



EDUCATION RESOURCE GROUP

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Education Resource Group is proud to present:

K-12 Literacy Institute

with **Stephanie Harvey, Debbie Miller, and Cris Tovani**
August 7, 8 & 9, 2012

Benton Convention Center
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

Overview:

This workshop is a three-day K-12 Literacy Institute, led by three of the top authors and educators in the country. Each morning will begin with a keynote address from one of the speakers and an interactive activity for all participants. During this time, participants are able to interact across grade levels and hear each speaker deliver a message that is appropriate for all grade levels. After lunch, participants will form three breakout groups divided by grade level (roughly Elementary, Middle, and High School), and each speaker will lead a breakout group for the remainder of the day. Participants will be with the same breakout group and leader for two afternoons, and will have the opportunity to go deeper into literacy issues particular to each age group.

Agenda:

Day 1: Tuesday, August 7, 2012

- 7:30 – 8:00 Registration and Breakfast
- 8:00 – 10:00 Keynote Address with Stephanie Harvey
- 10:00 – 10:15 Break
- 10:15 – 11:15 Interactive activity for entire K-12 audience
- 11:15 – 12:15 Lunch
- 12:15 – 3:00 Grade level breakout sessions: Elementary School—Debbie Miller
Middle School—Stephanie Harvey
High School—Cris Tovani

Day 2: Wednesday, August 8, 2012

- 7:30 – 8:00 Registration and Breakfast
- 8:00 – 10:00 Keynote Address with Debbie Miller
- 10:00 – 10:15 Break
- 10:15 – 11:15 Interactive Activity for entire K-12 audience
- 11:15 – 12:15 Lunch
- 12:15 – 3:00 Grade level breakout sessions: Elementary School—Debbie Miller
Middle School—Stephanie Harvey
High School—Cris Tovani

Day 3: Thursday, August 9, 2012

- 7:30 – 8:00 Registration and Breakfast
8:00 – 10:00 Keynote Address with Cris Tovani
10:00 – 10:15 Break
10:15 – 11:15 Interactive Activity for entire K-12 audience
11:15 – 12:00 Q&A and Closing Remarks

About Our Presenters:

Stephanie Harvey works with educators, schools and districts to implement progressive literacy practices. Insatiably curious about student thinking, she is a teacher first and foremost and continues to work in schools on a regular basis savoring any time spent with kids. She is author of multiple books including *Comprehension and Collaboration: Inquiry Circles in Action* (with Harvey Daniels), and the recently published *Comprehension Going Forward*.



Debbie Miller taught and learned from children in the Denver Public Schools for thirty years, and now presents workshops and works extensively with schools and districts on long-range planning and development of literacy programs. She is the author of *Teaching with Intention: Defining Beliefs, Aligning Practice, Taking Action*, *Reading with Meaning: Teaching Comprehension in the Primary Grades*, and the recently published *Comprehension Going Forward*.



Cris Tovani is a high school reading specialist and English teacher. In addition to teaching full-time, she is a nationally known consultant focusing on issues of reading and content comprehension in secondary classrooms. Cris is the author of the books *I Read It but I Don't Get It*, *Do I Really Have to Teach Reading?*, and the recently published *So What Do They Really Know? Assessment that Informs Teaching and Learning*, and *Comprehension Going Forward*.

Pricing:

The cost of this workshop is \$500.00 per person and includes the following:

- ❖ Breakfast each morning
- ❖ Lunch on Day 1 and Day 2
- ❖ Snacks on Day 1 and Day 2
- ❖ Workshop materials
- ❖ A certificate of attendance for renewal credit

Early Bird Special:

- ❖ Register by May 1, 2012 and save! Registration drops to \$475 per person.



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Location:

Benton Convention Center
301 West 5th Street
Winston-Salem, NC 27101
(336) 727-2976
<http://twincityquarter.com/benton.html>

Special Room Rate:

The Marriott Hotel adjoins the Benton Convention Center. The Marriott is pleased to offer a special rate of \$119.00 per room to participants of the Education Resource Group workshop. You **must** mention you are attending an Education Resource Group event when making your reservation. To reserve a room, call 1-800-320-0934.

Parking:

Parking is \$1.00 per hour in a convenient parking deck, with a maximum of \$9.00 per day.

To Register:

A registration form is attached. Please mail or fax the form with payment to Education Resource Group to confirm your spot.



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Workshop Registration Form (*please reproduce as needed*)

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Name: _____

Position: _____

Grade Range of Interest:

Elementary K-2

Elementary 3-5

Middle

High

E-mail (*we will communicate primarily via e-mail*): _____

School Name: _____

School Mailing Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip: _____

School Phone: _____

School Fax: _____

Registration Fee if received before May 1, 2012: \$475.00 per person

Registration Fee if received after May 1, 2012: \$500.00 per person

Method of Payment:

Mastercard

Check Included

Visa

Account Number: _____

3-Digit Security Code: _____

Expiration Date: _____

Name as it appears on credit card: _____

Billing Address: _____

Signature: _____

Register By Fax (for payment by credit card): Fax your registration form and payment to **336.725.8143**

Register By Mail (for payment by check or credit card): Mail your registration form payment to:

Education Resource Group—Workshop Registration
942 West Fourth Street
Winston Salem, N.C. 27101



K-12 Literacy Institute FAQ:

How much is the workshop and what does the fee include?

The cost of this workshop is \$500.00 per person. We offer an early bird discount of \$475 for those registering before May 1. Your registration fee includes breakfast each day, lunch and snacks on Day 1 and Day 2, workshop materials, and a certificate awarding renewal credit. Travel, parking, and overnight accommodations are not included in the registration fee.

Is payment due at the time of registration?

Yes. You can register by fax or mail using a credit card. You may also register via mail with a check.

What is the cut-off date to register?

You are welcome to register up until Monday, August 6, 2012, unless the workshop has filled to maximum capacity. We suggest you try to register as soon as possible.

Where is the workshop being held and is there a discount on overnight hotel rooms?

The workshop will be held at the Benton Convention Center in Winston-Salem, North Carolina. The adjoining Marriott Hotel will offer a special rate to participants of the Education Resource Group workshop, which is \$119.00 per night. Please call 1-800-320-0934 to arrange your accommodations. You **must** mention you are attending an Education Resource Group event when making your reservation to receive the special rate.

What is your cancellation policy?

Registration fees are non-refundable. Substitutions are allowed at any time.

Will I get CEU credit for attending this workshop?

Yes, you will receive 16 hours of credit, or 1.6 CEU, for attending this workshop.

How do I register for this workshop?

We welcome your registration by fax or mail, with full payment by Visa, MasterCard. Checks are accepted by mail only, payable to Education Resource Group.

Are copies of the presenters' books included in the workshop fee?

No, but books will be available for purchase at the workshop.

Who can I contact if I have more questions?

For questions about registration, please contact Erica Frost at erica@myedresource.com. For questions about workshop content, please contact Hope Reagan hope@myedresource.com, or Alice Oakley alice@myedresource.com. We can also be reached by phone at 1-866-725-8121.