

South Texas Literacy Symposium Agenda

Literacy for Life: From Cradle to Workforce Readiness

Saturday, January 27, 2018

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. | Registration and refreshments – Viewing of Exhibits

9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m. | Welcome and Introductions

9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. | **Opening General Session:**
Issues and Trends in Literacy – Group Activity

10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. | Break and Viewing of Exhibits

Concurrent Sessions

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| 10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Administrator Track – Volunteer Management B. Outreach Track - AEL-funded Programs C. Workforce Readiness – GED to Post-Secondary Education D. Early Literacy – Creating a Culture of Literacy at Home E. Financial Literacy – Wise About Money: Train the Trainer Project |
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| 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Administrator Track - Developing Collaborative Partnerships B. Outreach Track – Citizenship Education/Civic Literacy C. Workforce Readiness Track – Where are the jobs? D. Family and Early Literacy – Parental Engagement Strategies E. Financial Literacy – Dealing With Fraud and Identity Theft |
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12:30 p.m. – 1:15 p.m. | **Luncheon – General Session – Trending Issues in Financial Literacy – Viewing of Exhibits**

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| 1:15 p.m. – 2:15 p.m. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Administrator Track – Promoting Your Organization on Social Media B. Outreach Track – Servicing the Need of the Visually-Impaired C. Workforce Readiness – Integrating Workplace Skills into Adult Education D. Family & Early Literacy – Dollar Store Math for Parents and Teachers E. Financial Literacy – Financial Education Resources – Consumer Financial Protection Bureau |
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2:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. | Break

2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Concurrent Sessions <ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Administrator Track – Grant-writing TipsB. Outreach Track – English Language Acquisition (ESL)C. Workforce Readiness – GED to Post-Secondary EducationD. Family & Early Literacy – Engaging Children with Disabilities and their ParentsE. Financial Literacy – Planning for College
3:30 p.m. -4:45 p.m.	Closing General Session - Ballroom <ul style="list-style-type: none">Train PD Portal – TCALL – Resources for Professional DevelopmentWrap-up and Evaluation, Book DistributionDoor prizes

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