

REGION 10 EDUCATION SERVICE CENTER

2009 Texas Adolescent Literacy Academies (TALA) 7th & 8th Grade Academy

Middle School Teachers! **LEARN** successful academic literacy routines and **EARN \$\$\$** doing so!

Registration opens
February 28, 2009

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These academies are designed specifically for 7th & 8th grade teachers of math, science, social studies, reading, English, and language arts. Based on the latest scientifically based reading research, each academy offers engaging strategies to address effective instruction. The Academies will help prepare 7th & 8th grade teachers to design appropriate instruction for all students including those who are struggling with reading due to limited English proficiency, learning disabilities, and other risk factors for reading differences.

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Forgot your Region 10 password? Please contact our Help Desk at 972-348-1158. As long as you have a Region 10 account, they can reset your password. Otherwise, set up a new account.

Do you have questions about the academies? Please contact Tricia Gold, 214-850-0788 OR Lisa Davis, 972-348-1402.

Texas Adolescent Literacy Academy (TALA) for ELA Teachers

PREREQUISITE: This three-day academy is designed specifically for **Region 10 7th & 8th grade teachers of reading, English and/or language arts.**

DATES: Throughout the months of June and July, and the 1st week in August

LOCATION: Offered in every Region 10 county

REGISTER: Go to Region 10's website www.region10.org. Under "Quick Links" click on "Workshop Registration", click on "search" in the gray bar at the top of page, type "TALA" in the first search box, in the second search box REMOVE THE DATE. Click "Go". Register for the **7th & 8th grade** ELA date and location that best suits you! You will need to either "Log In" or "Create an Account".

STIPEND: Participants of the ELA Academy will be paid a \$250 stipend upon completion of the three-day ELA Academy and will receive an additional \$250 when they complete the on-line documentation portion of the training in the fall of 2009 (the second stipend is pending funding by the 81st Texas Legislature).

Texas Adolescent Literacy Academy (TALA) for Content Area Teachers

PREREQUISITE: This day-and-a-half academy is designed specifically for **Region 10 7th & 8th grade teachers of math, science, and social studies.**

DATES: Throughout the months of June and July, and the 1st week in August

LOCATION: Offered in every Region 10 county

REGISTER: Go to Region 10's website www.region10.org. Under "Quick Links" click on "Workshop Registration", click on "search" in the gray bar at the top of page, type "TALA" in the first search box, in the second search box REMOVE THE DATE. Click "Go". Register for the **7th & 8th grade** Content Area Academy date and location that best suits you! You will need to either "Log In" or "Create an Account".

STIPEND: Participants of the Content Area Academy will be paid a \$125 stipend upon completion of the day-and-a-half of the Content Area Academy and will receive an additional \$125 when they complete the on-line documentation portion of the training in the fall of 2009 (the second stipend is pending funding by the 81st Texas Legislature).