



Academic Language and the English Language Learner

21st - 22nd April, 2017

This JAWS is an opportunity for MAINSTREAM TEACHERS working with English Language Learners (ELLs) and EAL SPECIALISTS who want to further develop their practice through discussions, sharing good practice and a series of workshops on developing academic language across the curriculum.

The focus is on...

- Helping ELLs develop academic language across the curriculum
- Scaffolding and differentiation in mainstream classrooms
- Networking with other practitioners

Participants are invited to give a short presentation on academic language acquisition in an EAL context that they found effective in the classroom or a completed school-based action research. This will be followed by activities and group discussion.

Please contact Vanessa Misso-Veness, Head of EAL, (vmveness@nlcsjeju.kr) if you would like more information and guidance on the content of presentations.

GUEST SPEAKER: DR DIANA HICKS

Keynote address:

Accessing, recognising and reproducing academic language – the importance of context.

A trainer/consultant and textbook writer for Cambridge University Press, Dr Hicks has worked with teachers and students in more than 40 countries. She is particularly interested in ELT, looking at language learning and learning through language.

The cost of this JAWS including 2 lunches and refreshments will be 60,000 KRW. We will be organising optional trips to a local Jeju black pig barbecue restaurant on Friday and the beautiful coast and oreum walk on Saturday.