

When English Learners Struggle: Distinguishing Language Differences from Disabilities

June 10, 2015 (8:30 – 3:30 CDT)

Workshop #113-15

Owensboro Board of Education • 450 Griffith Avenue • Owensboro, KY 42301

GRREC is pleased to offer this professional development for school psychologists, English Learner teachers and assistants, and ARC Chairpersons in distinguishing language differences from disabilities when working with the EL population.

Learning Targets:

- Designing a system of supports to meet EL students' needs at Tier 1 and Tier 2
- Determining when data supports the initiation of a referral for special education
- Selecting appropriate assessments for EL learners
- Considering multiple factors in determining eligibility for special education services for EL students

Skip Cleavinger is the Director of English Learner Programs for Warren County Public Schools. He has been instrumental in designing effective systems of support to address the unique needs of the English Learner population. Skip is known throughout the state for his knowledge and expertise in the area of English Learner services.

Audience: School Psychologists, English Learner Teachers and Assistants, ARC Chairpersons

Dates: Wednesday, June 10, 2015

Location: Owensboro Board of Education, 450 Griffith Avenue, Owensboro, KY 42301

Time: 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. (CDT)

Cost: No Cost

EILA Credit: None

*****Limited to 100 participants*****

Registration Form

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