

## Literacy Minnesota Online Training Sessions

### 1. Developing Fluency and Vocabulary for Beginning English Speakers\*

Beginning level language learners are expected to master a great deal of vocabulary right from the start.

In this webinar, discover methods for teaching vocabulary to beginning level English learners and recommendations for making it stick.

Participants will also explore ways to build speaking fluency and confidence, and will leave with concrete activity ideas that can be used in one-on-one or small group instruction.

*Tuesday, February 23, 2021*

*6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. CST*

*[More information and registration here.](#)*

### 2. Developing and Practicing Reading Fluency\* Low Intermediate - Advanced

Come and review the important role of fluency in reading instruction.

We will discuss the three key components of reading fluency and look at a variety of activities tutors and teachers can try.

We will talk about the mechanics of doing fluency practice via Zoom, Google Meet, Teams or any other remote tutoring tool (including the phone!).

Participants will have plenty of opportunity to ask questions and share resources.

This workshop will be most useful for instructors working with **low-intermediate to advanced readers.**

*Monday, February 15, 2021*

*6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. CST*

*[More information and registration here](#)*

### **3. Teaching Citizenship Online\***

Jessica Horning, citizenship teacher for the Literacy Minnesota Open Door Learning Centers, will share multiple ways to teach and review the content of the citizenship interview in fun, interactive ways using a virtual teaching platforms such as Zoom or Google Meet.

Participants will receive links to online resources that can be used in one-on-one or small group teaching settings.

Please note that this training will be recorded.

***Wednesday, February 17, 2021***

***6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. CST***

***[More information and registration here](#)***

### **4. Racial Equity 101\***

Join us for a webinar and virtual conversation on racial equity.

During this session, we'll discuss important terms, including racism, white supremacy, white privilege and white fragility.

We'll also practice responding to instances of racism in various scenarios.

You'll leave with resources to address and dismantle racism.

This is a great session for those who are newer to conversations on race or those who would like to share their knowledge and experiences with others.

All are welcome!

***Wednesday, February 24, 2021***

***10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon CST***

***[More information and registration here](#)***