

Gifted Education Seminar

THIS PROGRAM IS FREE

This year only. That's right, all books and classroom time are at no cost. The only thing you need to pay for is three hours graduate credit IE you choose to take it. For more information, check out our website at www.west40.org. Several sessions will be offered.

Session times are listed below.

Option 4 - 45 hours self-directed and 4 hours face-to-face

4:00 PM - 6:00 PM, provide your own food, please

- January 14 and April 22 - February 9 and April 22
- March 10 and May 19

Option 3 - 30 hours self-directed and 15 hours face-to-face

8:30 AM - 4:00 PM, brown bag lunches and snacks on-your-own, please

- March 20 and May 8

- April 17 and June 12 or

4:00PM - 7:00 PM, provide your own food, please

- April 12, 19, 26; May 3, and 10

Option 2 - 21 hours self-directed and 24 hours face-to-face

8:30 AM - 4:30 PM, brown bag lunches and snacks on-your-own, please

- June 21, 23, and 25

Option 1 - 9 hours self-directed and 36 hours face-to-face

8:00 AM - 4:30 PM, brown bag lunches and snacks on-your-own, please

June 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18

- Learn to identify and meet the needs of gifted students in your classroom.
- Explore new ways to differentiate instruction.
- Select a seminar that meets your personal and professional schedule.
- Investigate the four modules: Getting a Perspective on Gifted, Knowing the Gifted Child, Differentiation, Curriculum and Program Models.
- Create a project to use in your classroom.
- Earn 45 CPDU's or 3 hours of graduate credit from Lindenwood University. Credit available at a cost of \$200 plus a \$25 registration fee.

Gifted Education Seminar Goal

Teachers will be able to create an environment to identify gifted and talented learners and address their diverse needs to facilitate at least a year's growth and development in the teacher's classroom.

The Gifted Education Seminar is aimed at teaching educators how to identify gifted and talented students in their own classroom by using authentic resources from gifted education experts including Bertie Kingore, Carolyn Coil, and Jim Delisle.

The seminar will focus around 4 modules, Perspectives, Knowing, Differentiation, and Curriculum and Program Models.

If you have any other questions please contact:

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Location

West 40

Intermediate Service Center #2
2701 West Washington Blvd.
2nd Floor West
Bellwood, IL 60104

You must bring a laptop or a netbook to class. The computer must meet the following **Minimum System Requirements**

Windows 2000 or better*

Pentium III 2.33 GHz or faster

128 MB RAM or better

USB Drive

Adobe Reader

Macintosh OS 10.4 or better*

Power PC G5 1.8 GHz or faster

Intel Core Duo 1.33 GHz or faster

processor

256 MB RAM or better

USB Drive

Adobe Reader

* Minimum Screen resolution: 1024 X 768