



Los Angeles Unified School District

Division of Instruction

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RE-IMAGINING ELA-ELD: Benchmark Advance Training Make-Up

- What:** 7-hr PD on Benchmark Advance Program
Eligible employees will also receive a Chromebook device
- Who:** TK – 5/6 Teachers, Out of classroom at elementary sites, and Principals
- When:** **Select ONE day**
Sunday, August 27, 2017 (Grades K-6, TK only at Mulholland)
Saturday, September 16, 2017 (Grades K-6, TK only at Malabar)
Saturday, September 23, 2017 (Grades K-6, TK only at Ambler)
- Time:** 8:00 am - 4:00 pm (7 hrs)
- Register:** Learning Zone: lz.lausd.net (Keyword: Benchmark)
- Compensation:** Training Rate (\$25 per hour) for 7 hours
(NO partial payment for partial attendance.)
- Important:** Please bring your **Unit 1 & 2 TRS** (Teacher's Resource System) and **ELD TRS** on date of professional development

Notes:

1. Participants must sign up online.
2. Participants must be certificated.
3. Participants will only qualify for one day attendance
(See exception in FAQ on page 2.)

*This is a make-up PD for people who did not attend in June.
This is NOT an additional or follow-up PD.

**Equity, Access,
Acceleration!**



Locations:

Malabar ES

3200 E. Malabar Street
Los Angeles, CA 90063

Mulholland MS

17120 Vanowen Street
Lake Balboa, CA 91406

Ambler ES

319 E. Sherman Drive
Carson, CA 90746

LAUSD ELA-ELD TEXTBOOK PD DETAILS & FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1. **Can I attend more than one day of training? What if I teach a combo class?**

You can only get paid for one day, and can be issued only one Chromebook device.

Training is a comprehensive overview and there are many grade level crossovers. Combo class teachers should select one of the grades they will teach.

Exceptions:

TK/K combo teachers may attend and be paid for one day of TK (a comprehensive program) and one day of Kinder (the ELA-ELD program), because of the differences between those programs. TK will be using Ready to Advance and K will be using Benchmark Advance.

SDC/RSP teachers may attend and be paid for one day of primary (TK-1) and one day of upper (3-6).

2. **Will I get a Chromebook at the training?**

Certificated staff working at an elementary site will be issued one Chromebook. (Sorry, no classified or substitutes.) Chromebooks are issued to you as an employee, not to your site, or to you personally.

3. **Can someone sign me up on Learning Zone?**

Every participant needs to sign up on their own.

Everyone will need a functional single sign-on (SSO) login and password to register on Learning Zone, as well as to log in to and use your newly issued device at the training.

lz.lausd.net > class offerings > keyword: "Benchmark"

(Email and MISIS attendance will work with an expired password, but Learning Zone will not.)

To reset SSO password: https://mylogin.lausd.net/Employee/EmployeAction.aspx?go=action_Employee

4. **If I can't get into a class on Learning Zone, can I just show up?**

Show up at your own risk. There is no guarantee you will get a seat, a device, or payment. Everyone on the registration roster (including those on wait list) will have priority placement. There are a set number of devices at each site each day.

5. **Why is the training until 4:00 pm?**

It is a very full day: ELA, ELD, and device deployment. Participants will be compensated for the seven hours. No partial payment for partial attendance. Please plan to attend on a day where you can stay the required time. No exceptions.

6. **I'm not sure which date I can attend. Can I just sign up for all of them?**

If a participant signs up for multiple classes and is not a TK/K or SPED teacher, they are running the risk of getting dropped from all the classes.

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