



Teacher Center of Broome County Workshop Schedule

Smart Board Magic

Tuesday, March 6, 2012, 4 pm - 6 pm

Instructor: Gail Szeliga

Location: Teacher Center of Broome County, 601 Gates Rd., Vestal, NY

A SMART BOARD is a great tool that enhances teaching and learning. Teachers of any subject or grade level will be amazed at all the features of the SMART Board interactive whiteboard. During this introductory session the fundamental features of the SMART Board and accompanying Smart Notebook software will be demonstrated. This workshop is targeted to beginners, but anyone can attend. Prepare to be amazed. Come see this revolutionary tool for creating interactive learning activities in action. PLEASE NOTE: This is not a hands-on workshop.

Smart Notebook: Tips and Tricks

Thursday, March 8, 2012, 4 pm - 6 pm

Instructor: Gail Szeliga

Location: Teacher Center of Broome County, 601 Gates Rd., Vestal, NY

Enhance your ability to create professional and interactive SMART Notebook lessons. Learn tips and tricks for using SMART Notebook software's interactive tools. Using Smart Notebook you can build lesson activities that support your curriculum, can be shared with other educators, and engage your students in meaningful learning.

PLEASE NOTE: Participants are asked to attend SMART BOARD MAGIC prior to signing up for this workshop.

An Introduction to the Teaching Standards

March 14, 2012, 4 pm - 6 pm

Instructor: George Lohmann

Location: Teacher Center of Broome County, 601 Gates Rd., Vestal, NY

NYS has adopted seven Teaching Standards to guide teachers as they strive to increase student achievement. This workshop will present an overview of the standards along with the vocabulary that supports them. A rubric will be reviewed that clearly defines an effective and a highly effective teacher. The main focus will be on Standard VI: Creating a Dynamic Learning Environment.

The Teaching Standards, Session 2

March 28, 2012, 4 pm - 6 pm

Instructor: George Lohmann

Location: Teacher Center of Broome County, 601 Gates Rd., Vestal, NY

This workshop will review the priorities supporting the Teaching Standards and will focus on examining Standards I, II, and III. Please BRING A LESSON (or short unit) in order to reflect on your own practices.

The Teaching Standards, Session 3

April 4, 2012, 4 pm - 6 pm

Instructor: George Lohmann

Location: Teacher Center of Broome County, 601 Gates Rd., Vestal, NY

During this session participants will explore standards V, VI and VII. Teaching Standard I, II, III, and IV will be reviewed through the lens of a Common Core unit provided by Engage NY. Discover how the Teaching Standards can be used as a guide to assist you as you strive to improve your teaching techniques.

Smart Board: Lesson Activity Toolkit

Thursday, March 22, 2012, 4 pm - 6 pm

Instructor: Gail Szeliga

Location: Teacher Center of Broome County, 601 Gates Rd., Vestal, NY

Lesson Activity Toolkit lets you easily create engaging content like word games, quizzes, crossword puzzles and sorting tables. The toolkit is full of customizable tools and templates that you can use to create professional-looking lessons for all grade levels. PLEASE NOTE: Participants are asked to attend SMART BOARD MAGIC prior to signing up for this workshop.

Web 2.0: Tools for Integrating Technology into the Classroom

March 27, 2012, 4 pm - 6 pm

Instructor: Mary Ann Karre

Location: Teacher Center of Broome County, 601 Gates Rd., Vestal, NY

The focus of this workshop will be to demonstrate the importance and relevance of Web 2.0 tools in the twenty-first century classroom. Web 2.0 includes a host of online resources and applications that support sharing of information between users. They include blogs, wikis, and micro-blogging tools such as Twitter. Ideas for integrating these tools into your curriculum will be discussed.



