

# EAL Rural Symposium Co-hosted by Alberta Professional Learning Consortium & Rocky View Schools

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Date	Time
November 06, 2024	8:30 AM - 3:30 PM

**LOCATION****Rocky View Education Centre - 2651  
Chinook Winds Drive SW****FEE****\$25.00****QUESTIONS?****Contact Us:****[crc-register@aplc.ca](mailto:crc-register@aplc.ca)  
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## Learning Opportunity

Target audience: K-12 Rural EAL teachers and leads

The purpose of the symposium is to bring together EAL educators in the rural contexts to explore best instructional practices, culturally responsive pedagogies, introduce EAL Benchmarks 2.0, and provide opportunities for practitioners to collaborate within and across school divisions.

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## Presenters

### **Carla Belanger**

Cultural Stories, Safe Spaces: Blending Identity Texts with Trauma-Informed EAL Teaching

### **Youssra Badr**

Empowering EAL Learners Through Culturally Responsive Pedagogy



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