

Literacy Matrix

An Online Route to Reading Endorsement

You may be eligible to complete the Flamingo Literacy Matrix for Reading Endorsement; an online professional learning system created by the University of Florida's College of Education. The Literacy Matrix is designed to build on what you already know and increase knowledge and skills in key areas of reading to improve literacy outcomes for your students.

PARTICIPATION IN THE LITERACY MATRIX IS FREE TO ELIGIBLE INSTRUCTIONAL PERSONNEL, SPONSORED BY THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

You can choose to complete the entire Literacy Matrix or particular competencies you need to complete your Reading Endorsement. Each competency in Path A is timebound and six weeks in length. The accelerated timebound Path B is five weeks.

| Phonological Awareness | Decoding I | Decoding II | Fluency | Vocabulary | Comprehension |
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| COMPETENCY 1: K-12 LITERACY MICRO-CREDENTIAL COMPONENTS 1-3 (60 HOURS) | | | | | |
| COMPETENCY 2: APPLICATION OF EVIDENCE-BASED INSTRUCTIONAL PRACTICES (60 HOURS) | | | | | |
| COMPETENCY 3: FOUNDATIONS AND APPLICATION OF ASSESSMENT (60 HOURS) | | | | | |
| COMPETENCY 4: FOUNDATIONS AND APPLICATION OF DIFFERENTIATED INSTRUCTION (60 HOURS) | | | | | |
| COMPETENCY 5: DEMONSTRATION OF ACCOMPLISHMENT (60 HOURS) | | | | | |

Competency 1 is satisfied by successful completion of the K-12 Literacy Micro-Credental.

PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING:

- → A \$1,000 completion stipend is available for *eligible instructional personnel (public schools, including charters) who complete the Competency 1.
- → A \$2,000 completion stipend is available for *eligible instructional personnel (public schools, including charters) who complete Competencies 2-5.
- → Competency 5 requires that participants provide instruction to students who have reading needs. Participants are asked to assess, plan instruction, implement/submit a video of their instruction, post assess, and reflect.
- → There are five terms in Path A and B. Participants can take up to 2 competencies each term.

PRE-ENROLL TODAY

*Additional eligibility and completion guidelines may apply. See website for details.



You will receive an email with a unique enrollement link from literacymatrix@coe.ufl.edu. Do not share this link. Your district will be notified of your enrollment and progress status. NOTE: Check your spam folder if you do not receive the email.