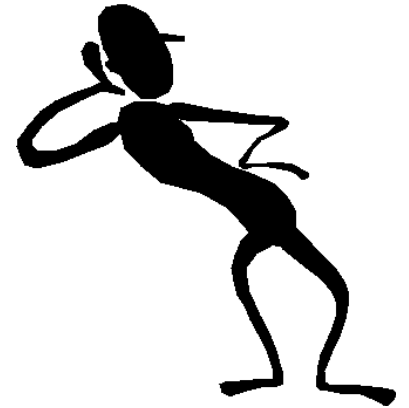


Active Listening for Improved Literacy

By using her newly published book *Listening Tune-ups for the Classroom*, which includes proven research-based, classroom tested activities for all grade levels, you will be able to improve your students' **active listening**. Improving this skill is the key to increased literacy in all content areas.



The importance of jotting down key words in order to answer follow-up questions will also be modeled. Achieving success on the listening section of the ELA's will be addressed. *The workshop fee includes the book "Listening Tune-ups for the Classroom".*

*****Better listeners make better learners*****

Virginia Nolan, honored in *Whose Who Among America's Teachers*, has been recognized as a distinguished teacher and presenter by educators at all levels. During her many years of teaching English, drama, and study skills, as well as facilitating the English Department at the Mount Sinai School District, she has developed materials and created strategies that enhance curriculum. Special focus has been given to listening, note taking, and follow-up writing skills. By modeling lessons, coaching teachers, and presenting ELA workshops, she has shown how incorporating and developing reading, writing, listening, and speaking strategies in one's everyday curriculum will enhance learning and improve students' scores. Visit her on her website: www.listeningtuneups.com



Date: ~~Friday, October 8, 2010~~ Rescheduled to Wednesday, March 23, 2011

Time: 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

Audience: Teachers and Administrators of Elementary and Middle School

Location: Western Suffolk BOCES
Division of Instructional Support Svcs
31 Lee Avenue, Wheatley Heights, NY 11798

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Cost: \$150pp (A506 members)
\$200pp (non-members)

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

Need Information? dmaxwell@wsboces.org or 631-595-6829

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,
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- ⇒ 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

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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
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