

RETELL SEI Teacher Endorsement

Beginning September 11, 2017

REGISTRATION DEADLINE – THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH AT 4:00PM

Workshop Description: The *RETELL* (Rethinking Equity in the Teaching of English Language Learners) Program was designed to help teachers codify and address the performance gaps among our ELLs; the Teacher Endorsement course is one facet of RETELL. *Teachers who successfully complete this course will fulfill the requirements that all core academic teachers who have one or more ELLs in their classroom between SY2013 and SY2016 must earn the SEI endorsement.*



This course will focus on current effective practice and evidence-based research related to the teaching of ELLs in our schools. Effective teaching strategies will be modeled and participants will apply what they have seen and experienced in the course in their classroom teaching practice. Participants will also be able to evaluate their own practice and engage in supportive sharing with and feedback from colleagues. Teachers will enhance their teaching practice with new skills, knowledge and dispositions that focus on the successful learning of our ELLs. In one Capstone session, teachers will give a 10-15 minute presentation using skills and knowledge gained from the course.

About the Instructor: **Joanne Fridley** has been working with English Language Learners for over 20 years. She was born in South Africa and has lived and worked in 7 countries including France, Spain, Puerto Rico, and Brazil. She is a fluent Portuguese speaker, which she learnt while living in Brazil. The unique experience gives her multiple insights into being a second language learner. Joanne has been teaching in Massachusetts for 17 years, along with coordinating programs in several districts and working as an educational consultant for SIT in Vermont and Worcester State University. She has been facilitating classes for the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education for 15 years. Joanne did her undergraduate at Lesley University and holds a Master's degree in Teaching ESL PK-12 from Western Governor's University.

Audience: All K-12 Classroom Teachers
Date & Time: Mondays, September 11, 18, 25;
October 2, 16, 30; November 6, 13, 27;
December 4, 11, 18, 2017;
Capstone Sessions: January 8 & 9, 2018;
Make-up Sessions: January 22, 29, 30, 2018
All sessions meet 4:00 – 7:00 PM

Location: TEC Professional Learning Center in E. Walpole
Cost: \$450
Earn: 45 PDPs
Grad Credit (optional): 3 grad credits from Worcester State University for an additional \$225 payable at the first class



Participants must attend all sessions to receive the endorsement.

To register: Go online to http://www.tec-coop.org/PDL_RegForm.html or complete this form and send, **along with a check or PO**, to:

TEC Professional Development, 141 Mansion Drive, Suite 200, E. Walpole, MA 02032

Register me for "RETELL SEI Teacher Endorsement" on 9/11/17!

Cost: \$450

Name: _____ School: _____

Home address: _____ Role: _____

City, state, zip code: _____ Address: _____

Email: _____ City, state, zip code: _____

Home phone: _____ Work phone: _____

Withdrawals: No credits/refunds will be given unless TEC is notified 10 business days before the first class. All payments processed upon receipt. There is a \$5 cancellation fee.