



Spring 2012 ALECC Certificate Program NYSED Adult Literacy Education Core Curriculum (ALECC)

Class Dates and Times

January 6, 2012 – June 8, 2012

Application Deadline Date: December 23, 2011

Introduction and Orientation to ALECC and Moodle (3 Hours)

This workshop provides an introduction and orientation to ALECC and Moodle, ALECC's online course management system.

Friday, January 6, 2012, 1:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Module1: Orientation Pre-Service or Early-In-Service Institute (6 Hours)

This workshop provides a comprehensive introduction to key concepts, research, policies, resources, and evidence-based practices in the field of adult literacy education today.

Friday, January 13, 2012, 9:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Module2: Digital Literacy - Accessing Resources Online (3 Hours)

In this workshop, participants will gain hands-on experience in the computer lab using the internet to supplement their own learning and professional development.

Friday, January 20, 2012, 1:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Module3: Valuing Diversity & Appreciating Difference (3 Hours)

This workshop will explore the issues of diversity and difference in the adult education classroom.

Friday, February 17, 2012, 1:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Module4: The Art & Science of Teaching Reading to Adults (3 Hours)

In this workshop, participants will develop an awareness of the importance of the five major components of reading instruction as well as the importance of vocabulary and learner knowledge in the reading process.

Friday, March 16, 2012, 1:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Modules5: Teaching English to Adult Speakers of Other Languages (3 Hours)

In this workshop, participants will develop an awareness of the importance of communicative language teaching (CLT) and the use of contextualized language in ESL instruction.

Friday, April 13, 2012, 1:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Module6: Teaching Numeracy and Quantitative Literacy to Adults (3 Hours)

In this workshop, participants will develop an understanding of the relevant core concepts and standards in the field of teaching quantitative literacy and numeracy.

Friday, May 25, 2012, 1:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Module7: Indicators of Program Quality (3 Hours)

In this workshop, participants will understand the importance of adult education in the Regents P-16 Action Plan and will identify the qualities that make a good adult education and literacy program.

Friday, June 8, 2012, 1:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

2010 - 2011 ALECC Final Certificate Ceremony and Luncheon

Friday, June 29, 2012, 1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

For more information about this program, please contact Marilyn J. Rymniak at 212-803-3322 or at marilyn@lacnyc.org. To apply, go to <http://lacnyc.org/profdev/TESLA> ALECC Certificate Application.