The Mathematics (K-3) and Literacy (K-5) Academies for teachers explored identified math and reading topics through the lens of instruction and assessment. In addition, teachers were provided guidance on how to address different groups of diverse learners. They also experienced hands-on, minds-on activities designed to engage them in the grade-level material, appropriate formative assessment strategies, and professional discourse.

As administrators, you are tasked with monitoring the implementation of this TEA initiative. This overview will provide a glimpse of what was explored during the academies and the effective and systematic instructional practices that administrators are asked to oversee.

**Session will be from 8:30 A.M. - 11:30 A.M.**

**Audience:** Administrators, Coordinators, Principals, and Instructional Coaches

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**Workshop # 87365**

**Date:** May 23, 2018 A.M. Only

**Location:** Region One ESC, Willacy Room

Edinburg, Texas

**Workshop Fee:** None

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In the Mathematics Achievement Academy participants will:
- Examine the Math TEKS based on learning progressions and critical checkpoints for student understanding;
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- Build a toolkit of strategies and key questions through analysis of activities for students with disabilities, English language learners, students struggling to learn mathematics, and gifted learners;
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ALL 3 DAYS WILL BE FROM 8:30 A.M. - 3:30 P.M.

Audience: Kindergarten and 1st grade Math Teachers and Special Education Teachers

*Anyone that has already attended a Math Academy the last two Summers is NOT eligible to attend

*Teachers that attend must be from a campus on the TEA Priority List

**Mathematics Achievement Academy, Grades K-1**
*Workshop # 87272  Date: June 4-6, 2018*
*Location: Laredo ISD Civic Center, Laredo, Texas*
*Workshop Fee: None*

**Mathematics Achievement Academy, Grades K-1**
*Workshop # 87283  Date: July 24-26, 2018*
*Location: United ISD, Salinas Elementary, Laredo, Texas*
*Workshop Fee: None*

**NOTE: THE ACADEMY WILL ADDRESS THE GRADE APPROPRIATE MATH CONTENT THROUGHOUT THE 3 DAYS**

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Literacy Achievement Academies
Kinder – 3rd Grade

The Kindergarten through grade 3 literacy achievement academies will enhance teachers' knowledge and skills so they can effectively teach students in primary elementary grades to develop reading proficiency. The academies must address effective and systematic instructional practices in reading, including phonemic awareness, phonics, fluency, vocabulary, and comprehension and the use of empirically validated instructional methods that are appropriate for struggling readers and may address training in effective instructional practices in writing.

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Teachers must be from a TEA designated priority campus and attend all 3 days to be eligible for stipend of $350.

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Any teacher that previously attended a Literacy Achievement or Reading to Learn Academy IS NOT eligible to receive a second stipend for reading.

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Workshops will be open for registration on May 1, 2018 at 12:00 pm
Reading to Learn Academies

4th & 5th Grade

The grades 4 and 5 Reading to Learn academies will enhance teachers' knowledge and skills so they can effectively provide reading comprehension instruction to students in grades 4 and 5. These academies must address effective instructional practices that promote student development of reading comprehension and inferential and critical thinking and the use of empirically validated instructional methods that are appropriate for struggling readers and may address training in effective instructional practices in writing.

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**Mathematics Achievement Academy, Grades K-1**
**Workshop # 82349** Date: June 19-21, 2018
Location: Region One ESC, Ft. Ringgold Rm.
Edinburg, Texas
Workshop Fee: None

**Mathematics Achievement Academy, Grade 2**
**Workshop # 82342** Date: June 19-21, 2018
Location: Region One ESC, Ft. McIntosh Rm.
Edinburg, Texas
Workshop Fee: None

**Mathematics Achievement Academy, Grade 3**
**Workshop # 82482** Date: June 26-28, 2018
Location: Region One ESC, Rio Grande Learning Ctr.
Edinburg, Texas
Workshop Fee: None

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**Mathematics Achievement Academy, Grades K-1**
**Workshop # 82479** Date: July 24-26, 2018
Location: Region One ESC, Falcon Dam Rm.
Edinburg, Texas
Workshop Fee: None

**Mathematics Achievement Academy, Grade 2**
**Workshop # 82480** Date: July 31-Aug. 2, 2018
Location: Region One ESC, Falcon Dam Rm.
Edinburg, Texas
Workshop Fee: None

**Mathematics Achievement Academy, Grade 3**
**Workshop # 82474** Date: July 31- Aug. 2, 2018
Location: Region One ESC, La Lomita Rm.
Edinburg, Texas
Workshop Fee: None

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