Opportunity for Kentucky LETRS-Certified Facilitators

A certified facilitator is an individual with a deep understanding of the content, great communication and presentation skills, and a commitment to become an expert in the evidence-based theories of LETRS. The Kentucky Reading Academies will initially be provided by LETRS national facilitators. However, Kentucky educators also will have an opportunity to receive training as a certified facilitator. These facilitators will be vital in creating long-term sustainability within their local schools and districts and across the state.

Kentucky certified facilitators will conduct face-to-face workshops aligned to each unit, lead professional learning communities, support participants, review data to determine conceptual gaps and provide additional training, as needed. Please review the facilitator certification and training timeline below for a glimpse of the process. Certification requires completion of the content as a learner, successful completion of each end of volume post-test **with a score of 88% or higher**, completion of facilitator specific training for each volume and agreement to terms and conditions of certification. Once certified, KY certified facilitators will be tasked with providing training as outlined above for KY teacher cohorts and will be restricted by the terms and conditions.

After completion of LETRS Volume 1, Unit 4, if you are interested in becoming a KY certified facilitator, please contact KDE's Chief Academic Officer, Micki Ray, via email at micki.ray@education.ky.gov.

Facilitator Certification and Training Timeline

Year 1 - Volume I, Units 1-4

September	December	March	June
Kickoff Unit 1	Unit 2	Unit 3	Unit 4
			Facilitator training Vol. I

Year 2 - Volume II, Units 5-8 + KDE Facilitated Vol. I, Units 1-4

September	December	March	June
Unit 5	Unit 6	Unit7	Unit 8
			Facilitator training Vol. II

Facilitate Vol I, Units 1-4

Unit 1	Unit 2	Unit 3	Unit 4

Year 3 - KDE Facilitated Vol. II, Units 5-8

September	December	March	June
Facilitate Vol II, Units 5-8			
Unit 5	Unit 6	Unit 7	Unit 8