

OUTREACH/MISSOURI SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND PRESENTS FALL 2019 PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT WEEK



Registration Deadline: August 30, 2019
All workshops are at no cost.
Details, agenda, etc., will be emailed closer to the date.



Location:

Missouri School for the Blind
3815 Magnolia Ave.
St. Louis, MO 63110

Name:

Title:

School District:

E-mail address:

Best contact #:

Please list any access accommodations that you need (please specify):

Please send registration to Jane Herder at jane.herder@msb.dese.mo.gov or via fax at 314.773.2762. *Don't forget to **Save As** before sending.

You may also mail to MSB Outreach Services 3815 Magnolia St. Louis, MO 63110.

Please check all dates you plan to attend (descriptions on next page):

I will attend the Monday 9/9 Building on Patterns/APH/Eligibility session

I will attend the Tuesday 9/10 Welcoming Students session

I will attend the Wednesday 9/11 DB 101 session

I will attend the Thursday 9/12 Haptics session

Monday September 9, 2019- Building on Patterns Pre-K Workshop with Cay Holbrook
(Associate Professor and Program Coordinator in Visual Impairment at the University of British Columbia, longtime APH consultant)

Tentative Agenda

- 8:00-9:30 BOP presentation focused on Pre-K
- 9:30-9:45 Break
- 9:45-11:00 BOP presentation focused on Pre-K
- 11:00-12:00 MO Early Learning Standards aligned with BOP Pre-K and Q&A
- 12:00-1:00 Lunch
- 1:00-3:30 [REDACTED]

APH Product Presentation with Yvonne Ali (Missouri Instructional Resource Center/ Outreach) See new and classic APH products for your student

Audience: TVIs/Related Service Providers/Parents/Early Interventionists/Special and General Educators

Tuesday, September 10-Welcoming Students with Visual Impairments/Blindness

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LEARNING OUTCOMES / OBJECTIVES:

- Discover ways to help students with visual impairments build independence and social skills
- Discover resources for accessible products and texts
- Describe the relationship between visual impairments and environmental adaptations in school environments
- Examine the day-to-day impact of visual impairment within the classroom
- Locate information and local resources on Orientation and Mobility
- Summarize the importance of the development of O&M skills for a student with visual impairment

Audience: New personnel, paraprofessionals, TVIs, COMS, Spec Ed Administrators, Case managers, related service providers, First Steps, Part B providers, parents

Wednesday, September 11- Deaf-Blind 101

- Learn what is dual sensory loss/deaf-blindness and about dual sensory losses with other disabilities
- Learn vision and hearing concerns related to deafblindness, and their developmental and educational implications
- Learn of the importance of a calendar system/routine

Audience: Teachers of the Multiple Disabled, Teachers of the Deaf, TVIs, O&M, parents, Related Service Providers, Part C, Early Interventionists, paraprofessionals

Thursday, September 12- Haptics: Visual and Environmental Information for Individuals who have Vision & Hearing Loss with Beth Jordan (Regional representative Helen Keller National Center), **Mary Hale** (President, Sight & Sound St. Louis) and **Anna Pitchford** (American Sign Language interpreter)

- Haptic Fundamentals
- Haptic Structure
- Sharing Personal Reactions
- Reference Signals
- Describing a Room

Audience: Interpreters, Teachers of the Multiple Disabled, Teachers of the Deaf, TVIs, O&M, parents, SSPs, Related Service Providers,

Hotels near the school:

https://www.tripadvisor.com/HotelsNear-g44881-d566898-Tower_Grove_Park-Saint_Louis_Missouri.html

- *Angard Arts Hotel
- *Hampton Inn & Suites
- *Drury Inn Hampton