

Proposal for Institute Day at Brooks Middle School for August 15, 2019

Meeting the Needs of English Language Learners Workshop: The purpose is to provide Interventionist and Middle School teachers with strategies on working with EL students in the classroom. The cost is \$1400 and they will be paid by Title III funds under professional development that was written in the FY 2019 LIPLEPS Grant. The following is information from the **Illinois Resource Center (IRC)** which will be providing the services.

Please confirm that you would like this workshop to take place and that the information below is correct or make any needed changes/additions.

DATE	August 15, 2019
TIME	TBD about 1 hr. 45 minutes between 12:00 and 3:00
LOCATION	Brooks Middle School, 14741 Wallace Ave., Harvey, IL 60426
GROUP	About 45 junior high teachers and interventionists serving K-8
CREDIT	Provided by Harvey Public Schools 152

For your ready reference, a copy of the IRC Fees, terms and conditions is attached. **Note cancellation policy.**

Please do not hesitate to contact me via email at jgordon@cntrmail.org or via phone at 847 452-1306 if you would like to discuss further the focus for the day. I would like to send a short handout a couple of weeks before the session. However, full color slides of the full presentation will be available for them electronically.

Jeanette Gordon, Education Consultant

Jeanette Gordon had 26 years of experience as an educational specialist with the Illinois Resource Center. She now works as an independent consultant for that agency. Mrs. Gordon provides Professional Development for administrators and teachers as well as Technical Assistance to administrative teams. She has been a certified trainer of: the Sheltered Instruction Observation Protocol (SIOP), the Structural Approach to Cooperative Learning with advanced selective training by Spencer Kagan, and by the WIDA Consortium in Content and Language Integration as a Means of Bridging Success CLIMBS.

She has developed and taught graduate courses in ESL Methods and Innovative ESL Methods and coordinated the ESL methods courses for National Louis University taught through the IRC. Prior to working with the IRC, Mrs. Gordon served as a bilingual counselor in Elgin HS and taught ESL and sheltered content classes in West Chicago Community High School. She taught 6th to 11th grades in a bilingual school in Costa Rica part time while serving as the coordinator for the courses taught in English. She has a passion for sharing instructional strategies that help educators differentiate instruction in today's heterogeneous classes.

Looking forward to serving your teachers,

Jeanette Gordon

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