

**Jackson Public Schools District-Wide  
Professional Development Assignments  
January 5, 2018**

<b>CONTENT/FOCUS</b>	<b>PRESENTER</b>	<b>PARTICIPANTS</b>	<b>SITE(S)</b>
Instructional Leadership in a Culture of Reflective Practices	Area Superintendents- Dr. O. Belcher, Dr. M. King, Mr. G. Hannah, Mrs. L. Marshall-Thomas	<b>Principals/ Assistant Principals</b> (Except those attending TFL Conference)	Kirksey Middle School
Integrating Pre-K Standards In Learning Centers	Charolette Bailey, Threasa McElhinney, Shannon Champion, Stephanie Garrett	<b>Pre- K Teachers and Assistants</b>	Enochs Library
Building Foundational Skills: Focusing on Phonological Awareness, Phonics, and Oral Language - Grades K – 2	Mississippi Association of Educators	<b>K – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Teachers and Assistants</b>	Bates Elementary School
Developing Young Writers in the Elementary Classroom - Grades 3 - 5	Jackson Public Schools Teachers	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Teachers and Assistants</b> <u>Attendees must bring current student writing work samples</u>	Peeples Middle School
Incorporating Effective Literacy Strategies in the Science Classroom and Improving Writing Instruction in the Science Classroom	JPS Subject Area Supervisors and Science Teachers	<b>6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Science Teachers</b>	Forest Hill High School
Improving Literacy Instruction for ELA Teachers 6th - 12th Grade	JPS Subject Area Supervisors and ELA Teachers	<b>6th - 12th Grade ELA Teachers, Learning Strategists, ESL and Study Skills</b>	Forest Hill High School
Incorporating Effective Literacy Strategies in the Mathematics Classroom	JPS Subject Area Supervisors and Math Teachers	<b>6th - 12th Grade MATH Teachers</b>	Cardozo Middle School
Improving Literacy Instruction for History Teachers	JPS Subject Area Supervisors and Math Teachers	<b>6th - 12th Grade Social Studies Teachers</b>	Cardozo Middle School
Escalating the Challenges: Shining a Light on Differentiation Strategies	Shanel K. Kidd and Crystal McDougal	<b>Gifted Teachers</b>	JSU e-Center 1230 Raymond Rd, Jackson, MS 39204

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Challenging High Achievers in Engaging, Meaningful Classrooms	Dr. Alavanette Buchanan, Christi McAlpin, Dr. Sandra Reed	<b>All Bailey, Power and Murrah APAC Teachers</b>	Bailey APAC Middle School
Mississippi Writing Thinking Institute	Dr. Valerie Bradley and Anthony Moore	<b>1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Boyd Elementary Teachers Only</b>	Boyd Elementary School
Decoding the ACT	Monet du Plessis, Dan Gilliland and Kelly Miranda	<b>All High School ACT Teachers</b>	JSU e-Center 1230 Raymond Rd, Jackson, MS 39204
Multi-Tiered System of Supports: An Analysis of Founding Principles	Amanda Thomas / Program Coordinators/ Intervention	<b>Interventionists and Interventionist Assistants</b>	Siwell Middle School
How School Counselors Can Help Students and Themselves	Rebecca Allen and Mississippi Counseling Association Conference Attendees	<b>School Counselors, Graduation Coaches</b>	JSU e-Center 1230 Raymond Rd, Jackson, MS 39204
Tools for Life® Leadership Workshop	Dr. Margrit Wallace, Allen Croxall, and Dr. Regina Rees, Tools for Life®, Kimberly McBride, Loran Taylor, Andrea Jones, Cora Holland and Ettatina Myles and JPS Counselors/Teachers	<b>Selected Counselors, School Administrators and Social Studies Teachers</b>	Hilton 1001 County Line Road Jackson, MS 39211
21st Century School Library Programs	Bettina Boles Harris, Katherine Dutro, Regina Hutchins and Jeanette S. Whisenton	<b>Librarians</b>	JPS Board Room
IEP Development and Child Find Policies Procedures	Wendy Rogers- MDE and Cindy Taylor-MDE	<b>Exceptional Education Teachers and Staff</b>	Bates and Cardozo Cafeterias
Exploring Global Connections through Art	Brenda Rodgers Renna Moore	<b>6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Art Teachers EXCEPT POWER APAC Participants- bring a <u>lesson plan and an example of a successful art project.</u></b>	Blackburn Laboratory Middle School

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Music Matters: A Philosophy of Music Education in Review	Mr. Pierrdro Gallion, Director of Choral Activities- Murrah High School	<b>6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Choral Music Teachers</b>	Forest Hill High School
Do You Hear What I Hear?	Torris Bell	<b>Elementary Music Teachers</b>	Galloway Elementary School
But Can You Speak It: Implementing Oral Communication in the Classroom	LaChe Sykes	<b>High School Foreign Language Teachers</b>	JSU e-Center 1230 Raymond Rd, Jackson, MS 39204
Exploring Health and Wellness Concepts for Healthy Lifestyles	Rolanda M. Watkins and Claude Courtney, ActiveHealth Management	<b>Health, Physical Education Teachers, Physical Ed Assistants, Home Economic Teachers and Nurses</b>	Cardozo Middle School Gym
All You Can Be as An Office Manager.	Darlene Littleton, Ora Dixon and Pamela Hooper	<b>All JPS Office Managers and Office Assistants</b>	Peebles Middle School Cafeteria
Getting “Fund”amental with Business and Computer Science Fundamentals	Erin Mason	<b>Business Education and Computer Education Teachers</b>	Wingfield High School
Building a Solid In-School Suspension Program	JPS Guidance Counselors	<b>ISS-PAC Teachers/Monitors (Elementary, Middle and High School)</b>	JSU e-Center 1230 Raymond Rd, Jackson, MS 39204
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Deep Collaboration: Working Together for the Success of All Cadets	COL Paul Willis, Director, Army Instruction, Mr. Steven Brown - Get 2 College and Ms. Rosie Thomas - Mississippi Economic Council, Education Resources	<b>All JROTC Instructors</b>	JROTC Conference Room, 2221A Boling Street, Jackson, MS 39213

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Crisis Response Training	Chief Gerald D. Jones, Deputy Chief Jerry Lockett, Deputy Chief Charles McInnis, Commander Zetta Hoskins, and Master Sergeant Eric J. Greene.	<b>School Resource Officers and Safety Officers</b>	Bradley Complex
Leaders of the Band	Curtis Lockett	<b>6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Band Directors</b>	Forest Hill High School
Foundations of Effective Teaching and Supporting the Struggling Reader	Frontline Education	<b>K- 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Limited Service Teachers</b>	Cardozo Middle School Computer Lab
Foundations of Effective Teaching and Supporting the Struggling Reader	Frontline Education	<b>6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade Limited Service Teachers</b>	Peebles Middle School Computer Lab
Foundations of Effective Teaching and Supporting the Struggling Reader	Frontline Education	<b>9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade Limited Service Teachers</b>	Forest Hill High School Computer Room
Understanding and Using Data in the Academy Model	Marquita Lavine	<b>Academy Coaches</b>	Wingfield High School
	Joni Moore	<b>ICT Teachers</b>	Career Development Center