



The Questar III BETAC and Capital Region RSE-TASC invite you to participate in the following opportunity:

<h2>Teacher to Teacher: Conversations & Questions About Literacy Development in English Language Learners</h2>	<p><u>2010 Series Dates:</u> <i>February 4, March 10, April 1, May 6 & June 3</i> 3:45 – 5:45 PM</p>
	<p><u>Where:</u> Professor Java's Coffee Sanctuary 17 Wolf Road, Albany, NY 12205</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Are you searching for literacy strategies to help raise the achievement of English Language Learners? • Do you have students that are doubly challenged as English Language Learners (ELLs) with Disabilities? • Do you want to share what works for you and find out more through learning from other teachers? • Do you want the research that validates what you find successful and learn how can it do even more for your practice and the achievement of your students? • Do you want to keep up with changes in the research on literacy for ELLs and ELLs with disabilities? • Do you want to learn what the International Reading Association has to say? <p>Please join us for conversation and questions focused on literacy development for ELLs and ELLs with disabilities. Using suggested readings and activities from the International Reading Association (IRA), participants will engage in an ongoing discussion surrounding topics that are group-selected and directed. The small-group setting will provide an opportunity for participants to decide what they would like to know more about and to choose what will be read to achieve their goals.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Selected readings will come from ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS: REACHING THE HIGHEST LEVEL OF ENGLISH LITERACY, G. Garcia, ed. (2003) and from supplementary IRA materials. Each participant will be loaned a copy of the book to be read. Space is limited to 8 participants...so hurry!</p>	
<p>All interested teachers of ELLs are invited to participate. Space is limited to the first EIGHT registrants.</p>	<p>Facilitators: Ellen Chernoff (RSE-TASC) & Rachel Stead (BETAC)</p>

This event is funded through a contract with the New York State Department of Education.

 Email this form to mreyes@questar.org, fax to BETAC at 518.477.1335 or register online at www.betac.org/events

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 Registration Deadline: January 28, 2010 – SPACE LIMITED TO 8 PARTICIPANTS

Organization: _____ Building: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____ Email: _____

Content area that I teach: _____ Grade Level: _____

This is my first BETAC event or my contact information has changed.