



Chancellor's Day Events *June 10, 2010*

“Academic Vocabulary Development in Math and Science” and “Subject-Specific Differentiation”

Academic Vocabulary Development in Math and Science

In the morning session, MS and HS math and science teachers will be immersed in this citywide special focus for our Spring PD. All modeled strategies invoke critical thinking and are deeply connected to building content knowledge--they are not stand-alone literacy activities for math and science. **Concept Construxions**[®] materials will be shipped directly to schools upon participation. Our instructional system for teaching academic vocabulary that is currently employed by districts around the nation and beyond, *Concept Construxions* articulates academic vocabulary learning through the grades (vertically) and across the curriculum (horizontally) using a patent-pending color-shape system. The visual cues and kinesthetic nature of our manipulatives build a fully-fashioned yet intuitive and flexible system for districts, schools and individual classrooms. Due to its conceptual focus, this physically durable product will not only survive classroom wear and tear, it will also survive changes to standards, assessments, textbooks, and scope & sequences. Be sure to view the short video on our website!

Subject-specific Differentiation in Math and Science

In the afternoon session, MS and HS math and science teachers will be immersed in differentiated lesson series that model best-practice strategies such as strategic groupings, targeted prompts and problems, and tiered texts. Management issues will be discussed. We help teachers understand the basics of differentiated instruction as they experience a facilitated session structured to demonstrate and unpack the strategies. Teachers will walk away with the lesson series materials and a better understanding of how to plan for differentiated instruction moments.

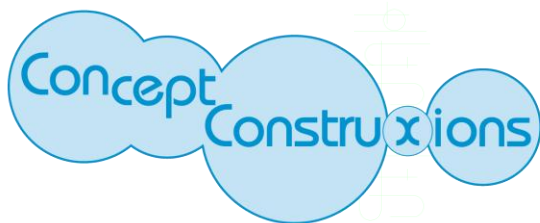
Enrollment Deadline for These Events:

April 23, 2010

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■ The Details...Please read carefully!

- The NYCDOE is sponsoring this event, so participation is free. The DOE also is sponsoring the provision of *Concept Construxions*[®] materials to schools. Teachers must participate in the workshops to receive *Concept Construxions*[®] materials.
- Math and science teachers, their CTT partners and Special Educators, EL specialists, APs and others who support math and science learning in Grades 6-12 are eligible to attend. Priority will be given to schools sending more teachers. ****Note:** The HS sciences targeted in these workshops are: Living Environment, Earth Science and Chemistry only. The HS Math courses targeted are: Integrated Algebra and Geometry only.
- If teachers will be attending one of the after-school academic vocabulary workshops, we recommend they NOT also attend the June 10 events. Or, they could choose to attend on June 10 instead of participating in an after-school workshop.
- Timeframe: 8:30 am - 3:00 pm. We will start promptly.
- Location: Participants will be notified of the specific Manhattan location upon enrollment.
- Please limit the school's enrollment to 8 teachers or fewer.
- Please enroll teachers ALL AT ONCE using ONE form per SCHOOL. The next page serves as your school enrollment form.
- Questions? Email us at info@educhange.com



Enrollment Form for Chancellor's Day Events

June 10, 2010

School: _____

Administrator Contact Person: _____ Phone: _____

Administrator Contact's Email Address (attachment-friendly): _____

Do us a big favor: write legibly and darkly!!

Teacher Full Name	Teacher Email Address	Subject & Grade Level	Workshop Date

FAX one (1) enrollment form per school to 1-866-402-7543

OR

Scan and email to info@educhange.com

Secondary fax number: 646-613-8444