

2008 Study Groups

Many Study Groups are adaptable to multiple subject areas and/or grade levels.

ALL SUBJECTS/INTERDISCIPLINARY

A Kinesthetic Approach to Academic Success
Grade Levels: *Primary (PreK-3)* Coach: *Cynthia Anderson-Ward*

Interactive Bulletin Boards: Games That Will Rock Your Curriculum!
Grade Levels: *Multiple (PreK-8)* Coach: *Margo Martin*

"This Is Research?": An Exploration of How the Internet Works
Grade Levels: *Intermediate (4-6), Upper (7-8)* Coach: *Kelly Shepard*

This Is What I Did Today: Prompting Family Involvement through Student-Led Conferences
Grade Levels: *Multiple (PreK-8)* Coach: *Sarah Groth*


ART, MUSIC, DRAMA

Music and Movement: Applications of Dalcroze Eurythmics to Capture Student Interest in Music
Grade Levels: *Multiple (PreK-8)* Coach: *Jonathan Harper*

 **Using Song-Experience Games to Develop Literacy in a Positive SEL Setting**
Grade Levels: *Primary (PreK-3)* Coach: *Brooke Tippet Thompson*

LANGUAGE ARTS

Beyond the Basal: Fostering a Love of Literature
Grade Levels: *Multiple (PreK-8)* Coach: *Nicole Zumpano*

 **Book Club Is For Teachers, Too!**
Grade Levels: *Multiple (PreK-8)* Coach: *Tiffany King*

Bringing Texts to Life: Reading Comprehension for the Whole Child
Grade Levels: *Multiple (PreK-8)* Coach: *Dakota Prosch*

Building Literacy through Purposeful Read-Alouds
Grade Levels: *Multiple (PreK-8)* Coach: *Alicia Peshel-Shoenbeck*

Creating Lifelong Readers through Independent Reading Workshop
Grade Levels: *Intermediate (4-6)* Coach: *Shannon Jamicich*


Creating Recording Artists and Literacy Skills through Poetry
Grade Levels: *Intermediate (4-6), Upper (7-8)* Coach: *Monica Sims*

Effective Learning Centers for the Primary Classroom
Grade Levels: *Primary (PreK-3)* Coach: *Katherine Adams*

Effective Literacy Curriculum Utilizing Novels and Authentic Literature (AREA ONE)
Grade Levels: *Intermediate (4-6), Upper (7-8)* Coach: *Allison McMahon*

Incorporating Culturally Responsive Teaching Techniques into Daily Instruction
Grade Levels: *Multiple (PreK-8)* Coach: *Narineh Gharashor*

Learning to Research, Researching to Learn
Grade Levels: *Multiple (PreK-8)* Coach: *Catherine Tanner*

 **Literature Circles: Promoting Voice, Choice, and Reading in the Round**

Grade Levels: *Intermediate (4-6), Upper (7-8)* Coach: *Esther Ohito*

Making Word Walls Fun.....

Grade Levels: *Primary (PreK-3)* Coach: *Christine Benedict*

Rock Your Library!.....

Grade Levels: *Intermediate (4-6), Upper (7-8)* Coach: *Lindsay Mehlberg*

 **Shared Reading Spans the Curriculum: Students *and* Teachers Win!**.....

Grade Levels: *Primary (PreK-3)* Coach: *Nicole Wouczynna*

Write On! Wipe Off! Teaching with White Boards.....

Grade Levels: *Multiple (PreK-8)* Coach: *Carol Moynihan*

Writing about Reading.....

Grade Levels: *Multiple (PreK-8)* Coach: *Betsy Briskman*

Writing Across the Curriculum with a "A Book A Week".....

Grade Levels: *Primary (PreK-3)* Coach: *Justyna Rewilak*

MATH

Under Construction: Mastering Polygons through Inquiry-Based Learning.....

Grade Levels: *Multiple (PreK-8)* Coach: *Cynthia Brawner*

SCIENCE AND SOCIAL STUDIES

Projects with SASS (Science and Social Studies).....

Grade Levels: *Multiple (PreK-8)* Coach: *Sherri Bradford*

SPECIAL EDUCATION

 **A Multi-Modal Approach to Improving Literacy Skills: Lessons from Jamaica**.....

Grade Levels: *Multiple (PreK-8)* Coach: *Rose Sharon*

 **Clear It Up! Visual Strategies to Promote Communication for Students with Learning Disabilities**.....

Grade Levels: *Multiple (PreK-8)* Coaches: *Sheila Barrett and Traci Grant*