

Building Bridges Together (Grades 7-9 Humanities)

Presented By: **Kim Tackaberry & Charlie Kraig**

Fee: **\$0.00**

Date(s) & Time(s)

October 08, 2020: 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

November 12, 2020: 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

January 14, 2021: 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

February 04, 2021: 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

March 04, 2021: 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Venue:

Online

About the Session

TARGET AUDIENCE: GRADES 7-9 HUMANITIES TEACHERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND

Beginning this fall, ARPCD is hosting new Collaborative Communities entitled Building Bridges Together. There is need to balance physical distancing with effective pedagogical practices (ie. small group work, using manipulatives). Join us to learn, alongside other educators, to brainstorm a variety of ways to best support your students in various learning formats (online, in-person, hybrid).?

Our monthly Zoom sessions will allow teachers to collaborate and share ideas, resources, strategies and successes. You will meet and share with colleagues across school authorities to navigate the future uncharted landscape of learning with physical distancing in mind.

The monthly Zoom meetings will include collaboration and conversation around topics that are relevant to the group members, with the first topic being Mental Health. Additional topics to be determined by the interest of group members.

If you took part in our online and Facebook groups this past spring, we hope you will join us again. If you haven't participated before, we are keen for you to co-create with colleagues and support each other in rising to the challenge of teaching in our new Alberta context. All educators are welcome, if you are an experienced teacher or a first year teacher, come and join in on the conversations.

About the Presenter(s)

Kim Tackaberry is a Designer of Professional Learning with the Calgary Regional Consortium. Her areas of focus include literacy and inclusive education. Kim's teaching career spans over 28 years, ten as a classroom teacher at Foothills Academy Society, a school specializing in children with Learning Disabilities and ADHD. Kim has designed several e-learning courses for teachers, titles include Learning Disabilities and Introduction to Literacy and Numeracy Progressions. She is passionate about coaching educators, particularly when they are focused on supporting struggling readers. Apart from the Founder, Dr. Rick Freeze, she is the sole Precision Reading presenter in North America.

Charlie Kraig is an educational consultant for Learning Network Educational Services. Experience as a classroom teacher (Gr 1-12), school-based coordinator (LA/SS and Inclusive Education), and vice principal (K-8 school), helps her craft unique professional learning opportunities for educators. She is passionate about instructional leadership and improving teacher practice for all learners' benefit.

