

Summer Drama Institute

August 1-3, 2011
Columbia College Chicago

Activate your curriculum!

Gather your colleagues and join us for our **5th annual Summer Drama Institute**. Ignite your creativity, and discover inspiring ways to bring science and social studies to life!

Register for one session or the whole series!
CPDU's will be available.



August 1, 9am to 3pm

Getting Started with Drama Integration: The Basics

(Appropriate for teachers and teaching artists of grades 1-8)

Challenge student thinking, improve collaboration, and tap into students' curiosity about content. Wonder how to get started? This session presents teaching and management techniques for introducing and using drama effectively.

- **Discover how drama connects across your curriculum.**
- **Learn basic tools and skills of drama.**
- **Experience how drama teaches teamwork and collaboration.**
- **Acquire activities for teaching imagination, concentration, movement, and enacted story.**
- **Learn to begin designing drama lessons.**

Recommended books: *Getting Started with Drama*, *181 Favorite Level I Ideas for Drama*, *From Page to Stage: 50 Original Stories for Classroom Drama*

August 2, 9am to 3pm

The Drama of Science

Transform science lessons into active, student-centered explorations of earth science, physical science, and biology through drama. Experience activities that develop teamwork and creative problem solving skills. Acquire techniques for classroom management and building group dynamics while exploring a variety of drama integrated lesson designs. Uncover the countless ways drama integrates with your science curriculum.

- **Explore the drama of the natural world**
- **Enact significant scientific concepts**
- **Enliven non-fiction text**
- **Engage collaborative problem solving**

August 3, 9am to 3pm

Bringing Social Studies to Life

The story of humanity is filled with drama. The struggles, the achievements, the conflicts are all perfect content for students to explore through movement, dialogue, reenactment, characterization, and action. Learn to structure drama integrated lessons that bring history to life, take geographical adventures, and analyze the consequences of past actions. Experience a number of activities for use in the classroom, as well as a process of implementing and designing lessons.

- **Enact significant moments from history**
- **Examine conflict, actions, and consequences**
- **Enliven non-fiction text**
- **Engage creative and critical thinking**

(Appropriate for teachers and teaching artists of grades 1-8. Completion of Getting Started with Drama Integration is recommended.)

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Registration Form

Please return a registration for each attendee.
Feel free to contact us with any questions regarding the workshops or registration.
We look forward to seeing you!

Teacher responses to the institute...

"I enjoyed learning how to implement drama into my classroom so that my students feel comfortable and excited."

"I am walking away twice as knowledgeable"

"Challenging . . . Creative . . . Stimulating . . . Active."

Name:			
Address:			
Phone:			
Email:			
School:			
Position: _____ Academic area(s): _____ Grade level(s): _____			
How did you find out about our workshops?			
Sessions		Fees	
		Before 7/30	After 7/30
Aug 1: Getting Started with Drama Integration (GSWDI)		\$150	\$200
Aug 2: The Drama of Science		\$150	\$200
Aug 3: Bringing Social Studies to Life		\$150	\$200
All three days		\$350	\$500
Recommended Books		Fee	
Books for GSWDI		\$95.00	\$95.00

- My check or PO is enclosed.
- I will pay by credit card on the website.
- I will pay (by check) on the day of the workshop.

Total: \$ _____



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