



VIRTUAL PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SEMINARS: 2020-21

The KS/MO Kennedy Center Partners in Education are pleased to offer four virtual Professional Development Seminars this school year. Each of these seminars has 2 parts: a SYNCHRONOUS section and an ASYNCHRONOUS section.

- Choose ONE of the two dates. This is your SYNCHRONOUS section which will be held via Zoom.
- One week prior to the SYNCHRONOUS section, you will be given access to the on-line learning module (this is the ASYNCHRONOUS section) which will take approximately 1.5 hours to complete on your own time.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2020 • 4:00-6:00
or **THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2020 • 4:00-6:00**

Moving Through Emotions: SEL through Dance

with Jessica DiLorenzo

FOR TEACHERS OF GRADES K-5

Our emotional states shift as we move through events in our day. In this session you will not only learn a strategy to help students become aware of feelings and the events that shape them, but you'll also learn how dance can become a tool to manage and express emotions.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2020 • 4:00-6:00
or **THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2020 • 4:00-6:00**

Defining Arts Integration: What and Why

with Sean Layne

FOR TEACHERS OF GRADES K-8

This session unpacks the definition of art integration and uncovers the characteristics of quality integration that align with best practice in education. Join the co-author of the Kennedy Center's internationally adopted definition for this informative session.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 28, 2021 • 4:00-6:00
or **THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2021 • 4:00-6:00**

Drawing Symbols to Acquire and Understand New Vocabulary

with Jamin Carter

FOR TEACHERS OF GRADES 3-8

Drawing is a powerful and untapped tool for students to build and explore their understanding of new vocabulary. Combined with a use of symbols it's a winning combination to acquire understanding of new and challenging words!

TUESDAY, MARCH 9, 2021 • 4:00-6:00
or **THURSDAY, MARCH 11, 2021 • 4:00-6:00**

Dance and Movement Strategies for Virtual Learning

with Harlan Brownlee

FOR TEACHERS OF GRADES K-3

This participatory workshop introduces and illustrates dance and movement strategies that you can immediately take back to your virtual classroom. Learn basic creative movement structures that will engage your students and form a foundation for effective dance integration. Please come prepared to move.

To register please visit: **[KSMOPartnersInEducation.org](https://www.ksmopartnersineducation.org)**

Please contact Kara Armstrong at karmstro@jccc.edu to be placed on a waiting list.

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