

FY12 WIDA Professional Development Workshops:
Training for ACCESS for ELLs Speaking Test Administration Updates

This workshop will provide a review of the structure, format and administration procedures of ACCESS for ELLs. Updates and changes to the 2011-2012 version will be reviewed. The session will focus on the administration of speaking test and will include opportunities to practice listening to and scoring sample test items.

Presenter:

Ellen Parkhurst, WIDA Professional Development Outreach Facilitator

Session:

A half-day session (morning 09:00 am-noon) or (afternoon 1:00 pm-4:00 pm)

Participants:

1-2 ACCESS for ELLs test administration coordinator(s) per district
 Maximum: 50 participants per each session

Registration:

On-line registration at IRC website (http://www.thecenterweb.org/irc/pages/f_events.html)

Registration deadline: October 10, 2011

Dates/Sessions	Locations
Oct. 18, 2011 (morning/afternoon)	University Center of Lake County G Room # 241 1200 University Center Drive Grayslake, IL 60030 (Tel: 847-665-4000)
Oct. 19, 2011 (morning/afternoon)	Northern Illinois University (NIU) in Naperville Room #114 (Oct. 19) / Room #116 (Oct. 20) 1120 East Diehl Road Naperville, IL 60563 (Tel: 815-752-8990)
Oct. 20, 2011 (morning/afternoon)	
Oct. 25, 2011 (morning/afternoon)	Northwestern University Law School Levy Mayer (LM) 310 in Hurd Hall 375 East Chicago Avenue, Chicago, IL 60611 (Tel: 312-503-8463) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parking spaces and lots are available for a fee. • The workshops in this location are limited for Chicago Public Schools (CPS)
Oct. 26, 2011 (morning/afternoon)	
Oct. 27, 2011 (morning/afternoon)	Moraine Valley Community College Moraine Room # 1 9000 West College Parkway Palos Hills, IL 60465 (Tel: 708-974-5690)
Nov. 8, 2011 (morning/afternoon)	Capital City Training Center, Lincoln Land Community College Lower Level Conference Center 130 West Mason Springfield, IL 62702 (Tel: 217-786-2200)

*A link for materials/resources for participants to bring to the workshops will be updated at DELL web site at <http://www.isbe.net/bilingual>. For further information about the workshops, please contact Dr. Seon Eun at (312) 814-3850.