

# *Professional Development Calendar*

## August

- RTI Orientation (8/18)  
*Joel Pomerantz/ Vivian Garfunkel, M. Ed*

## September

- Special Ed. Portfolios (9/24)  
*Vivian Garfunkel, M. Ed*

## October

- Portfolio Assessment/ Coaching (10/31)  
*Vivian Garfunkel, M. Ed*

## November

- Neglect and Child Abuse: Are They the Same Thing? (11/14)  
*Nicki Salfer, MS, MA, PA*
- Alternative Assessment (11/21)  
*Marsida Satka/ Vivian Garfunkel, M. Ed*
- Portfolio Assessment/ Coaching (ongoing)

## December

- Success Strategies for Ohio Achievement Tests  
*Show What You Know<sup>5</sup> Publishing*
- Portfolio Assessment/ Coaching (ongoing)
- Alternative Assessment/ Coaching (ongoing)
- Managing Instructional Time (12/9, 12/10)  
*Nicki Salfer, MS, MA, PA*

## January

- Aligning Work Samples, Activities to IEP Goals/Progress Reporting (1/9)  
*Vivian Garfunkel, M. Ed*
- Class Management (1/12)  
*Speaker (To Be Announced)*
- **“Another Set of Eyes”** (1/23)  
*Speaker David Gilbert*
- Intro to Literacy Training (1/26, 1/27, 1/28)  
*Nicki Salfer, MS, MA, PA*
- Portfolio Assessment/ Coaching (ongoing)
- Alternative Assessment/ Coaching (ongoing)

## February

- Standard Based Training IEPs (PLOPS) (2/27)  
*Vivian Garfunkel, M. Ed*

- Portfolio Assessment/ Coaching (ongoing)
- Alternative Assessment/ Coaching (ongoing)

#### March

- Practicing Literacy/Visualizing Techniques (3/6)  
*Nicki Salfer, MS, MA, PA*
- **Reflections“Another Set of Eyes”** (3/27)  
*Speaker David Gilbert*
- Portfolio Assessment/ Coaching (ongoing)
- Alternative Assessment/ Coaching (ongoing)

#### April

- Understanding MFEs and IEPs (TBA)  
*Nicki Salfer, MS, MA, PA*
- Motivation Techniques/ Keeping Students Engaged (3/24/08)  
*Vivian Garfunkel, M. Ed*

#### May

- Methods for Evaluating Staff/ Interviewing Technique; Phonics for Literacy Practicum (TBA)  
*Nicki Salfer, MS, MA, PA*
  - Phonics for Literacy Practicum (TBA)  
*Vivian Garfunkel*
  - Classroom Management (5/22)
- Staff TBA
- Alternative Assessment/ Coaching (ongoing)
  - Portfolio Assessment/ Coaching (ongoing)

#### June

- Evaluating Year End Academic Results/ Planning Goals for Coming School Year (6/12)  
*Nicki Salfer, MS, MA, PA*

#### March

- Reading Content Area/ Ashland University Credit or 45 Contact Hours (HQT/ Language Arts/ Reading)

#### January/ February

- Phonics for Literacy/ Ashland University Credit or 45 Contact Hours (HQT/ Language Arts/ Reading)