

# ELL Network and Learning Community

## Interpreting Reading Achievement for ELLs

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Tuesday; October 19, 2010  
8:30 am – 11:30 am

CESA 2 Conference Center  
448 E. High Street, Milton, WI 53563



The series is designed for **SCHOOL DISTRICTS of ALL SIZES** with district teams of individuals who coordinate, administer or serve as a resource or classroom teacher for English Language Learners. The purpose of the meeting is to facilitate discussion about a topic related to the education of English Language Learners. This allows participants to network, ask questions, and construct new meanings by interacting with others in the field.

Participants are encouraged to submit their ideas for discussion. Those registered will receive email notices with agendas prior to each session.

### Meeting Structure

8:30	Registration and networking
9:00	State level updates
9:30	Facilitated discussion
11:15	Conclusion

**About the session...** We are all at various points in our journey with ELLs. For some ELLs have been a part of our classroom communities for decades and for some maybe only a couple of years. What are the foundational assumptions in teaching Native-English speakers to read? How do we teach students to read? What are the problems for ELLs? How can we assist them in their literacy journey?

**About the presenter.....** Julie DeCook is the ELL and World Language Coordinator for the School District of Janesville. Julie has a BA from the University of Northern Iowa in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages with a minor in secondary English language as well as a Masters in Curriculum and Instruction with an emphasis in ESL and a Masters in Educational Leadership.

Julie has facilitated many professional development sessions, including Wisconsin Teachers of English to

Speakers of Other Languages (WITESOL) conference and WATG Diversity Summits.

### COSTS and REGISTRATION

**CESA 2 ELL Title III Consortium Members are a total of \$249 for a 4-person team for 5 meetings. This equals \$50 for each meeting or \$12.50 per person per meeting**

**All other participants are a total of \$1000 for a 4-person team for 5 meetings. This equals \$200 for each meeting or \$50 per person per meeting**

### WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

**A great addition for ELL or ESL resource teachers, Program coordinators, Principals, Directors of pupil services, Directors of instruction, Instructional services staff**

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**Please register for this event using the following website [www.myquickreg.com](http://www.myquickreg.com) Registration questions? If you run into problems with this multi-step series please email Peggy Strong at [pstrong@cesa2.k12.wi.us](mailto:pstrong@cesa2.k12.wi.us) or call (608) 758-6232 ext. 336.**

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