

Arabic Teacher Program
 Seattle Public Schools

Course Title	Startalk Seattle
Course Length	2 months
Credit Received	7 university credits to participants, for Washington state required courses for teacher certification.
Program Type	Non residential

Curriculum, Materials & Assessments

Topics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Basics of Credentials, giving teachers a headstart towards certification ▪ K-8 foreign language methodology ▪ Seattle Public Schools' Math as a Content Area Abuse, Human Growth and Development. ▪ Curriculum and Instruction ▪ Reflective Teaching ▪ ELLOPA and SOPA http://www.cal.org/services/testAssess.html ▪ Bloom's Taxonomy http://www.nwlink.com/~donclark/hrd/bloom.html ▪ Interactive teaching using fable and art ▪ Arabic calligraphy ▪ geography of the Arab world
Observation & Practice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Observation of Arabic classes ▪ food sharing ▪ use of fables and art in instruction and in student motivation
Assessment & Evaluation	Praxis exams and West B exams; SOPA/ELLOPA rating training (http://www.cal.org/topics/ta/sopa_ellopa.html) ; final exams; projects

Textbooks & Materials	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ <i>The Little Red Hen</i> in Arabic and English http://www.mantralingua.com/media.php?media=book&id=165▪ Bloom, <i>Taxonomy</i> http://www.nwlink.com/~donclark/hrd/bloom.html▪ Praxis exams and West B exams; exams; projects▪ ELLOPA and SOPA rating training▪ http://www.cal.org/services/testAssess.html▪ http://www.cal.org/topics/ta/sopa_ellopa.html
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