### STILLWATER PUBLIC SCHOOLS

# ELEMENTARY PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES SUMMER 2024

- \*\* This document will continue to be updated with additional training, dates and times!
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### MAY

**Training: LETRS Module 5-8** 

Grade: K-5

Dates/Times: May 28-29 - 9:00-3:30 (2 day training)

Who Should Attend: K-5 Teachers, New teachers, Instructional Coaches, Interventionists, SPED, School Psychs, Administrators (Very helpful if you have attended Modules 1-4 first)

MUST ATTEND BOTH DATES-NO EXCEPTIONS
Location: Board of Education 314 S. Lewis

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#### **Description:**

Developed by renowned literacy experts Dr. Louisa Moats and Dr. Carol Tolman, *LETRS*® (*Language Essentials for Teachers of Reading and Spelling*) is a flexible literacy professional learning solution for educators. *LETRS* provides teachers with the science of reading research, depth of knowledge, and skills to make a significant improvement in the literacy and language development of every student. SPS has developed an initiative to have all SPS elementary teachers to be trained in LETRS.

Modules 5-8 address teaching vocabulary, language and reading comprehension and writing.

### MAY

Training: LETRS Early Childhood

Grade: PK-K

Dates/Times: May 30-31 - 9:00-3:30 (2 day training)

Who Should Attend: PK teachers, K teachers, Instructional Coaches,, specialists that work

with early childhood students

MUST ATTEND BOTH DATES-NO EXCEPTIONS

**Location: Board of Education 314 S. Lewis** 

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#### **Description:**

LETRS for Early Childhood Educators professional learning provinces deep knowledge of literacy instruction for the youngest learners. The more children know about language and literacy before they begin kindergarten and first grade the better equipped they are to succeed in reading and beyond.

Dr Louisa Moats and Dr. Lucy Hart Paulson designed this course of study for early childhood education because research shows the foundation of literacy begins at a young age. Early

childhood educators need the same level of professional learning to effectively teach the foundation of literacy.

### **JULY**

**Training: LETRS Modules 1-4** 

Grade: K-5

Dates: July 16-19 - 9:00-3:30

Who Should Attend: Teachers that have not been trained, New teachers in K-5, SPED, Interventionists, Instructional Coaches, School Psychologists, Administrators that have not

been trained

MUST ATTEND ALL 4 DAYS -NO EXCEPTIONS/ REQUIRED FOR NEW TEACHERS K-3

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#### Additional Information:

(This training can be used towards flex hours)

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### **JULY**

\*\* IF YOU ARE A SPECIALIST, ADMIN OR INSTRUCTIONAL COACH, PLEASE ONLY CHOOSE ONE SESSION TO ATTEND. TEACHERS WILL CHOSE THE GRADE LEVEL THEY TEACH!

Training: Big Ideas Math Training for K-1

Who Should Attend: All K-1 teachers, Admin, Specialists, Instructional Coaches

Dates: July 29, 2024 Time: 8:30-11:30

Location: Stillwater Board of Education

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(This training can be used towards flex hours)

Stillwater Public Schools has adopted a new math curriculum that will be implemented this year! This training is for all teachers that will be teaching Math! Specialists, Interventionists, Instructional Coaches, SPED, EL, etc... are welcome to attend!

Training: Big Ideas Math Training for 2-3

Who Should Attend: All 2-3 teachers, Admin, Specialists, Instructional Coaches

Dates: July 29, 2024 Time: 12:30-3:30

**Location: Stillwater Board of Education** 

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**Training: Big Ideas Math Training for 4-5** 

Who Should Attend: All K-5 teachers, Admin, Specialists, Instructional Coaches

Dates: July 30, 2024 Time: 8:30-11:30

**Location: Stillwater Board of Education** 

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## **AUGUST**

Training - SPS New Teacher Training - REQUIRED FOR ALL NEW TEACHERS TO SPS!

**Grade:** All new teachers to the district

Date/Time: August 1st, August 8-9 - 8:30-3:30 Location: Stillwater Middle School Band Room

(No Sign Up Genius)

This training is required for all new teachers to the district.