

Using SMARTBoards to Enhance Science Instruction

Described as a "student magnet," SMARTBoards bring a new level of excitement and opportunity to teaching and learning. Like most tools, it is not the tool itself, but rather how the tool is used that will ultimately determine its effectiveness and longevity. Participants in this workshop will review and work directly with the many features of SMARTBoards. Emphasis will be on integrating SMARTBoard software into Science lessons. Participants who are registered for the Intermediate and Advanced sessions are expected to arrive to the workshop ready to create SMARTBoard lessons for immediate use in their classrooms. Participants are encouraged to bring appropriate curriculum materials as well as a USB (flash) drive.

*We are offering 6 of these workshops this year...
Please register carefully!*

The courses are offered on three levels based on your SMARTBoard experience: Beginner (B), Intermediate (I), and Advanced (A) and then each level is grouped by grade (K-2nd or 3rd-6th.)

BEGINNER (B): These workshops are intended for those participants who have very little or no experience with the SMARTBoard. It is an introductory level session to help participants learn the basics of the SMARTBoard and the Notebook Software.

INTERMEDIATE (I): These workshops are intended for those participants who already have an understanding and a working knowledge of the Work Area, Menus and Toolbar buttons of the Notebook Software. It is an intermediate session where participants will learn design fundamentals and develop presentation creation skills. Participants should have a minimum of one year of experience using the Notebook Software with the SMARTBoard. Participants are expected to arrive to the workshop ready to create SMARTBoard lessons for immediate use in their classroom.

ADVANCED (A): These workshops are intended for those participants who have a proficient, working knowledge of the Work Area, Menus, and Toolbar buttons of the Notebook Software. It is an advanced session where participants will identify, learn and share advanced design fundamentals, presentation creation skills and other "tricks." Participants are expected to arrive to the workshop ready to create SMARTBoard lessons for immediate use in their classroom.

Kent Leo served as Science 21 coordinator from 1996-2002 and was the key developer of the program. Following his retirement from the Harrison CSD, Kent is "returning home" and is now conducting SMARTBoard workshops!

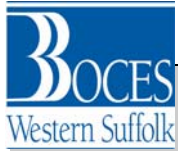
Time:	8:30am - 2:30pm		
Cost:	\$100pp (members A506); \$150pp (non-members)		
Place:	Division of Instructional Support Svcs, 31 Lee Ave., Wheatley Heights, NY		
	<u>Beginner</u>	<u>Intermediate</u>	<u>Advanced</u>
Gr K-2	Nov 15, 2010	Dec 9, 2010	Dec 16, 2010
Gr 3-6	Dec 21, 2010	Jan 12, 2011	Jan 19, 2011

My Learning Plan/WebReg

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For registration instructions, please see the reverse side (pg 2) of this flyer.

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Western Suffolk BOCES Professional Development Web Registration Directions

*Check with your district to see if you are a member of My Learning Plan
Workshop flyer maps for directions can be found on MLP*

For My Learning Plan Member Districts

If you are a member of My Learning Plan, you will be given a user name and password by your district. To see courses and to register, please do the following:

- ⇒ Log onto www.mylearningplan.com
- ⇒ Click on the Western Suffolk BOCES Catalog link

*If your district does NOT have a link to the WS BOCES catalog,
please copy this link into your web browser*

<http://www.wsboces.org/WebReg>

- ⇒ Select the course you'd like to enroll in
- ⇒ When ready, click the "Click to Enroll" button
- ⇒ Click MLP Users (Enter User Name & Password - Log in)
- ⇒ Enter personal registration information
- ⇒ Select payment method; click the "Next" button
- ⇒ Click Terms and Conditions button
- ⇒ Print the confirming enrollment form
- ⇒ Scroll down and read the rest of the information on the final screen
- ⇒ You will receive an email when you are registered

For Non-My Learning Plan Districts

Please click on this link to see the WS BOCES catalog.

<http://www.wsboces.org/WebReg>

At the top of the page will be a purple box. The workshops are divided up into programs.

- ⇒ Highlight the program you'd like to search workshops in and "search catalog"
- ⇒ Workshops will be listed in date order
- ⇒ Select the course you would like to enroll in
- ⇒ Click the "click to enroll" button
- ⇒ **Registered Users:** click "I'm a Registered User", then enter your email address and password to log in. Click "update and continue".
- ⇒ **New Users:** Click on "I'm a New User" and complete the form. When finished, click the "Create Account" button.
- ⇒ Enter personal registration information
- ⇒ Select payment method; click the "next" button
- ⇒ Click Terms and Conditions button
- ⇒ **PRINT THE CONFIRMING ENROLLMENT FORM. ONCE YOU RECEIVE ADMINISTRATIVE SIGNATURE, Please fax (631-623-4915) to WS BOCES**
- ⇒ Click return to main
- ⇒ Click "logout" button to finish the process
- ⇒ You will receive an email when you are registered.