

Continuing Professional Education (CPE) and Graduate Credit Courses

Available for CPE credit or graduate credit

COURSE INFORMATION	COURSE DESCRIPTION / CREDIT OPTIONS
<p>Practical Ideas for Addressing Multiple Intelligences in the Classroom <i>Montgomery County Intermediate Unit/Online</i> <i>Jan 4, 11, 18, & 25, 2012 4:00PM to 10:00PM In-person</i> <i>Jan 21, & 28, 2012 8:00AM to 6:15PM Online Synchronized</i></p> <p>Registration Deadline: Dec 23, 2012 Instructor: William Yerger Audience: PreK-Grade 12 Educators</p>	<p>Howard Gardner's concept of the seven intelligences will be explored in this course for PreK to Grade 12 teachers. The book, <i>Seven Kinds of Smart</i> (2000), by Dr. Thomas Armstrong will be studied. A major focus of the workshop will center on developing lessons, activities, and materials that incorporate all seven intelligences. Lessons, projects, and visuals will be modeled by the instructor with many models available for creating.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>Focusing on Students: Affective Education <i>Montgomery County Community College</i> <i>Jan 19, & Feb 2, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM</i> <i>Jan 21, 22, Feb 4, & 5, 2012 8:00AM to 5:30PM</i></p> <p>Registration Deadline: Jan 12, 2012 Instructor: Mary Martha Associates/Jennifer Ainge Audience: K-12 Educators</p>	<p>This course focuses on several different areas of affective education including communication skills, creating a peaceful environment, building self-esteem, goal setting, values education, teaching cooperation, and improving decision-making skills. Participants will experience numerous activities that can be used with K-12 students in various settings.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>Building Self-Esteem in the Classroom to Achieve Success, Beat Bullying and to Foster a Positive Learning Environment <i>Online Course</i> <i>Jan 23, 2012 5:00PM to 8:00PM LIVE Teleseminar/Webinar from YOUR Ccomputer</i> <i>Remainder of course is asynchronized online through Feb 23, 2012</i></p> <p>Registration Deadline: Jan 16, 2012 Instructor: Teacher's Toolbox Series/Joshua Stein Audience: K-12 Educators, Guidance Personnel, Administrators</p>	<p>Depression and mental illness are being diagnosed at an ever-earlier age in children. The risk of suicide, bullying and poor academic achievement grows when children lack a realistic and optimistic view of themselves. Research from the Positive Psychology Center, University of Pennsylvania, articles and books published by Martin Seligman PhD. support this need. Positive self-esteem in children can, in Seligman's words, inoculate children from depression and mental illness. Children with better coping strategies and who have learned optimism will be better prepared for academic challenges and to deal with bullying.</p> <p>Credit Option: 3 CPE \$450</p>
<p>Enriching the Curriculum with Children's Literature <i>Montgomery County Intermediate Unit</i> <i>Jan 24, 26, 27, Feb 7 & 9, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM</i> <i>Jan 28, & Feb 11, 2012 8:00AM to 5:00PM</i></p> <p>Registration Deadline: Jan 17, 2012 Instructor: Mary Martha Associates, Barbara Scholl Audience: K-8 Educators</p>	<p>This course will examine over 300 children's picture books and will explore the numerous ways they can be used to enrich the curriculum in many subject areas. The course, designed for educators in grades K-8, will show how effectively picture books can be used at all levels.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>

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<p>Creating a Peaceful Learning Environment and Resolving Conflict <i>Montgomery County Community College</i> Jan 26, & Feb 9, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM Jan 28, 29, Feb 11, & 12, 2012 8:00AM to 5:30PM</p> <p>Registration Deadline: Jan 19, 2012 Mary Martha Associates/Jill Margolis Audience: K-12 Educators</p>	<p>Resolving conflict is a daily activity for most educators. In this course, designed for K-12 educators, participants will learn how to develop a peaceful classroom where conflict is minimal. A process for peaceful conflict resolution, which can easily be taught to students, will also be presented. The techniques presented can also be used in conflict resolution with peers, parents, and supervisors.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>Enriching the Curriculum with Children's Literature <i>Montgomery County Intermediate Unit</i> Feb 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, Mar 7, 14, 21, 28, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM</p> <p>Registration Deadline: Jan 25, 2012 Instructor: Mary Martha Associates/Nicole Dudek Audience: K-8 Educators</p>	<p>This course will examine over 300 children's picture books and will explore the numerous ways they can be used to enrich the curriculum in many subject areas. The course, designed for educators in grades K-8, will show how effectively picture books can be used at all levels.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>Leadership in the Classroom and Beyond <i>Montgomery County Community College</i> Feb 9, & 23, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM Feb 11, 12, 25, & 26, 2012 8:00AM to 5:30PM</p> <p>Registration Deadline: Feb 2, 2012 Instructor: David Burton Audience: K-12 Educators</p>	<p>This course is designed to help teachers develop personal leadership skills and ultimately impart those skills to the students they teach. Through in-depth reflection and study, we will examine the basic principles and laws of leadership, and how they can best be applied to the cognitive, social, and emotional development of our students. We will practice and discuss the lessons provided by individuals, both past and present, who have experienced success because of their leadership skills. We will discuss these examples of leadership, including those that are prominent in business today, and draw parallels and make connections to their relevance in education. Participants will be asked to be self reflective and involved in all experiential learning.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>How Educational Professionals Can Recognize Bullies and Help Victims <i>Montgomery County Community College</i> Feb 10, & 17, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM Feb 11, 12, 18, & 19, 2012 8:00AM to 5:30PM</p> <p>Registration Deadline: Feb 3, 2012 Instructor: Diane Menago Associates/Judy Heath Audience: K-12 Educators</p>	<p>This course looks at bullying from the role of the victim. Much of the focus in school programs has been placed on the bully and bully free classrooms. This course looks at the role of the victim, the relationship between bully and victim, and the consequences of long term victimization. Causes, consequences and how educational professionals can help will be reviewed.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>

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<p>Bringing the Curriculum to Life <i>Montgomery County Community College</i> Feb 16, & Mar 1, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM Feb 18, 19, Mar 3, & 4, 2012 8:00AM to 5:30PM</p> <p>Registration Deadline: Feb 9, 2012 Instructor: Mary Martha Associates/Tessa Nolte-Colucci Audience: K-12 Educators</p>	<p>This course is a gold mine of ideas about how to make lessons come alive for students. The emphasis is on getting students really involved in their learning. Topics such as learning games, simulations, energizers, discovery activities, learning centers, and thematic teaching will be explored.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>Improving Decision Making Through Character Education <i>Montgomery County Community College</i> Feb 16, & Mar 1, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM Feb 18, 19, Mar 3, & 4, 2012 8:00AM to 5:30PM</p> <p>Registration Deadline: Feb 9, 2012 Instructor: Mary Martha Associates/Jennifer Ainge Audience: K-12 Educators and Counselors</p>	<p>Over 25 activities designed to make the curriculum more relevant and exciting to students will be experienced by participants. These activities help students learn to make better decisions by considering alternatives and consequences. They also encourage them to examine and act on their values. By integrating character education into the curriculum, teachers can give students life skills without taking time from required content.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>Mental Health Issues in the Classroom <i>Montgomery County Community College</i> Feb 17, & 24, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM Feb 18, & 19, 25, & 26, 2012 8:00AM to 5:30PM</p> <p>Registration Deadline: Feb 10, 2012 Instructor: Diane Menago Associates/Monica Rush-Pabellon Audience: K-12 Educators</p>	<p>This course is designed for both regular and special education teachers who want to have an understanding of the different types of mental health disorders that children are currently being diagnosed with and what it means. Additionally, life stressors such as abuse, divorce, and death will be covered. Etiology, diagnoses, treatment and medication issues will be addressed.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>Building Students' Self-Concepts and Communication Skills <i>Montgomery County Community College</i> Feb 21, 23, 24, Mar 6, & 8, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM Feb 25, & Mar 10, 2012 8:00AM to 5:00PM</p> <p>Registration Deadline: Feb 14, 2012 Instructor: Mary Martha Associates/Barbara Scholl Audience: K-12 Educators</p>	<p>Stressing the critical nature of strong self-concepts, this course will look at the many different ways self-concepts are unintentionally destroyed and how they can be enhanced through activities and daily interactions. Many ideas for improving communication skills will be presented. Participants will experience numerous self-concept and communication activities that can be used with students K-12.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>Using Current Children's Literature Across the Curriculum <i>Montgomery County Community College</i> Feb 23, & Mar 8, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM Feb 25, 26, Mar 10, & 11, 2012 8:00AM to 5:30PM</p> <p>Registration Deadline: Feb 16, 2012 Instructor: Mary Martha Associates/Nicole Dudek Audience: K-8 Educators</p>	<p>In this course, K-8 educators will be introduced to over 300 children's picture books published in the last five years and will look at the many ways these books can be used in the curriculum. Curriculum areas such as science, math, social studies, and language arts will be emphasized. Many multicultural books will be included.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>

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<p>21st Century Practices for the Modern Educator: Online Course Online Learning Feb 29, 2012 5:00PM to 8:00PM LIVE Teleseminar/Webinar from YOUR Computer <i>Remainder of course is asynchronized online through Mar 29, 2012</i></p> <p>Registration Deadline: Feb 22, 2012 Instructor: The Teachers Toolbox Series/Joshua Stein Audience: K-12 Educators, Guidance, Administrators</p>	<p>"Digital Natives" have taken over the classroom. What are we going to do about it? This course will explain why and how educators must adapt. It will also help the modern educator deal with the stress of teaching and your workload to avoid burnout and maximize enjoyment!</p> <p>Credit Option: 3 CPE \$450</p>
<p>Enriching Your Curriculum with Art <i>Elkins Park Middle School</i> <i>Mar 1, 6, 8, 13, 15, 20, 22, 27, 29, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM</i></p> <p>Registration Deadline: Feb 23, 2012 Instructor: Denise Allen Audience: K-8 educators</p>	<p>Are you interested in enriching your curriculum with exciting new art projects? In this course designed for K-8 classroom teachers, participants will explore a variety of readily available art materials. Through lectures, demonstrations, group discussions, and structured art projects, participants will become more confident about providing creative opportunities for students as well as unlocking their own creative process. Participants will use their present curriculum as a basis for developing art projects. No artistic ability is needed. Participants should bring curriculum materials or course text to the first class.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>Positive Discipline in the Classroom <i>Montgomery County Intermediate Unit/Online Learning</i> <i>Mar 1, & 6, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM</i> <i>Mar 8, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM Online Synchronized</i></p> <p>Registration Deadline: Feb 23, 2012 Instructor: William Yerger Audience: K-12 Educators</p>	<p>This course for K-12 educators focuses on creation of a positive learning environment that balances kindness (to show respect for the student) and firmness (to show respect for the teacher). Positive discipline is based on the research of Adler, Dreikurs, and Nelson. This system allows teachers to be kind and encouraging to students and to also teach them what they need to know to lead happy, productive lives.</p> <p>Credit Options: 1 CPE \$150 1 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$300</p>
<p>Building Google Tools for Educators: Online Course <i>Montgomery County Intermediate Unit/Online Learning</i> <i>Mar 3, 2012 9:00AM to 11:30AM In-Person</i> <i>Remainder of course is asynchronized online through Mar 31, 2012</i></p> <p>Registration Deadline: Feb 24, 2012 Instructor: Rich Kiker Audience: K-12 Educators and Administrators</p>	<p>This course will help educators learn Google's web based software as a technical and educational solution to empower themselves and students to develop authentic, relevant, digital learning. The number of software solutions offered for free by Google is growing rapidly and there are countless applications to integrate into the classroom.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>

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<p>Mandates and Motivation: Strategies to Engage All Learners: Online Course <i>Online Learning</i> <i>Mar 7, 2012 Course Begins</i> <i>Remainder of course is asynchronized online through Apr 25, 2012</i></p> <p>Registration Deadline: Feb 29, 2012 Instructor: Peter Grande Audience: K -12 Educators</p>	<p>This online program employs the sound foundation of effective instruction to provide a springboard to engagement and motivation. Ten research based, active engagement strategies will be modeled through on demand video by Dr. Peter C. Grande. Joining Dr. Grande are master teachers from all grade levels who will discuss how they apply the strategies in their classrooms. These teachers span the range from first grade to Calculus.</p> <p>Credit Option: 3 CPE \$450</p>
<p>Effective Inclusion Strategies for Students with Disabilities <i>Montgomery County Community College</i> <i>Mar 8, & 22, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM</i> <i>Mar 10, 11, 24, & 25, 2012 8:00AM to 5:30PM</i></p> <p>Registration Deadline: Feb 3, 2012 Instructor: Rebecca Rotondo/Meredith Penner Audience: K-12 Educators</p>	<p>This course is designed for K-12 educators who are interested in learning and implementing effective strategies, both instructional and behavioral, to meet the needs of children with disabilities that are included in their classrooms. Participants will gain an overview of the different diagnosis of children in their classrooms, a summary of current special education regulations, and how they impact decisions regarding inclusion. They will practice reading sample IEPs and understand what types of accommodations can be listed and how they should be implemented. They will have the opportunity to perform a Functional Behavioral Analysis and create a behavior plan, and will have the opportunity to brainstorm with peers various ways to differentiate the same lesson/objectives to a variety of learners.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>Helping Children Cope Effectively with Stressful Situations and Traumatic Life Events <i>Montgomery County Community College</i> <i>Mar 9, & 23, 2012 4:00PM to 9:30PM</i> <i>Mar 10, 11, 24, & 25, 2012 8:00AM to 5:30PM</i></p> <p>Registration Deadline: Mar 2, 2012 Instructor: Diane Menago Associates/Tammy Wood Audience: K-12 Educators</p>	<p>This course is designed for educational professionals working with children of all developmental levels and focuses on helping educators and other professionals to support children through times of stress, crisis and trauma. This course will present an overview of stress, it's physiological and psychological effects and ways to manage it both personally and in the classroom will be reviewed. Ways to identify and address these issues as well as an ongoing plan to deal with daily as well as life changing stress and trauma will be presented.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>Successful Literacy Strategies for Reading and the Content Areas <i>Montgomery County Intermediate Unit/Online Learning</i> <i>Mar 15, & 22, & 29, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM In-Person</i> <i>Mar 17, 2012 8:00AM to 6:00PM In-Person</i> <i>Mar 24, & 31, 2012 8:00AM to 6:00PM Online Synchronized</i></p> <p>Registration Deadline: Mar 8, 2012 Instructor: William Yerger Audience: PreK-12 Educators</p>	<p>This course will provide over 100 strategies each with directions, models, and templates to design effective lessons that scaffold learning strategies with literacy enrichment for every student. When to use the strategy, in what grouping, with narrative or expository material, and the skill areas focused on will be addressed. Graphic organizers and enrichment materials will receive a special emphasis with opportunities provided for developing several tied into the techniques.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>

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<p>Creating a Peaceful Learning Environment and Resolving Conflict Montgomery County Community College <i>Mar 22, & Apr 12, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM</i> <i>Mar 24, 25, Apr 14, & 15, 2012 8:00AM to 5:30PM</i></p> <p>Registration Deadline: Mar 15, 2012 Instructor: Mary Martha Associates/Jill Margolis Audience: K-12 Educators</p>	<p>Resolving conflict is a daily activity for most educators. In this course, designed for K-12 educators, participants will learn how to develop a peaceful classroom where conflict is minimal. A process for peaceful conflict resolution, which can easily be taught to students, will also be presented. The techniques presented can also be used in conflict resolution with peers, parents, and supervisors.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>Girls Are Equal, Too: Gender Equity in Education <i>Special Event*</i> Montgomery County Community College <i>Mar 23, & Apr 13, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM</i> <i>Mar 24, 25, Apr 14, & 15, 2012 8:00AM to 5:30PM</i></p> <p>Registration Deadline: Mar 16, 2012 Instructor: Mary Martha Associates/Mary Martha Whitworth Audience: K-12 Educators</p>	<p>Most teachers are unintentionally giving the boys in their classrooms a better education than the girls, though few realize it. This eye-opening course presents the many ways our schools show gender bias toward girls and what can be done about it. In order for girls to achieve to their highest potential, they must feel they are equal to boys and many do not. The drop in girls' self esteem in early adolescence is dramatic and must be addressed by educators. Educators of K-12 students will leave this course with a heightened awareness of a serious problem and methods to begin to address it.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$500* 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$950*</p>
<p>How to Use Moodle to Enhance Student Learning and Achievement: Online Course <i>Online Learning</i> <i>Mar 26, 2012 5:00PM to 8:00PM LIVE Teleseminar/Webinar from YOUR Computer</i> <i>Remainder of course is asynchronous online through Apr 26, 2012</i></p> <p>Registration Deadline: Mar 19, 2012 The Teacher's Toolbox Series/Joshua Stein Audience: K-12 Educators</p>	<p>This course will provide educators with a way to enhance the curriculum, engage learners and use cutting edge technology to enhance the experience of their students. Participants will develop and create an online learning community for use with their own curriculum. Participants will learn all of the skills needed to be successful.</p> <p>Credit Option: 3 CPE \$450</p>
<p>Focusing on Students: Affective Education Montgomery County Community College <i>Mar 27, 29, 30, Apr 17, & 19, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM</i> <i>Mar 31, & Apr 21, 2012 8:00AM to 5:30PM</i></p> <p>Registration Deadline: Mar 20, 2012 Instructor: Mary Martha Associates/Mary Martha Whitworth Audience: K-12 Educators</p>	<p>This course focuses on several different areas of affective education including communication skills, creating a peaceful environment, building self-esteem, goal setting, values education, teaching cooperation, and improving decision-making skills. Participants will experience numerous activities that can be used with K-12 students in various settings.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>

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<p>Improving Decision Making Through Character Education Montgomery County Community College Mar 27, 29, 30, Apr 17, & 19, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM Mar 31, & Apr 21, 2012 8:00AM to 5:30PM</p> <p>Registration Deadline: Mar 20, 2012 Instructor: Mary Martha Associates/Jennifer Ainge Audience: K-12 Educators and Counselors</p>	<p>Over 25 activities designed to make the curriculum more relevant and exciting to students will be experienced by participants. These activities help students learn to make better decisions by considering alternatives and consequences. They also encourage them to examine and act on their values. By integrating character education into the curriculum, teachers can give students life skills without taking time from required content.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>Wikis, Blogs and Web Publishing: Online Course Montgomery County Intermediate Unit/Online Mar 31, 2012 9:00AM to 11:30AM In-Person Remainder of course is asychronized online through Apr 30, 2012</p> <p>Registration Deadline: Mar 23, 2012 Instructor: Rich Kiker Audience: K-12 Educators and Administrators</p>	<p>Digital instruction and learning has become a critical component to the pedagogy of all educators regardless of career level or experience. This course will provide these resources, connections and the learning needed to increase digital literacy in our schools, empower educators to comfortably connect with technology within their current positions, and build curriculum that inherently supports differentiated instruction, process, and product.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>Multimedia in the Classroom: Online Course Montgomery County Intermediate Unit/Online Mar 31, 2012 12:00PM to 2:30PM In-Person Remainder of course is asychronized online through Apr 30, 2012</p> <p>Registration Deadline: Mar 23, 2012 Instructor: Rich Kiker Audience: K-12 Educators and Administrators</p>	<p>This course will help educators learn media editing software as a technical and educational solution to empower themselves and students to develop authentic, relevant, and digital learning. The course content will be based on the Windows and web platforms and will include image, audio, and video editing with all open source or no cost software.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>Brain Compatible Strategies and Materials to Enhance Learning Montgomery County Intermediate Unit/Online Apr 12, 2012 4:30PM to 8:00PM In-Person Apr 16, 2012 4:00PM to 10:00PM Online Synchronized Apr 19, 2012 4:15PM to 9:45PM In-Person</p> <p>Registration Deadline: Apr 5, 2012 Instructor: William Yerger Audience: PreK-12</p>	<p>This course will focus on strategies, activities, and materials that teachers can implement to address what the brain needs to maximize learning. Strategies and activities will be modeled by the instructor along with the demonstration of materials that will be created. Participants will present new strategies learned in the class. All participants will receive a book on brain compatible activities and the material needed for project development.</p> <p>Credit Option: 1 CPE \$150</p>

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<p>The Impact of Child Abuse, Neglect and Related Risk Factors on Youth <i>Montgomery County Community College</i> Apr 20, & May 4, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM Apr 21, 22, May 5, & 6, 2012 8:00AM to 5:30PM</p> <p>Registration Deadline: Apr 13, 2012 Diane Menago Associates/Tammy Wood Audience: K-12 Educators</p>	<p>This course is designed for educational professionals who are interested in learning about the impact of child abuse and neglect and related risk factors on the educational, behavioral and psychological well-being of youth. Issues such as child maltreatment, drug and alcohol abuse, parental mental health issues, suicidal behaviors and confusion regarding sexuality will be examined from a biopsychosocial framework. Best practices regarding support and interventions will be reviewed.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>Enriching the Curriculum with Children's Literature <i>Montgomery County Intermediate Unit</i> Apr 24, 26, 27, May 8, & 10, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM Apr 28, & May 12, 2012 8:00AM to 5:00PM</p> <p>Registration Deadline: Apr 17, 2012 Instructor: Mary Martha Associates/Barbara Scholl Audience: K-8 Educators</p>	<p>This course will examine over 300 children's picture books and will explore the numerous ways they can be used to enrich the curriculum in many subject areas. The course, designed for educators in grades K-8, will show how effectively picture books can be used at all levels.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>Building Online Learning Environments: Online Course <i>Montgomery County Intermediate Unit/Online</i> Apr 28, 2012 9:00AM to 11:30AM In-Person Remainder of course is asynchronous online through May 31, 2012</p> <p>Registration Deadline: Apr 20, 2012 Instructor: Rich Kiker Audience: K-12 Educators and Administrators</p>	<p>Constructing online classrooms adds valuable communication to the collective learning community. Stakeholders, parents, students and administration can now have transparency into the classroom and collectively assist in the success of our students. Furthermore, digital instruction and learning has become a critical component to the pedagogy of all educators regardless of career level or experience. As a result, this course will provide educators with the tools needed to connect, collaborate, and create online learning environments and classrooms.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>Building Social Media for Educators: Online Course <i>Montgomery County Intermediate Unit/Online</i> Apr 28, 2012 12:00PM to 2:30PM n-Person Remainder of course is asynchronous online through May 31, 2012</p> <p>Registration Deadline: Apr 20, 2012 Instructor: Rich Kiker Audience: K-12 Educators and Administrators</p>	<p>Digital instruction and learning has become a critical component to the pedagogy of all educators regardless of career level or experience. This course will provide these resources, connections and the learning needed to increase digital literacy in our schools, empower educators to comfortable connect with technology within their current positions, and build curriculum that inherently supports differentiated instruction, process, and product.</p> <p>3 - CPE
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<p>Bringing the Curriculum to Life <i>Montgomery County Community College</i> May 3, & 31, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM May 5, 6, June 2, & 3, 2012 8:00AM to 5:30PM</p> <p>Registration Deadline: Apr 26, 2012 Instructor: Mary Martha Associates/Amy Ryan-Faga Audience: K-12 Educators</p>	<p>This course is a gold mine of ideas about how to make lessons come alive for students. The emphasis is on getting students really involved in their learning. Topics such as learning games, simulations, energizers, discovery activities, learning centers, and thematic teaching will be explored.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>Building Students' Self-Concepts and Communication Skills <i>Montgomery County Community College</i> May 3, & 31, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM May 5, 6, June 2, & 3, 2012 8:00AM to 5:30PM</p> <p>Registration Deadline: Apr 26, 2012 Instructor: Mary Martha Associates/Erin McKelvey-Secker Audience: K-12 Educators</p>	<p>Stressing the critical nature of strong self-concepts, this course will look at the many different ways self-concepts are unintentionally destroyed and how they can be enhanced through activities and daily interactions. Many ideas for improving communication skills will be presented. Participants will experience numerous self-concept and communication activities that can be used with students K-12.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>
<p>Creating a Peaceful Learning Environment and Resolving Conflict <i>Montgomery County Community College</i> May 17, & June 7, 2012 4:30PM to 9:30PM May 19, 20, June 9, & 10, 2012 8:00AM to 5:30PM</p> <p>Registration Deadline: May 10, 2012 Instructor: Mary Martha Associates/Mary Martha Whitworth Audience: K-12 Educators</p>	<p>Resolving conflict is a daily activity for most educators. In this course, designed for K-12 educators, participants will learn how to develop a peaceful classroom where conflict is minimal. A process for peaceful conflict resolution, which can easily be taught to students, will also be presented. The techniques presented can also be used in conflict resolution with peers, parents, and supervisors.</p> <p>Credit Options: 3 CPE \$450 3 Immaculata University Graduate Credits \$900</p>

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