Course: Pre-AP Professional Development English
Instructor: Ann Jackson
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Date(s): August 05, 2013 – August 08, 2013
Setting: Classroom
Time: 8:00am – 5:00pm
Lunch: One (1) Hour

Cost: $500.00
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Days: Monday – Thursday
Room: PENDING
Breaks: Two (2) Fifteen (15) Minutes Each
CEU’s: 30 Contact Hours, 3.0 CEU’s

Attendance Requirement:
Students are required to be present for at least 80%, or 24 hours, during the 30 hours of instruction in order to receive the APSI Certificate and comparable CEU’s.

Prerequisite(s): Bachelor Degree with teacher certification.

Supplies Provided: Pre-AP Professional Development English College Board Bundle;

Student Supply List: Pen, pencil, notebook, sticky notes, highlighters if you wish. Please bring a novel or other long text you want to work with during the week.

Learning Outcomes: How to structure curriculum, instruction and assessment to prepare students for AP courses; Classroom strategies in fiction, nonfiction, poetry and drama; Discussion techniques; Close reading and annotation; Grammar; Style and rhetorical analysis; Writing for EOC, SAT, ACT and AP; Preparing for the new STAAR/EOC; Preparing Pre-AP students for the synthesis question; Vertical teaming; Designing a unit for a novel, play or other long work.

Description: Participants in this course will gain a basic understanding of AP English Language and Composition and AP English Literature and Composition and the role of Pre-AP English classes. They will share best practices and work together to develop a unit on a work of their choice.