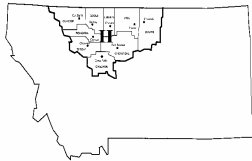


**COMPREHENSIVE SYSTEM
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Upcoming Training:

February 8-9, 2010
Dr. Kevin Feldman

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Presents:

***Improving Mathematics
Outcomes Through RtI:
Connections to Reading***

Dr. David Allsopp

**FREE
TRAINING FOR:**

*General and Special Educators,
Agency Personnel, Parents and
others who work with
children.*

January 27, 2010
Fifth Avenue Christian Church
Havre, MT

January 28, 2010
Hampton Inn
Great Falls, MT

**IMPROVING MATHEMATICS
OUTCOMES THROUGH RTI:
CONNECTIONS TO READING**

Schedule

8:00 a.m.-8:30 a.m. Sign in and Continental Breakfast
 8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m.-Morning Session
 11:30 a.m.-12:45 p.m.-Lunch on your own
 12:45-3:30 p.m.-Afternoon Session

The focus of this seminar is to introduce participants to key aspects of effective mathematics instruction, with an emphasis on the needs of struggling learners, and link these practices to effective reading practice and Response to Intervention/Problem Solving. In this seminar participants will:

1. Self-reflect on their beliefs about the ability of struggling learners to learn mathematics and their preparedness for teaching these students mathematics within RTI.
2. Identify several important learning characteristics and curriculum issues that make learning mathematics difficult for struggling learners.
3. Identify powerful mathematics teaching techniques for struggling learners and how participants can apply one or more of them in their teaching.
4. Visualize similarities between effective reading/literacy practices and effective mathematics practices for struggling learners.

For more information: go to the CSPD website and click on Dr. David Allsopp.



Dr. Allsopp is a Associate Professor of Special Education at the University of South Florida where he teaches methods related courses on effective practices for students with high incidence disabilities. Prior to working in higher education, Dr. Allsopp was a middle school teacher for students with learning disabilities and emotional/behavioral disorders. During his tenure as a middle school teacher in Ocala, FL, Dr. Allsopp was selected school, county/district, Crown Region Teacher of the Year and state finalist for Florida Teacher of the Year. Dr. Allsopp's research and writing interests include instructional methods for students with learning and behavior problems, emphasizing research-supported mathematics instruction. He is co-author of *Teaching Mathematics Meaningfully: Solutions for Reaching Struggling Learners and Academic Success Strategies for Adolescents with Learning Disabilities and ADHD*. Dr. Allsopp is currently co-authoring a book on Mathematics RTI with Learning Resource Publications (LRP). Dr. Allsopp is the lead developer of *MathVIDS*, a free multi-media instructional development website for teaching mathematics for struggling learners sponsored by the Virginia Department of Education. He is also co-developer of the Learning Toolbox (sponsored by the USDOE), a free multimedia learning strategies website designed to help students with learning disabilities and ADHD find success in secondary content courses in conjunction with their teachers and parents/care givers.

6 OPI Renewal Units

or

1 College Credit

through the
University of Great Falls
at a cost of \$85.00
will be available at this
training.

Participation by individuals from outside of Region II is welcome; however, a \$25.00 per person fee is required for the workshop. Region II consists of the counties of Cascade, Teton, Pondera, Toole, Glacier, Liberty, Hill, Blaine, and Chouteau.

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**Registrations for the workshop taken
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REGISTRATION FORM

Please check the workshop you will be attending.

- Wednesday, January 27, 2010
 Thursday, January 28, 2010

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