



- **Math Camp**

August 10, 2007



- **Make It/Take It**

August 16 & 23, 2007

September 7 & 14, 2007



- **BEST Plus**

August 17, 2007



Writer's Retreat



Join your “camp” counselors from the Resource Center Network for an informative and fun-filled day of writing! They will explore, reflect and help you build your writing skills in a relaxed setting. Come prepared to write, learn and share. This event is sponsored by the Southwest ABLEResource Center and will be held:

Wednesday, July 18, 2007
10:00 am-3:00 pm
Dayton, OH

To register for this event visit: www.ohioable.org



Lesson Plan of the Month

Have you been thinking about how to introduce the standards to your students this fall? Then the OLRC has some lesson plans for you!

Starting this month there will be a Lesson Plan of the Month spotlighted on the OLRC website: <http://literacy.kent.edu/>

June – Who Passed?
July – Beginning With Writing
August – Math: What’s It All About?

These three lessons were developed by your ABLEReers and are used in their classrooms to help their students understand what the standards are and why we use them to guide classroom instruction.

Have a FANTASTIC Summer!



This will be the last issue of the Friday NewsBriefs for FY2007. We hope you have found the Friday NewsBriefs informative and useful this year. We look forward to presenting Volume XI beginning in August. To everyone in the Northeast Region have a safe and happy summer!

Help
Wanted

Employment Opportunities

- The Willoughby-Eastlake ABLEReers program has an opening for a morning ESOL/EL-Civics teacher for Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 9:00 am

-12:00 pm plus prep time. Classes begin in September. Any interested parties, please contact:

Janene Ishee, Coordinator
(440) 946-3336
Janene.Ishee@WESchools.org

- The Cleveland Heights/University Heights ABE program has an opening for an intermediate ESOL instructor three mornings per week starting in September. The times are Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 9:00am-12:30pm. Any interested parties please contact:

Paula Kertes
(216) 371-7138
P_Kertes@chuh.org

- The Mayfield ABE program has three openings for instructors:
 - **GED Instructor**
Monday and Wednesday evenings from 6:30-9:00 beginning in September. The rate of pay is \$24/hr plus planning time.
 - **ESOL Instructor**
Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 6:30-9:00 beginning in September. The rate of pay is \$24/hr plus planning time.
 - **GED/ESOL Orientation Instructor**
Four Monday and Wednesday evenings per month from 6:30-9:00. Must be BEST Plus certified or willing to become certified before September. Rate of pay is \$24/hr

Any interested parties contact:

Paula Kertes
(440) 995-6771
Pkertes@mayfieldschools.org

- The Center for Applied Linguistics has an immediate opening in their Language Education and Academic Development Division (LEAD). This is a full-time commitment with a salary range of \$42,000 to \$50,000 depending upon qualifications. Any interested parties send resume and cover letter to:

Center for Applied Linguistics
4646 40th Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20016-1859
Attn: Recruitment 07-07
Or email:
jobs@cal.org



Grant Opportunities

- “Helping Immigrants Learn English”
The Ray Solem Foundation is offering one-time grants to nonprofit

organizations that have found creative ways to help immigrants in the United States further their verbal English language skills—listening comprehension and oral communications. Max. Award: \$10,000 Deadline: July 31, 2007

<http://www.raysolemfund.org/grants.html>

- Suave and Dollar General have partnered to present the 2007 Suave/Dollar General Education Essay Contest. Over 2,000 prizes will be awarded. Visit www.suaveessaycontest.com for more information about submissions.
- “Grants Reward Community Colleges Helping First-Generation College Students” The Met Life Foundation and Jobs for the Future invite community colleges to apply for the 2008 MetLife Community College Excellence Award. The award will honor two community colleges for their institution-wide commitment to helping low-income students, first-generation college goers, and working adults enter and succeed in post-secondary education. Maximum: \$30,000 Eligibility: community colleges across the United States. Deadline: August 31, 2007 for more information visit:
http://www.jff.org/%7Ejff/JFF_Pages.php?WhichLevel=3&lv2_id=32&lv3_id=39

The Resource Room



<http://wiki.literacytent.org>

ESL/ESOL, Workforce, Workplace and Worker Education, Basic Literacy, Reading, Curriculum Development, GED Research, LD, Program Design, Project Based Learning, Return on Investment and Young Adult Literacy

www.healthylroadsmedia.org

This website includes health literacy resources in plain language translated into seven languages with an audio and a video feature

<http://www.makebeliefscomix.com>

This website offers create-your-own comics as a learning tool

<http://www.SmithsonianEducation.org>

Check out the NEW Smithsonian website!

Simply by entering the name of your state into the search engine, teachers can find lesson plans, virtual exhibitions, photographs and artworks, and databases of research information that apply to their curriculum.

http://www.homesafetycouncil.org/about_us/au_store_w003.aspx

Browse the HSC Store today and order the NEW Hands on Home Safety Booklet which highlights the top 5 injury risk areas in and around the home. This new resource provides tips in both English and Spanish in an easy-to-read flip book. You can also order Home Safety Council brochures, posters and other resources.

www.pueblo.gsa.gov

Check out the new Spring 2007 Consumer Information Catalog. Order a large number of free resources on education, computers, employment, federal programs, food, health, housing, money, small business and travel.

www.nia.nih.gov

The National Institute on Aging has available a variety of free publications available in bulk. Some topics include: safe use of medicines, staying safe in cold weather, understanding Alzheimer's Disease and understanding memory loss.

<http://az-aall.org/AALL/Pages/AALLInternetLessonLinks.htm>

Arizona Association for Lifelong Learning-Lesson plans and recommended lesson Sites

<http://floridatechnet.org/GED/LessonPlans/Lessons.htm>

GED 2002 Teachers' Lesson Bank

<http://www.lessonplans4teachers.com>

Lesson plans and directories

<http://www.able.state.pa.us/able/cwp/view.asp?A=289&Q=126486>

EL/Civics, ESL, Workforce, Health Literacy, GED

<http://alri.org/harness.html>

Ideas for using technology in the Adult Ed classroom

<http://teachers/net/lessons>

Lesson bank

<http://www.nwlincs.org/nwlincsweb/Lessons.htm>

A variety of lessons for adult ed

<http://www.tefl.net/esl-lesson-plans>

ESL lesson plans

<http://www.research.umbc.edu/~ira/lessweb.html>

Links to a variety of lesson plans and websites related to ABE

<http://literacy.kent.edu/Oasis/Resc/Educ/edu.html>

Adult literacy and education resources and support


<http://www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/libraries.html>

Consumer health information

<http://www.adultedteachers.org>

This database includes lessons for: ABE/ASE/GED; Adults with Disabilities; ESL/ELL/Citizenship and EL Civics; Older Adults; Parent Consumer Education; Career Technical Education; Corrections Education; and more.

http://www.nccommunitycolleges.edu/Basic_Skills/NCOOnline/virtual%20library/



[library/lesson%20plans.htm](#)

Career/EFF/EL Civics/ESOL/GED/Health/Language Arts/Life Skills/Math/Pre-GED/Science/Social Studies

<http://iteslj.org/questions/>

Conversation questions

Thoughts on Leadership

Thoughts on Leadership is presented as an attachment to the Friday NewsBriefs.