



SLP Virtual Collaborative: Language Sampling Essentials: Informing Eligibility and Goal Setting

Course Overview:

Language sampling provides authentic insights into a student's expressive language abilities and is a critical component of comprehensive evaluations. This course will guide participants through best practices for collecting, analyzing, and interpreting language samples to inform eligibility decisions and goal development. Case-based activities will ensure participants leave with actionable strategies for integrating language sample analysis into everyday practice.

Objectives:

- Identify the key components and benefits of language sampling in school-based evaluations.
- Identify commonly used tools and resources for language sample analysis, and evaluate their strengths, limitations, and appropriate use in school-based evaluations.
- Interpret language sample data to support eligibility decisions and culturally responsive goal setting.

Presented by:

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Date & Time:

March 11, 2026
1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Registration begins at 1:00 p.m.

Location:

Virtual
A link will be sent to each participant prior to the training date.

Zoom Etiquette:

Participants must have their cameras on for the entire duration of the training to qualify for CE credits or receive a certificate of attendance. Training should be attended from a stationary location, free from distractions, with a focus on active participation and avoiding multitasking.

Cost:

Free

Registration:

Please register [online on OMS](https://sbcss.k12oms.org/52-274373)
(URL: <https://sbcss.k12oms.org/52-274373>).

Audience:

Speech-language pathologists, speech-language pathology assistants, interns, and site administrators.

Level of Course Content:

Beginner

Special Accommodations:

Please submit any special accommodation requests at least fifteen working days prior to the training by notating your request when registering.

Continuing Education Units for SLPs and SLPAs:

For SLPs and SLPAs. This course meets the qualifications for two hours of continuing professional development credit for the California Speech Language Pathologists as required by the Speech Language Pathology, Audiology, and Hearing Aid Dispensers Board (SLPAHADB). The provider is California Association of Health and Education Linked Professions License# 444. Due to SLPAHADB requirements, participants must attend the entire two-hour course in order to receive continuing education credit. Please mail the \$5.00 payment, payable to SBCSS, by April 11, 2026, to the Desert Mountain SELPA, c/o Annette Chavez, 17800 Highway 18, Apple Valley, CA 92307. Please include your name as you want it displayed on the certificate, your state license number, and email address.

