



Family Literacy Training and Professional Development

PROVINCIAL

Family Literacy Training Institute

- held once annually alternating between Edmonton and Calgary
- next Institute will be held in Edmonton from July 12-14, 2010
- Program models training at the Institute include:
 - Introduction to Family Literacy - 2 days
 - Books for Babies - 1 day
 - IRCOM Parents And Children Together (IMPACT) - 1 day
 - Literacy and Parenting Skills (LAPS) Advanced
 - Magic Carpet Ride - 1 day
 - Parents As Literacy Supporters (PALS) – 1 day
 - Rhymes That Bind - 1 day
 - Dr. Bruce Perry full-day session
- Costs:
 - \$200 registration fee
 - standard room (2 queen beds) – ranges from \$124 to \$197 per night plus taxes
 - breakfast and lunch provided, dinner on your own
 - travel costs on your own

Food for Thought Professional Development Event (3-4 days)

- held once annually in Edmonton
- next training will be held in May 2011
- half-day to 1-day sessions TBA: Aboriginal, storytelling, personal development, facilitation skills, etc.
- Costs:
 - \$50 registration fee (FLIF) / \$100 (Non-FLIF)
 - standard room (2 queen beds) – approx. \$149/night plus taxes
 - breakfast and lunch provided, dinner on your own
 - travel costs on your own



REGIONAL

Program Models Training

- currently available in 7 regions in the province (Northwest, Northeast, North Central, South Central, Southwest, Southeast and Aboriginal)
- minimum of 2 trainings per region per year based on need
- CFL program models training includes: Introduction to Family Literacy - 2 days, Books for Babies - 1 day, Books Offer Our Kids Success (B.O.O.K.S) - 1 extended day, Rhymes That Bind - 1 extended day, Storysacks - 1 day
- Costs:
 - 1-day training \$25 registration fee (FLIF) / \$50 (Non-FLIF)
 - 1 extended day training \$40 registration fee (FLIF) / \$80 (Non-FLIF)
 - 2-day training \$50 registration fee (FLIF) / \$100 (Non-FLIF)
 - breakfast and lunch provided, dinner on your own
 - travel and accommodation costs on your own

Please check the online training calendar on the Centre for Family Literacy website at www.famlit.ca for information regarding upcoming family literacy related training opportunities in Alberta.

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