

## Grant Opportunities:

ESD Technology Grants, due January 31<sup>st</sup>, [www.eds.com/techgrants](http://www.eds.com/techgrants)

Actuarial Foundation Grants, open deadline, [www.actuarialfoundation.org/grant](http://www.actuarialfoundation.org/grant)

Artists in the Schools Grants, due December 14<sup>th</sup>, [www.vashonsd.org/curriculum](http://www.vashonsd.org/curriculum) (click on the art link)

## Professional Development Opportunities:

### **December**

Creating and Managing the Writer's Workshop, Grades 2-6, Seattle area, December 1<sup>st</sup>,  
[www.SDE.com/REGISTER](http://www.SDE.com/REGISTER)

Grades 7-12 KNOW Training, Tacoma, December 5<sup>th</sup>, [www.k12.wa.us/curriculuminstruct/healthfitness/](http://www.k12.wa.us/curriculuminstruct/healthfitness/)

Health—HIV/STD Update, Tacoma, December 5<sup>th</sup>, [www.k12.wa.us/curriculuminstruct/healthfitness/](http://www.k12.wa.us/curriculuminstruct/healthfitness/)

Grades 5-6 KNOW Training, Tacoma, December 6<sup>th</sup>, [www.k12.wa.us/curriculuminstruct/healthfitness/](http://www.k12.wa.us/curriculuminstruct/healthfitness/)

What's New in Young Adult Literature and How to Use it in Your Program, Grades 6-12, Seattle, December 5<sup>th</sup>  
or Tacoma, December 6<sup>th</sup>, [www.ber.org](http://www.ber.org)

Best Strategies to Teach Young Writers: Using Modeled, Interactive and Guided Writing in a Six Trait Model  
(Grades 1-2), Bellevue, December 14<sup>th</sup>, [www.ber.org](http://www.ber.org)

### **January**

Using Interactive Centers to Differentiate Instruction for All Students in Reading, Writing, Math, and Science  
(Grades K-2), Bellevue, January 4<sup>th</sup>, [www.ber.org](http://www.ber.org)

Accelerating the Reading Skills of Your Title I Students (Grades K-5), Bellevue, January 10<sup>th</sup> or Tacoma,  
January 11<sup>th</sup>, [www.ber.org](http://www.ber.org)

Grades 7-12 KNOW Training, Lynnwood, January 11<sup>th</sup>, [www.k12.wa.us/curriculuminstruct/healthfitness/](http://www.k12.wa.us/curriculuminstruct/healthfitness/)

Health—HIV/STD Update, Lynnwood, January 11<sup>th</sup>, [www.k12.wa.us/curriculuminstruct/healthfitness/](http://www.k12.wa.us/curriculuminstruct/healthfitness/)

Grades 5-6 KNOW Training, Lynnwood, January 12<sup>th</sup>, [www.k12.wa.us/curriculuminstruct/healthfitness/](http://www.k12.wa.us/curriculuminstruct/healthfitness/)

Eric Jensen's Learning Brain Expo, San Diego/Coronado, January 13<sup>th</sup> through 16<sup>th</sup>, [www.brainexpo.com](http://www.brainexpo.com)

Science Education Instructional Materials Showcase: Elementary, Middle School and High School Strands,  
Seattle, January 17<sup>th</sup>, [www.WaStateLASER.org](http://www.WaStateLASER.org)

OSPI 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Seattle, January 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>, [www.k12.wa.us](http://www.k12.wa.us)

Using Guided Reading, Literacy Centers, Literature Circles, and Other Research-Based Strategies to Help Your  
Students Be More Successful Readers (Grades 3-6), Bellevue, January 24<sup>th</sup> or Olympia, January 25<sup>th</sup>,  
[www.ber.org](http://www.ber.org)

Strengthening Your Physical Education Program: Practical Strategies for Assessment and Grading (Grades 4-12), Bellevue, January 26<sup>th</sup>, [www.ber.org](http://www.ber.org)

Making Your Biology/Life Science Instruction the Best It Can Be (Grades 6-12), Bellevue, January 27<sup>th</sup>, [www.ber.org](http://www.ber.org)

### **February**

What's New in Children's Literature and How to Use it in Your Program (Grades K-6), Seattle, February 2<sup>nd</sup>, [www.ber.org](http://www.ber.org)

Grades 7-12 KNOW Training, Olympia, February 6<sup>th</sup>, [www.k12.wa.us/curriculuminstruct/healthfitness/](http://www.k12.wa.us/curriculuminstruct/healthfitness/)

Health—HIV/STD Update, Olympia, February 6<sup>th</sup>, [www.k12.wa.us/curriculuminstruct/healthfitness/](http://www.k12.wa.us/curriculuminstruct/healthfitness/)

Grades 5-6 KNOW Training, Olympia, February 7<sup>th</sup>, [www.k12.wa.us/curriculuminstruct/healthfitness/](http://www.k12.wa.us/curriculuminstruct/healthfitness/)

Strengthening Your Student's Writing Skills (Grades 3-8), February 10<sup>th</sup>, [www.ber.org](http://www.ber.org)

### **April**

Teaching the Academic Essentials, Seattle, April 29<sup>th</sup>, <http://pd.heinemann.com>

### **May**

Supporting Our Youngest Writers: Studies in Process, Genre and Craft for K-2 Workshops, Seattle, May 10<sup>th</sup>, <http://pd.heinemann.com>

### **June**

Science Education Strategic Planning Institute, Everett, June 19<sup>th</sup> through June 24<sup>th</sup>, application for a district team is due March 31<sup>st</sup>, [www.wastatelaser.org](http://www.wastatelaser.org)

Tenth Annual Pacific Northwest Advanced Placement Institute for Teachers, Bellevue, June 26<sup>th</sup> through 30<sup>th</sup>, [www.bsd405.org/api](http://www.bsd405.org/api)