

## English Language Arts

**THE NEW ELA TEKS ACADEMY, GRADES 3 - 5**

**Expected Outcome:** This two-day academy will provide foundational training in the new English Language Arts (ELA) Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS). Through interactive learning, participants will explore the new standards adopted by the State Board of Education which are to be implemented during the fall of 2009. Engaging strategies will provide participants with a deeper understanding of the TEKS and how they align with previous and subsequent grade levels. NOTE: THIS IS A TWO-DAY COURSE. PARTICIPANTS MUST ATTEND AND COMPLETE BOTH DAYS IN ORDER TO RECEIVE CREDIT. NO PARTIAL CREDIT WILL BE GIVEN.

**Audience:** Grades 3 - 5 general education, ELA departmentalized, and ESL Teachers of Speakers of other Languages

**Staff Development Credit:** 14.0 Hours Compensatory Time/Mandatory PD Credit

Start and End Dates	Start and End Times	Location	Class Code
15-JUN-2009 - 16-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128015
17-JUN-2009 - 18-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128016
22-JUN-2009 - 23-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128018
24-JUN-2009 - 25-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128019
27-JUL-2009 - 28-JUL-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128020
29-JUL-2009 - 30-JUL-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128021
03-AUG-2009 - 04-AUG-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128023
05-AUG-2009 - 06-AUG-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128024
19-SEP-2009 - 17-OCT-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128025
23-NOV-2009 - 24-NOV-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128026

**THE NEW ELA TEKS ACADEMY, GRADES 6 - 8**

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**Audience:** Grades 6 - 8 ELA and ELI/ESL Teachers

**Staff Development Credit:** 14.0 Hours Compensatory Time/Mandatory PD Credit

Start and End Dates	Start and End Times	Location	Class Code
15-JUN-2009 - 16-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128027
17-JUN-2009 - 18-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128028
22-JUN-2009 - 23-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128030
24-JUN-2009 - 25-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128029
27-JUL-2009 - 28-JUL-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128031
29-JUL-2009 - 30-JUL-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128032
03-AUG-2009 - 04-AUG-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128033
05-AUG-2009 - 06-AUG-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128034
19-SEP-2009 - 17-OCT-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128035
23-NOV-2009 - 24-NOV-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128036

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**THE NEW ELA TEKS ACADEMY, GRADES 9 - 12**

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**Audience:** Grades 9 - 12 ELA and ELI/ESL Teachers

**Staff Development Credit:** 14.0 Hours Compensatory Time/Mandatory PD Credit

Start and End Dates	Start and End Times	Location	Class Code
15-JUN-2009 - 16-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128037
17-JUN-2009 - 18-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128038
22-JUN-2009 - 23-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128039
24-JUN-2009 - 25-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128040
27-JUL-2009 - 28-JUL-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128041
29-JUL-2009 - 30-JUL-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128042
05-AUG-2009 - 06-AUG-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128043
19-SEP-2009 - 17-OCT-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128044
23-NOV-2009 - 24-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128045

**THE NEW ELA TEKS ACADEMY, GRADES K - 2**

**Expected Outcome:** This two-day academy will provide foundational training in the new English Language Arts (ELA) Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS). Through interactive learning, participants will explore the new standards adopted by the State Board of Education which are to be implemented during the fall of 2009. Engaging strategies will provide participants with a deeper understanding of the TEKS and how they align with previous and subsequent grade levels. NOTE: THIS IS A TWO-DAY COURSE. PARTICIPANTS MUST ATTEND AND COMPLETE BOTH DAYS IN ORDER TO RECEIVE CREDIT. NO PARTIAL CREDIT WILL BE GIVEN.

**Audience:** Grades K - 2 general education teachers and ESL Teachers of Speakers of other Languages.

**Staff Development Credit:** 14.0 Hours Compensatory Time/Mandatory PD Credit

Start and End Dates	Start and End Times	Location	Class Code
15-JUN-2009 - 16-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128001
17-JUN-2009 - 18-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128002
22-JUN-2009 - 23-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128004
24-JUN-2009 - 25-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128005
27-JUL-2009 - 28-JUL-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128008
29-JUL-2009 - 30-JUL-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128009
03-AUG-2009 - 04-AUG-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128011
05-AUG-2009 - 06-AUG-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128012
19-SEP-2009 - 17-OCT-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128013
23-NOV-2009 - 24-NOV-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128014

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**UNDERSTANDING THE NEW ELA TEKS, GRADES 6 - 8**

**Expected Outcome:** This academy will highlight new English Language Arts (ELA) Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) that are critical to student learning. Through interactive learning, participants will explore the new standards adopted by the State Board of Education, which are to be implemented during the fall of 2009. Engaging strategies will provide participants with a deeper understanding of the TEKS and their grade level alignment.

**Audience:** Master Teachers, Special Ed teachers, and ELA teachers attending Pre-AP/AP Laying the Foundations or College Board Training, Grades 6 - 8

**Staff Development Credit:** 7.0 Hours Compensatory Time/Mandatory PD Credit

Start and End Dates	Start and End Times	Location	Class Code
17-JUN-2009 - 17-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128066
22-JUN-2009 - 22-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128067
27-JUL-2009 - 27-JUL-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128068
28-JUL-2009 - 28-JUL-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128069
05-AUG-2009 - 05-AUG-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128070
06-AUG-2009 - 06-AUG-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128071
19-SEP-2009 - 19-SEP-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128072
23-NOV-2009 - 23-NOV-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128073

**UNDERSTANDING THE NEW ELA TEKS, GRADES 9 - 12**

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**Audience:** Master Teachers, Special Ed teachers, and ELA teachers attending Pre-AP/AP Laying the Foundations or College Board Training, Grades 9 - 12

**Staff Development Credit:** 7.0 Hours Compensatory Time/Mandatory PD Credit

Start and End Dates	Start and End Times	Location	Class Code
17-JUN-2009 - 17-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128074
18-JUN-2009 - 18-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128075
22-JUN-2009 - 22-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128076
28-JUL-2009 - 28-JUL-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128077
05-AUG-2009 - 05-AUG-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128078
06-AUG-2009 - 06-AUG-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128079
19-SEP-2009 - 19-SEP-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128080
23-NOV-2009 - 23-NOV-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128081

## English Language Arts

**UNDERSTANDING THE NEW ELA TEKS, GRADES K - 5**

**Expected Outcome:** This academy will highlight new English Language Arts (ELA) Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) that are critical to student learning. Through interactive learning, participants will explore the new standards adopted by the State Board of Education, which are to be implemented during the fall of 2009. Engaging strategies will provide participants with a deeper understanding of the TEKS and their grade level alignment.

**Audience:** Master Teachers and Special Ed teachers grades K - 5

**Staff Development Credit:** 7.0 Hours Compensatory Time/Mandatory PD Credit

<b>Start and End Dates</b>	<b>Start and End Times</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Class Code</b>
15-JUN-2009 - 15-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128046
16-JUN-2009 - 16-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128047
17-JUN-2009 - 17-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128048
18-JUN-2009 - 18-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128049
22-JUN-2009 - 22-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128050
23-JUN-2009 - 23-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128051
24-JUN-2009 - 24-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128052
25-JUN-2009 - 25-JUN-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128053
27-JUL-2009 - 27-JUL-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128054
28-JUL-2009 - 28-JUL-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128055
29-JUL-2009 - 29-JUL-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128056
30-JUL-2009 - 30-JUL-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128057
03-AUG-2009 - 03-AUG-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128058
04-AUG-2009 - 04-AUG-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128059
05-AUG-2009 - 05-AUG-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128060
06-AUG-2009 - 06-AUG-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128061
19-SEP-2009 - 19-SEP-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128062
17-OCT-2009 - 17-OCT-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128063
23-NOV-2009 - 23-NOV-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128064
24-NOV-2009 - 24-NOV-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10128065

## English Language Arts - Non-Mandatory

**DISCIPLINARY LITERACY INSTITUTE: A DEEPER UNDERSTANDING IN ELAR  
(NON-MANDATORY)**

**Expected Outcome:** This session will focus on the tools and routines of Disciplinary Literacy - quick writes, Readers/Writers Notebooks, pairs and trios, and charting as participants read and discuss a memorable text "Rain Music." Participants will actively engage in quick writes, reading to get the gist, writing significant moments and a text interpretive discussion. This module was originally written and facilitated by the IFL and has been presented to CILT.

**Audience:** Grades 4 - 12 Teachers

**Staff Development Credit:** 7.0 Hours Optional PD Credit

Start and End Dates	Start and End Times	Location	Class Code
19-SEP-2009 - 19-SEP-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10028003
23-NOV-2009 - 23-NOV-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10028004

**LINKING TO ASSMNT: DEVELOPING WRITERS USING AUTHORS AS MENTORS  
(NON-MANDATORY)**

**Expected Outcome:** This session will focus on developing and improving writing skills. In this fast-paced, interactive workshop, participants will study to develop/deepen their knowledge of teacher and student roles in the writing conference. Participants will explore the power of mentor sentences in developing grammar, composition, and comprehension skills. Participants will also practice strategies that support students to write highly effective compositions. Finally, participants will explore a process for bridging teaching and learning to assessment.

**Audience:** Grades 4 - 12 Teachers

**Staff Development Credit:** 7.0 Hours Optional PD Credit

Start and End Dates	Start and End Times	Location	Class Code
17-OCT-2009 - 17-OCT-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10028001
24-NOV-2009 - 24-NOV-2009	08:00 - 16:00	SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL	10028002