

WORKSHOP OFFERINGS FOR 2010-2011

SMART Board Science Workshop for Department Chairs and Administrators

Description: This workshop will introduce participants to features of SMART 10 that will support and enhance the K-12 science curriculum. In addition to the SMART Notebook software, we'll also look at the latest SMART Gallery items, the SMART Response system, Airliner, interactive Flash tools, USB Smart Document Camera, the SMART Lesson Activity Toolkit and various online resources which contain science lessons created by educators and shared with everyone who may benefit from their use.

Participants should bring some lesson ideas and materials so that they may begin building lessons during the hands-on portion of the workshop. Also, please bring a USB Flash drive to save your work.

Audience: K-12 Science Department Chair People and Mathematics Curriculum Administrators

Delivery Method – 6 hr face to face

Instructors: Bill MacIntosh, Frank Franzese

Date: November 16, 2010

Time: 8:30 – 2:30

Location: Riverhead Middle School, S-2 Lab

Advanced SMART Board Workshop - Beyond SMART Notebook

Description: Did you know there is more to SMART Board than SMART Notebook Software? This workshop will introduce participants to additional features of SMART 10.6, including the latest SMART Gallery items, the SMART Response System, Airliner, interactive Flash tools, the SMART Lesson Activity Toolkit, Number Cruncher, and SMART Speller.

Participants should bring some lesson ideas and materials so that they may begin building their lessons during the hands-on portion of the workshop. Please also bring a flash drive to save your work.

Please note: this is NOT a beginner SMART Board class. Participants should have basic knowledge of the SMART Board and some experience with the SMART Notebook Software.

Audience: K-12 Educators and Administrators

Delivery Method – 6 hr face to face

Instructors: Kathie Galgano, Amy Schildwachter

Date: November 9, 2010

Time: 8:30 – 2:30

Location: Bayport-Blue Point High School, Room 310

Date: February 2, 2011

Time: 8:30 – 2:30

Location: Eastern Suffolk BOCES, Westhampton Beach, Computer Lab

SMART Board Workshop for Art and Music Administrators

Description: This workshop will introduce participants to features of SMART 10 that will support the K-12 Art and Music curriculum. In addition to the SMART Notebook software, we'll be looking at the latest SMART Gallery items, the SMART Response system, Airliner, interactive Flash tools, and the SMART Lesson Activity Toolkit.

Participants should bring some lesson ideas and materials so that they may begin building lessons during the hands-on portion of the workshop. Please also bring a Flash drive to save your work.

Audience: K-12 Art and Music Administrators
Delivery Method – 6 hr face to face
Instructors: Kathie Galgano, Roberta MacGray
Date: January 6, 2011
Time: 8:30 – 2:30
Location: Hampton Bays Middle School

SMART Board Math Workshop for Department Chairs and Administrators

Description: This workshop will introduce participants to features of SMART 10 that will support and enhance the K-12 math curriculum. In addition to the SMART Notebook software, we'll be looking at the new *SMART Notebook Math Tools*, which allow the teacher to convey a single concept in multiple ways in order to complement students' individual learning styles. We'll also look at the latest SMART Gallery items, the SMART Response system, Airliner, interactive Flash tools, the SMART Lesson Activity Toolkit and various online resources that contain math lessons created by educators to be shared with everyone who may benefit from their use.

Participants should bring some lesson ideas and materials so that they may begin building lessons during the hands-on portion of the workshop. Also, please bring a USB Flash drive to save your work.

Audience: K-12 Math Department Chair People and Mathematics Curriculum Administrators
Delivery Method – 6 hr face to face
Instructors: Kathie Galgano, Bill MacIntosh
Date: March 15, 2011
Time: 8:30 – 2:30
Location: Riverhead Middle School, S-2 Lab

Instructional Videos and New Broadcast Media

Description: Participants will learn to create instructional videos by using technologies which include: Screencast-o-matic, Jing, Flip Video Cameras, Readily Available Video Editing Tools and other new broadcast media. Participants will then learn about creating a You Tube channel to share their created videos. This workshop will give participants the tools they need to begin creating, editing and distributing their videos online. In addition, ways to promote your channel and videos online will be explored. Participants should come prepared to create an instructional video on a specific topic that will be relevant to your district or community.

Audience: K-12 teachers

Delivery Method – 6 hr face to face

Instructors: Frank Franzese, Don Heberer

Date: April 13, 2011

Time: 8:30 – 2:30

Location: Eastport South Manor Jr. Sr. High School

Internet Safety and Cyber-bullying

Description: This course will cover important relevant information to assist educators in gaining knowledge about these very sensitive topics. Cyber safety and cyber bullying transcend traditional school walls and are a 24/7 issue for everyone, including administrators, teachers, students, and parents. This course will discuss the basics of cyber-bullying and cyber safety and give teachers the necessary resources, through collegial sharing and hands-on activities, to raise awareness and explore the implications on a classroom and district level.

Audience: Administrators, K-12 teachers

Delivery Method – 6 hr face to face

Instructor: Rafika Soaries

Date: October 25, 2010

Time: 8:30 – 2:30

Location: Riverhead Middle School, S-2 Lab

Instructor: Al Pisano

Date: January 18, 2011

Time: 8:30 – 2:30

Location: Bayport-Blue Point High School, Room 310

Instructors: Frank Franzese, Laura Frauenberg

Date: March 1, 2011

Time: 8:30 – 2:30

Location: Islip, Maud S. Sherwood Elementary School, Computer Lab

Bring Class Work to Life with Scratch

Description: Scratch is a new programming language that makes it easy to create your own interactive stories, animations, games, music and art – and share your creations on the web. Scratch is designed for students 8 years and older (younger students would require assistance to use it) and teaches 21st century skills that will be critical to success in the future including thinking creatively, communicating clearly, analyzing systematically, using technologies fluently, collaborating effectively, designing iteratively, and learning continuously.

Audience: Educators 3-12

Delivery Method – 6 hr face to face

Instructors: Roberta MacGray, Bill MacIntosh

Date: October 19, 2010

Time: 8:30 – 2:30

Location: Islip, Maud S. Sherwood Elementary School, Computer Lab

Google Sites: Stretching the Bounds for Education

Description: Google Sites are available free of charge for anyone with a Google Account. When combined with many of the varied applications also available through Google, sites can become vast havens for learning opportunities that support real world experience. Educators with an open mind can unleash their imaginations with this powerful tool.

Audience: K-12 teachers

Delivery Method – 6 hr face to face

Instructors: Debbie Gerken, Roberta MacGray

Date: February 10, 2011

Time: 8:30 – 2:30

Location: Riverhead Middle School, S-2 Lab

Web 2.0 for Social Studies Teachers

Description: This workshop will allow social studies teachers to become familiar with various Web 2.0 tools that they can use in the classroom. Use of these tools will empower teachers to effectively and efficiently collaborate, communicate, and engage their students. Some tools that will be addressed will include: Google documents, Skype, Voice Thread, Capzles, Prezi, Google Alerts, and more!

Audience: Social Studies teachers

Delivery Method – 3 hr face to face

Instructors: Al Pisano, Don Heberer

Date: December 6, 2010

Time: 8:30 – 11:30

Location: Riverhead Middle School, S-2 Lab

Web 2.0 and the World of Google

Description: Students today live in a hyper-connected world of social media. However, the typical classroom offers very little in this environment. Throughout this workshop participants will learn how to harness the social and collaborative elements of the web for education. Participants will use various tools to improve their efficiency inside and outside of the classroom. They will also be exposed to several online resources and communities they can tap into. Lastly, teachers will see how easy it is to share educational information on the web. If you are an educator looking to bring your classroom into the 21st century or want to learn ways to organize your digital world, this class is a must for you.

Topics Include:

- Google Advanced Search Techniques
- Google Alerts
- Google 411
- Google Docs
- Google Calendar
- Google Sites
- Polleverywhere
- Net Lingo
- Skype
- Delicious
- and more...

Audience: K-12 teachers

Delivery Method – 6 hr face to face

Instructors: Don Heberer, Al Pisano

Date: March 29, 2011

Time: 8:30 – 2:30

Location: Eastport South Manor Jr. Sr. High School

Take Your Class on a Virtual Field Trip

Description: How would you like to take your class on a field trip without ever leaving the classroom? That is what a virtual field trip is about!

Join us to learn about virtual field trips and how to create this experience for your students. Participants will apply this knowledge in creating their own virtual field trip and share their findings on our collaborative Moodle Site.

Participants should have some ideas as to where they would like their students to go on their virtual field trip when they come to the class, perhaps as a preliminary activity to an actual field trip planned.

Audience: Educators K-12

Delivery Method – 3 hour hybrid (1 hour live, 2 hours online)

Instructors: Laura Frauenberg, Amy Schildwachter

Date: December 9, 2010

Time: 2:30 – 3:30

Location: Eastport South Manor Jr. Sr. High School

Date: May 4, 2011

Time: 2:30 – 3:30

Location: Bayport-Blue Point High School, Room 310

Need dates for 2 hours online training.