



## Save the Dates! IRC 2020-2021 Professional Learning Opportunities

Following are some workshops coming up in 2020-2021. The Illinois Resource Center (IRC) offers these free professional learning opportunities to Illinois educators with support from the Illinois State Board of Education. *Please note that locations could be subject to change.*

More details will be coming in late Spring.

Workshop	Presenter	Location	Date
Fair and Square Classroom Practices for Assessing Language Learners	Michele Yanong	NW Suburbs	8/26/20
Helping Bilingual Learners Show What They Know Mathematically Grades 6-8	Cristina Sanchez-Lopez	IRC	9/10/20
Methods for Teaching Initial Spanish Literacy (K-2)	Rachell Anderson	Springfield	9/24/20
Focus on Writing: A Scaffolded Teaching and Learning Cycle	Michele Yanong	NW Suburbs	9/25/20
A Dynamic Approach to Biliteracy: Translanguaging in the Dual Language Classroom	Olivia Mulcahy	Chicago	10/2/20
Increasing Oracy with Multilingual Learners	Rachell Anderson	Quad Cities	10/7/20
Meaningful Vocabulary Instruction for English Learners	Elisabeth Trost	Chicago	10/15/20
MTSS: Tier I Key Conditions & Best Practices for English Learners	Tracy Taylor	NW Suburbs	10/22/20
Increasing Oracy with Multilingual Learners	Rachell Anderson	Bloomington	11/5/20
Universal Design for Learning, for ELs and Everyone	Olivia Mulcahy	IRC	11/6/20
Planning Mathematics Instruction for Bilingual Learners with Special Educational Needs	Cristina Sanchez-Lopez	Boone County	11/19/20
Coaching Biliteracy: Supporting Teachers in Bilingual Programs	Rachell Anderson	Boone County	1/6/21
Focus on Writing: Developing Writing Rubrics for Language Learners and Everyone Else	Michele Yanong	NW Suburbs	1/15/21
MTSS: Guidelines for Neither Over nor Under Identifying English Learners in Need of Special Education Services--Keys to Describing before Diagnosing	Tracy Taylor	Kane County	1/28/21
Supporting Students with Limited or Interrupted Formal Education (SLIFE) in the Classroom	Elisabeth Trost	N Suburbs	2/12/21
Supporting Bilingual Learners with Special Educational Needs	Cristina Sanchez-Lopez	Boone County	2/18/21
EL Lens on Project-Based Learning	Olivia Mulcahy	S Suburbs	2/26/21
Academic Language in the Content Areas: Strategies You Can Use This Week	Michele Yanong	W Suburbs	3/1/21
Content Instruction in Spanish (Grades 3-5)	Cristina Sanchez-Lopez	IRC	3/4/21
Meaningful Formative Assessment that Drives Instruction	Elisabeth Trost	Chicago	3/11/21
MTSS for Administrators	Tracy Taylor & Elisabeth Trost	NW Suburbs	3/25/21
Spotlight on Syllables: Strategies for Initial Spanish Literacy Instruction	Rachell Anderson	Kane County	4/14/21
MTSS: Assessing English Learners' Language Development Within Tier II Literacy Instruction	Tracy Taylor	NW Suburbs	4/15/21
Using Can Dos and Other WIDA Resources to Teach to Grade-level Standards	Elisabeth Trost	Chicago	4/22/21
A Dynamic Approach to Biliteracy: Translanguaging in the Dual Language Classroom	Olivia Mulcahy	S Suburbs	4/23/21
Meaningful Reading Instruction for English Learners in Primary Grades	Elisabeth Trost	Chicago	5/13/21