

Lancaster-Lebanon Intermediate Unit 13

# IU13 PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT EVENT

**Event Facilitator:** Janice Estabrook, Gifted Education and Enrichment Coordinator, Instructional Services



## Gifted Network Meeting: Literacy Design Collaborative and the Gifted Learner

Online Category: Gifted

**Date:** Tuesday, December 13, 2011

**Time:** Registration: 12:30 pm Meeting: 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm Networking: 3:00 pm - 3:30 pm

**Location:** The Conference & Training Center at IU 13, 1020 New Holland Avenue, Lancaster, PA 17601

**Presenters:** Barbara Smith, IU 13 Staff Development and Training Specialist & Kelly Galbraith, Literacy Consultant

**Description:** To help meet the ever-present challenge of increasing rigor in the classroom for gifted students, this session will offer a look at strategies to apply the Common Core Standards within content areas of the curriculum. Barbara Smith, lead trainer for the Literacy Design Collaborative (LDC), will show gifted teachers (grades 3-12) how this framework can help meet the needs of their students. LDC is a new way of thinking about and preparing students to be college/career ready. All LDC tasks require students to:

- 1. Read,** analyze, and comprehend texts as specified by the Common Core.
- 2. Write** products as specified by the Common Core (focusing on persuasion, informational/explanatory, and narrative)
- 3. Apply** common Core literacy standards to content areas (ELA, social studies, and/or science).

These tasks are designed to ensure that students receive literacy and content instruction in rigorous academic reading and writing tasks that prepare students for success in college by the end of their high school career. Many IU13 districts are using the LDC Framework as a means to develop highly effective strategies designed to improve students' writing skills and to increase the rigor of instruction in content area classrooms. Come see how it can help your gifted students. Networking time will be available following the meeting.

**Target Audience:** Gifted Education Teachers (Grades 3-12) and Regular Education Teachers (co-teaching with gifted support teachers and/or working with students who are fluent readers and writers)

**Cost:** No Cost for 2011-12 IU 13 Gifted Network Members. \$35 for Non-Members.

**Live Video Streaming:** \$25 connection Fee: Contact Janice Estabrook for details - [Deadline for video stream registration : December 6](#)

(Note: There is a separate *My Learning Plan* registration site for the Video Streaming option.)

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**IU Registration Deadline:** Friday, December 9, 2011

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Name: _____	Home Phone: _____
Social Security #: _____	Home Address: _____
Building: _____	
Position/Grade Level: _____	Requesting Act 48 Hours? _____
Administrator Signature (If Required for Approval to Attend): _____	