

Course Descriptions/Method of Payment
Instructions for Registering on MyLearningPlan

- Go to www.berksiu.org
- Click on the "Quick Links" drop down box toward the top of the main page.
- Choose "MyLearningPlan" from the list.
- Select Step 1: "Click here to view course catalog".
- Events are in order by dates. Scroll down to "date of event".
- Choose "title of event" session by clicking on the course title for course description and enrollment information.
- Select "Click to Enroll" and choose the link that applies to you. Example, "I'm a new user".
- Enter your information as instructed.
- Method of Payment will be asked after your information is entered. Accepted methods of payment: Personal Check and Credit Card.



The courses are offered by the BCIU Continuing Professional Education Council and the Pennsylvania Department of Education for Continuing Professional Education
Credit toward:

- **Level II Instructional or Educational Specialist Certificates**
- **Master’s Equivalency Certificate**
(18 Continuing Professional Education credits may be used)
- **Self-Improvement or Professional Development**
- **Act 48**

All classes will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis.

All registrations must be completed at <http://www.berksiu.org>. If a course is canceled, registrants will be notified by email; otherwise, registrants should report to the first meeting of the class.

Course offerings are subject to approval by the Pennsylvania Department of Education.

Participant Cancellations: Participants requesting a refund must cancel, in writing or through MyLearningPlan, ten (10) calendar days prior to the start of the class. Please be sure of your course selection before registering.



Continuing Professional Education Course Catalog: Winter & Spring 2010

All course descriptions are located on MyLearningPlan.

**If a Weather Emergency should be in effect:
Visit www.berksiu.org for updated information.
If BCIU is closed, all activities are also canceled.**

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Continuing Professional Education Course Catalog for Winter & Spring 2010

| Course | Instructors | Start | End | Credit | Cost |
|---|---------------------|----------|----------|--------|----------|
| An Educator's Guide to Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder | Edward Smith | 02/05/10 | 02/21/10 | 3 | \$455.00 |
| Anger Management Skills for Education Professional & Students | Dr. Otis & Dr. Sova | 02/13/10 | 02/20/10 | 1 | \$155.00 |
| Anger Management Skills for Education Professional & Students | Dr. Otis & Dr. Sova | 04/17/10 | 04/24/10 | 1 | \$155.00 |
| Books Alive! | Dr. William Yerger | 01/23/10 | 02/11/10 | 1 | \$155.00 |
| Books Alive! | Dr. William Yerger | 06/09/10 | 06/17/10 | 1 | \$155.00 |
| Bullying & Their Victims: Causes, Consequences & How Educational Professionals Can Help | Thomas Hankel | 04/16/10 | 05/02/10 | 3 | \$455.00 |
| Comprehensive School Safety & Emergency Management: Practical Applications | John Sparmblack | 04/08/10 | 05/06/10 | 1 | \$155.00 |
| Diversity Awareness in Communication: Healthy Dialogue & Conflict Resolution | Stephanie Roy | 04/08/10 | 04/25/10 | 3 | \$455.00 |
| Diversity Awareness in Education: A New Perspective for a Changing World | Holly Smith/Opn-Wyd | 03/11/10 | 03/28/10 | 3 | \$455.00 |
| Drug Awareness & Identification: Use & Abuse in Schools | Edward Bachert, Jr. | 04/16/10 | 05/01/10 | 1 | \$155.00 |
| Globalizing the Classroom | William Dramby | 01/12/10 | 04/02/10 | 3 | \$472.00 |
| Helping Children Cope Effectively with Stressful & Traumatic Life Events | Edward Smith | 04/09/10 | 04/25/10 | 3 | \$455.00 |
| Improving Writing Skills (Paragraph Development) Using Inspiration | James Andreyo | 01/16/10 | 03/06/10 | 3 | \$472.00 |
| Improving Writing Skills (Paragraph Development) Using Inspiration | James Andreyo | 03/13/10 | 05/01/10 | 3 | \$472.00 |
| Improving Writing Skills (Paragraph Development) Using Inspiration | James Andreyo | 05/08/10 | 06/26/10 | 3 | \$472.00 |
| Instructional Uses of the Internet | Dr. Kevin Andreyo | 03/01/10 | 04/05/10 | 3 | \$472.00 |
| Integrating Digital Media into Instruction | Dr. Kevin Andreyo | 04/05/10 | 05/03/10 | 3 | \$472.00 |
| Integrating Student Multimedia Projects into the 4-12 Classroom | Dr. Kevin Andreyo | 05/03/10 | 06/07/10 | 3 | \$472.00 |
| Integrating Technology into the Classroom | Dr. Kevin Andreyo | 06/07/10 | 07/05/10 | 3 | \$472.00 |
| Learning with Graphic Organizers | Dr. Kevin Andreyo | 02/01/10 | 03/01/10 | 3 | \$472.00 |
| Math Anchors Grades 3 - 12 | Corinne Fecho-Yanes | 03/01/10 | 05/22/10 | 3 | \$472.00 |
| Maximizing Your School & Local Libraries | Sarah Westley | 01/25/10 | 04/05/10 | 3 | \$472.00 |
| Parental Involvement in Education | Marisa Neeson | 01/21/10 | 02/07/10 | 3 | \$455.00 |
| Putting Reading First: Activities for Creating Strategic Readers | Diane Smith | 03/18/10 | 04/22/10 | 1 | \$155.00 |
| Spanish I for Educators | Marc Mawson | 02/03/10 | 03/03/10 | 1 | \$155.00 |
| Spanish II for Educators | Marc Mawson | 04/07/10 | 05/05/10 | 1 | \$155.00 |
| Street Gangs & Youth Violence in Our Schools: A Practical Overview for Educators | Edward Bachert, Jr. | 04/17/10 | 04/30/10 | 1 | \$155.00 |
| Teambuilding: Creating a Positive Classroom Environment | Christine Motley | 02/18/10 | 03/07/10 | 3 | \$455.00 |
| The American Revolution: The Birth of a New Republic | Matthew Macsisak | 01/06/10 | 02/24/10 | 3 | \$455.00 |
| The Impact of Child Abuse, Neglect & Related Risk Factors on Youth | Andrea Eckenroad | 02/26/09 | 03/07/09 | 3 | \$455.00 |
| Using Web 2.0 Tools to Teach 21st Century Skills | Dr. Kevin Andreyo | 01/04/10 | 02/01/10 | 3 | \$472.00 |
| Writing Workshop for the Primary Grades | Diane Smith | 04/21/10 | 05/19/10 | 1 | \$155.00 |

Any questions/concerns regarding these courses/registration process, please contact Jillian Williams at 610-987-8494 or jilwil@berksiu.org.