

2012 Deadlines and Dates

Updated on February 5, 2012

2/18 – 5/3 EDU 501 or ENG 501 Topics in Teaching Writing: Non-Fiction: Reflections of a Reader and Writer Two-credit ONLINE Course: Instructor: Kelly Lock, National Board Certified language arts teacher, PLWP Teacher Consultant, and St. Joseph Benton High School Language Arts Chair (Email: kelly.lock@sjsd.k12.mo.us).

1/23 – 5/7 ENG 512 or EDU 512 Teaching Writing with Technology (3 credits); Mondays, 4:30—7:20 PM; Murphy Hall 106—Missouri Western Campus; Class meets online on 2/6, 2/27, 3/5, and 4/2. **Instructor:** Dr. Jane Frick, Prairie Lands Writing Project Director and Missouri Western Distinguished English Professor (Email: frick@missouriwestern.edu).

1/19 – 5/3 ENG 500 Literature for Adolescents (3 credits); Thursdays, 4:30 – 7:20 PM; Eder Hall 210 – Missouri Western Campus. **Instructor:** Dr. Michael Cadden, Missouri Western Distinguished English Professor and EFLJ Department Chair (Email: cadden@missouriwestern.edu).

M 2/6 – T 2/7 Writer’s Workshop: Coaching the Craft of Writing consultancy at Edison Elementary School. Contact [Christie Leigan](#), PLWP program director, for information.

T 2/7 Focus Group Sessions for 2012 Invitational Institute: 4:30 & 5:30 PM in Eder 201 conference room. Contact [Tom Pankiewicz](#), institutes director, for information.

Th 2/9 Focus Group Sessions for 2012 Invitational Institute: 5:30 PM in Eder 201 conference room. Contact [Tom Pankiewicz](#), institutes director, for information.

W 2/15 Invitational Institute Acceptances announced to applicants. Contact [Tom Pankiewicz](#), institutes director, for information.

T 2/21 Writer’s Workshop: Motivation and Author’s Craft in-service at Edison Elementary School. Contact [Christie Leigan](#), PLWP program director, for information.

F 2/24 Site program work session (summer youth writing camps) at the PLWP Office at Missouri Western. Contact [Christie Leigan](#), PLWP program director, for information.

S 2/25 Saturday Follow-up Session: Vital Work: Literacy Practices in your CTE or Content Area Classroom PLC. Meets 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM in Murphy 106. For more information, contact [Lynn Tushaus](#) and [Michele Irby](#), facilitators.

M 2/27 Yes You CAN Use Copyrighted Materials! Workshop: 4:30 – 6:30 PM at Missouri Western in Blum Union Hoff Conference Room 218 with [Valorie Stokes](#), Platte County High School Media Coordinator, as facilitator. The workshop is free; to register, email writingproject@missouriwestern.edu by noon, February 24. Include: participant name, school, school phone, and email.

Th 3/1 – S 3 Write to Learn annual meeting for language arts teachers, K – 16, meets at Osage Beach, MO. See <http://muconf.missouri.edu/writetolearn/> for registration and program information. Ceremony for Missouri Writing Region contest winners will be on F 3/2 at the Write to Learn Conference.

M 3/5 After school book-study group at Edison Elementary School in St. Joseph. Contact [Christie Leigan](#), PLWP program director, for information.

W 3/7 Flyers and applications distributed for 2012 Prairie Lands Summer Writing Camps. Contact [Christie Leigan](#), PLWP program director, for information.

Th 3/8 High School Writing Day at Missouri Western. Contact [Mark Henderson](#), High School Writing Day coordinator, for information.

M 3/19 – T 3/20 Writer’s Workshop Coaching the Craft of Writing consultancy at Edison Elementary School. Contact [Christie Leigan](#), PLWP program director, for information.

S 3/24 Saturday Follow-up Session: Vital Work: Literacy Practices in your CTE or Content Area Classroom PLC. Meets 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM in Murphy 106. For more information, contact [Lynn Tushaus](#) and [Michele Irby](#), facilitators.

M 3/26 After school book-study group at Edison Elementary School in St. Joseph. Contact [Christie Leigan](#), PLWP program director, for information.

W 3/28 – F 3/30 NWP Spring [Meeting](#) in Washington, D. C.

F 4/13 Summer Youth Writing Camp Applications due and site program work session at the Prairie Lands Writing Project office at Missouri Western. Contact [Christie Leigan](#), PLWP program director, for information.

S 4/14 Prairie Lands Writing Project 2012 Invitational Institute Orientation Day at Missouri Western. Contact [Tom Pankiewicz](#), PLWP Institutes Director, for information.

M 4/23 T 4/24 2 Writer’s Workshop: Coaching the Craft of Writing consultancy at Edison Elementary School. Contact [Christie Leigan](#), PLWP program director, for information.

M 4/23 After school book-study group at Edison Elementary School in St. Joseph. Contact [Christie Leigan](#), PLWP program director, for information.

F 4/27 Site program work session (summer writing camp preparation) at the Prairie Lands Writing Project office at Missouri Western. Contact [Christie Leigan](#), PLWP program director, for information.

F 4/27 Follow-up Session: Vital Work: Literacy Practices in your CTE or Content Area Classroom PLC. Meets 5:30 – 8:30 PM in Eder 210 & Murphy 106. For more information, contact [Lynn Tushaus](#) and [Michele Irby](#), facilitators.

M 4/30 Summer Youth Writing Camp acceptances distributed to schools. Contact [Christie Leigan](#), PLWP program director, for information.

W 5/2 PLWP Leadership Team Meeting: Blum Union 222 & 223: 4:30 – 7:30 PM. Contact [Jane Frick](#), site director, for information.

M 5/7 – After school book-study group at Edison Elementary School in St. Joseph. Contact [Christie Leigan](#), PLWP program director, for information.

F 5/11 Site program work session at the Prairie Lands Writing Project office at Missouri Western. Contact [Christie Leigan](#), PLWP program director, for information.

S 5/12 Prairie Lands Writing Project 2012 Invitational Institute Teacher Inquiry Day at Missouri Western. Contact [Tom Pankiewicz](#), PLWP Institutes Director, for information.

M 5/21 – Th 5/24, T 5/29 - F 6/1, M 6/4 – Th 6/7, & M 6/11 – Th 6/14 Summer Youth Writing Camps meet at Missouri Western, 8 AM – 12 PM. Contact [Christie Leigan](#), PLWP program director, for information.

S 6/2 Prairie Lands Writing Project 2012 Invitational Institute Research Day at Missouri Western. Contact [Tom Pankiewicz](#), PLWP Institutes Director, for information.

F 6/8 – S 6/10 Tenth Annual Professional Writing Retreat will be held at Conception Abbey, Conception, Missouri. Contact [Amanda Moyers](#), PLWP Retreat Coordinator, for information.

M 6/18 – Th 6/21 Professional Learning Community: Teaching XG: Digital Literacy in My Classroom meets 8:30 AM – 3:30 PM in Murphy 106. ENG/EDU 502 two credit graduate offering. Contact [Tom Pankiewicz](#), course facilitator for information.

M 6/25-Th 6/28, MT 7/2-3, Th, F 7/6-7, M-Th 7/9-12, M-Th 7-16-19, 2012 Prairie Lands Writing Project 2012 Invitational Institute Summer Sessions meet at Missouri Western, 8:30 AM – 3:30 PM. Contact [Tom Pankiewicz](#), PLWP Institutes Director, for information.

S 9/8/2012 NWP Certification Session for the 2012 Invitational Institute: Eder Hall 210 from 9 AM – 1 PM. Contact [Tom Pankiewicz](#), PLWP Institutes Director, for information.