Keys to Literacy

Online Professional Development

Educators can access Keys to Literacy (KTL) professional development through our online training courses. Each course is organized into modules that include interactive activities, readings, video clips from live training, and activities that allow users to master course content. Online courses are asynchronous which means users can complete the course at their convenience; they may log in at any time to work through the modules at their own pace. KTL also offers hybrid-online options that combine an online course with live facilitated sessions with a KTL trainer. Contact KTL to learn more.

Online courses can be taken by individual teachers who register directly with KTL, or through a school district that has contracted with KTL to provide a course to educators. Order all courses at the KTL website by visiting the online course page: https://keystoliteracy.com/delivery/online-pd/

Course Title	Approx. hours to Complete	Price*
Keys to Beginning Reading A copy of the *Keys to Beginning Reading* training book is included. This course is appropriate for any educator who teaches basic reading skills to all students in grades K-3 or students in upper elementary grades who struggle with basic reading skills. The course is organized into eleven modules that range from 1.5 to 7.5 hours each: Reading Basics, Oral Language, Phonological Awareness, Phonics, Fluency, Vocabulary, Sentence Structure, Comprehension, Instruction for Struggling Students, Reading Assessment. For more information about live professional development for this program visit this website page: https://keystoliteracy.com/offering/keys-to-beginning-reading/	36	Single User $349 8 or more: $299
The Key Comprehension Routine: Grades 4-12 A copy of the *Key Comprehension Routine Grade 4-12* training book is included. This course is appropriate for all grades 4-12 educators. Topics covered include: critical thinking, text structure, main idea skills, topic web graphic organizer, two- column notes, summarizing, question generation. For more information about live professional development for this program visit this website page: https://keystoliteracy.com/offering/the-key-comprehension-routine/	13.5	Single User $199 8 or more: $179
The Key Vocabulary Routine: Grades 2-12 A copy of the *Key Vocabulary Routine* training book is included. This course is appropriate for all grades 2-12 educators. Topics covered include: how students learn new words, previewing before reading, four activities to make word connections, teaching academic vocabulary in-depth, user-friendly definitions, using context and word parts, promoting a word-conscious environment. For more information about live professional development for this program visit this website page: https://keystoliteracy.com/offering/the-key-vocabulary-routine/	9.5	

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***Keys to Content Writing*: Grades 4-12** A copy of the *Keys to Content Writing* training book is included. This course is appropriate for all grades 4-12 educators. Topics covered include: the writing process, quick writes, basic text structures (argument, informational, narrative), writing from sources, writing models and mentor text, explicit instruction and scaffolds, feedback and revision, writing assignment planning guide. For more information about live professional development for this program visit this page for the grades 4-6 focus: https://keystoliteracy.com/offering/keys-to-content-writing-grades-3-6/ and this website page for the grades 6-12 focus: https://keystoliteracy.com/offering/keys-content-writing-grades-6-12/	14	
Keys to Early Writing: Grades K-2 A copy of the *Keys to Early Writing* training book is included. This course is appropriate for all grades K-3 educators. Topics covered include: early developmental stages, the language-literacy connection, using read aloud to teach print and writing concepts, suggestions for engaging a community of writers (collaboration, opportunities for feedback, student choice), daily writing using quick writes, sentence/paragraph writing, transitions, opinion/information/narrative text structure, stages in the writing process, writing from sources, writing scaffolds, writing activity guide. For more information about live professional development for this program visit this website page: https://keystoliteracy.com/offering/keys-to-early-writing/	16	
Keys to Comprehension and Vocabulary for Students with Learning Disabilities: Grades 4-12 Copies of the *Key Comprehension* and *Key Vocabulary* training books are included. This course includes an introductory module about the literacy instruction needs of students with learning disabilities combined with modules from *The Key Comprehension Routine* and *The Key Vocabulary Routine* online courses. It is appropriate for all grades 4-12 educators.	23.5	Single User $319 8 or more: $299
Keys to Comprehension and Vocabulary for SEI or English as a Second Language: Grades 4-12 Copies of the *Key Comprehension* and *Key Vocabulary* training books are included. This course includes an introductory module about the literacy instruction and needs of ELLs (English language learners) combined with modules from *The Key Comprehension Routine* and *The Key Vocabulary Routine* online courses. It is appropriate for all grades 4-12 educators.	23.5	
How to Teach Question Generation This mini-course is appropriate for any educator who teaches students grades 4 through 12. The course provides professional development for teaching question generation in any subject. You will learn numerous instructional practices for teaching students how to generate questions to support comprehension. You will also learn scaffolds that can be used to differentiate your instruction to meet individual student needs.	3	$39

How to Teach Two-Column Note Taking This mini-course is appropriate for any educator who teaches grades 4 through 12. The course provides professional development for teaching note taking in any subject. You will learn numerous instructional practices for a variety of literacy skills that students must learn in order to take quality notes. You will also learn scaffolds that can be used to differentiate your instruction to meet individual student needs.	5	$59
Understanding Dyslexia This mini-course provides the background knowledge about dyslexia that all elementary educators need in order to understand why students with dyslexia struggle with reading and how to support them in the classroom. The training covers these topics: What is dyslexia?, The Reading Brain, Dyslexia and the Five Components of Reading, Screening for Dyslexia, Effective Instruction, Structured Literacy Instruction – Sounds, Sound-Symbol Correspondences, Syllable Types and Morphemes.	6	$69
Keys to Literacy Comprehension Coach Training This course is appropriate for any educator who is preparing to be a peer coach in their school or district for *The Key Comprehension Routine*. The course provides background knowledge about peer coaching and an advanced review of the two grade-level versions of the program: *The Key Comprehension Routine Grades 4- 12* and *The Key Comprehension Routine Grades K-3.* This is a facilitated asynchronous course. Upon completion, you will be prepared to provide implementation coaching for *The Key Comprehension Routine*. Because of the advanced nature of the course content, completion of initial teacher training is a prerequisite. Contact KTL for more information.	11	$399

* Prices do not include shipping and handling for courses that come with books. See the rates when ordering.

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