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Professional Development Alternatives

FDLRS ALPHA ANNOUNCES

PDA Online Facilitated Course Winter FY22

Register through
eLearning

A face-to-face orientation will be held on the start date for the course. The orientation will run from 5-7 pm and will be held via Google Meet.

A minimum of 2 additional face-to-face/virtual meetings will be held during the course through Google Meet.



FOR COURSE DESCRIPTIONS, GO TO
WWW.FL-PDA.ORG

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Exploring Structured Literacy

Exploring Structured Literacy	40 Points	January 6, 2022-March 31, 2022
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This is an online Facilitated course. Participants will be required to create a lesson plan, implement the lesson with students, and collect impact data.

If you do not currently work directly with students, you will need to make arrangements to work with students to meet this requirement prior to the start date of the course.



Structured Literacy's Evidence-Based Elements
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What is Structured Literacy? A Primer on Effective Reading Instruction. Published by the International Dyslexia Association.
<https://www.ida.org/what-is-structured-literacy/>

6A-4.0051—Renewal and Reinstatement of a Professional Certificate

- To renew at the end of the next full validity period, teachers with coverage areas that are eligible to teach reading or ELA to students grades K-6 must take two credit hours (or 40 hours of professional development) in the use of explicit, systematic and sequential approaches to reading instruction, developing phonemic awareness and implementing multisensory intervention.
- This professional learning opportunity emphasizes reading instruction that builds a strong, cumulative, and logical foundation of structured literacy. Components of structured literacy include phonology, sound-symbol correspondences, syllables, morphology, syntax, and semantics.
- Coursework that meets these criteria and the 20-hour Exceptional Student Education requirement may count for both purposes.