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ELA Opportunity - from Dawn Hanzel

The following email was sent to all program directors/leads.

I am pleased to share that beginning in November, KYAE will offer individualized assistance in English language arts instruction through the Collaborative Center for Literacy Development (CCLD).

Either I or another instructional coach with expertise in ELA will be available to visit your program and spend a day or two working with one or more of your instructors. Before the visit, I will collaborate with you to identify the specific needs you may have in implementing English language arts (ELA) instruction so that I may offer the assistance that will best benefit your students and program.

The visits are available on a first-come, first-served basis between November 2014 through May 2015.

The visit(s) may focus on ELA assessment and instruction services including, but not limited to:

- Administering reading and writing assessments to students, such as the Adult Diagnostic Reading Inventory (ADRI)
- Working with students to develop small-group or individual goal plans (i.e., the PowerPath SMARTER plans and other student engagement and planning tools)
- Providing ELA instruction to students to model best practice
- Assisting instructors in identifying effective ELA instructional strategies to increase TABE level gains in each of the NRS levels
- Assisting instructors on ramping up their existing curriculum or lessons to include activities to assist students with skills in preparation for the GED® 2014 Test, including RLA, Social Studies, and Science.
- Assisting with integrating technology in instruction
- Meeting with you or any of your staff to identify needs and provide information, resources, etc.
- Gathering ideas and resources from you that may be shared with other programs

Once we discover your needs, we will pair you with the instructional coach that can best support you.

I am interested in working with you to discover the most effective way I may assist you.

If you are interested, please contact me with the best time to discuss your needs. I am looking forward to this opportunity to work with you and your instructors.

Sincerely,

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