

### Train the Trainer Benchmarks 2.0



# PRESENTED BY



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# Date Time January 10, 2023 4:00 PM - 5:30 PM

LOCATION Online

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#### QUESTIONS?

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#### Program

Target Audience: This session is for preK-12 teachers, learning leaders, strategists, consultants or leaders in jurisdictions who will be supporting teachers in learning how to use Benchmarks 2.0. If you are a teacher wanting to learn how to use the Benchmarks please enroll in the How to use Benchmarks 2.0 session.

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Rolling out Benchmarks 2.0 in your school or jurisdiction? Then this Train the Trainer session is for you.

Session #1: Participants will learn how to facilitate the How to Use the Benchmarks Session. This includes learning how to support teachers in analyzing and annotating writing samples to determine language proficiency; using formal and informal reading assessments to assess reading, listening and speaking proficiency and to use observation of communicative tasks and interactions with students to assess learning and speaking.

Session 2: Participants will continue from Session 1 in learning how to assess English proficiency in each strand. Next an overview of how to facilitate the use of the supporting competencies section to further support understanding EAL learners or plan for instruction. This session will also include a discussion of considerations for designing online tracking applications.

#### Presenters

Kathy Salmon

was one of the principle writers for Benchmarks 2.0 and Benchmarks 1.0. She recently completed a two-year secondment at Alberta Education where she and her team partner developed Benchmarks 2.0. As a school principal supporting a diverse learning community of 77% EAL learners, Kathy recognizes the importance of understanding how English language proficiency connects to curricular content learning. Kathy has her M. Ed TESL and is currently in the final stages of Education Doctorate degree with a focus on Effective Teaching for EAL learners.

#### **Registration Notes**

This series will be recorded and available to all registrants for 30 days after the session occurs.

All session times are mountain time.



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