

# Albany City School District

## ELA High School Staff Development

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Most meetings will take place at 3:15 PM, with the first ten minutes devoted to departmental communications and business. Professional Development will follow as a 1 hour +/- workshop where indicated. If you are unable to attend a meeting, please email Kathy Weir. See your BTL for copies of handouts and/or information you may have missed.

DATE	TIME	LOCATION	TOPIC
Monday, September 8 <sup>th</sup>	3:15-4:15 PM	Jim Grove's classroom #207	Data Analysis of Regents Results, AIS Overview, Vertical Teaming, etc.
Wednesday, October 22 <sup>nd</sup>	3:30-4:30 PM	PLMA – Rm. 313	<b>Rally representative</b>
Tuesday, October 30 <sup>th</sup>	8:30 AM - 3:00 PM	PLMA – Rm. 313	<b>DESIGNATED Reading &amp; Writing for Regents</b> <b>Instructors :</b> Amy Benjamin: <i>Formative Assessment for English Language Arts</i>
Monday, November 10 <sup>th</sup>	8:30 AM – 3:00 PM	PLMA – Rm. 313	<b>DESIGNATED Reading &amp; Writing for Regents</b> <b>Instructors :</b> Dr. Penny Axelrod: <i>What Every Teacher Needs to Know about Research-Based Literacy Instruction</i>
Monday, December 8 <sup>th</sup>	3:15-4:15 PM	Jim Grove's classroom #207	Best Practice, Budgeting for 2009-2010, Books for next year, Courses for 2009-1010
Monday, January 12 <sup>th</sup>	3:15-4:15 PM	Jim Grove's classroom #207	Regents Scoring Review
Monday, February 9 <sup>th</sup>	8:30 AM – 3:00 PM	PLMA - Rm. 313	<b>DESIGNATED Reading &amp; Writing for Regents</b> <b>Instructors :</b> Follow-Up - Amy Benjamin: <i>Formative Assessment for English Language Arts</i>
Tuesday, March 10 <sup>th</sup>	8:30 AM – 3:00 PM	PLMA – Rm. 313	<b>DESIGNATED Reading &amp; Writing for Regents</b> <b>Instructors : Part 2</b> - Dr. Penny Axelrod: <i>What Every Teacher Needs to Know about Research-Based Literacy Instruction</i>
Thursday, March 12 <sup>th</sup>	3:30-5:00 PM	PLMA – Rm. 313	<i>Using Classroom Assessment to Guide Instruction</i>
Thursday, March 19 <sup>th</sup>	3:30-5:00 PM	PLMA – Rm. 313	<i>Using Classroom Assessment to Guide Instruction</i>
Monday, April 20 <sup>th</sup>	3:15-4:15 PM	Jim Grove's classroom #207	Summer Reading Lists and required assignments, Summer Curriculum Projects
Monday, May 11 <sup>th</sup>	3:15-4:15 PM	Jim Grove's classroom #207	Year end overview
Monday, June 8 <sup>th</sup>	3:15-4:15 PM	Jim Grove's classroom #207	TBD