

Description Codes Key

Look for these details in the description/notes area to learn more about types of credit awarded, if the opportunity is in-county or out-ofcounty, and if the training stipend will be paid for participation.

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Code			Meaning	
SWD		This course will be used to award in-service credit that is considered bankable in the area of teaching students with disabilities.		
FELS			This course will be used to award in-service cred	
RD			Educational Leadership Standards (FELS) renews This course will be used to award in-service cred	
			the area of teaching reading strategies.	
000			This is an event sponsored outside of Leon Cour an event agenda and completion certificate to <u>c</u> within six months of the event end date.	outofcountypd@leonschools.net
ESE			ESE courses are highlighted in yellow and requir description.	ed courses are indicated in the
Subject or	Event Title	Descri	ption/Notes	Registration Dates,
Content Area				Times, and Info
ALL LCS	25-26 Annual	All LCS	Personnel will register in LEADS for this	LEADS Course 27307,
Personnel	Required Training	course	and complete it before the Labor Day	Section 35331
		holiday	to cover statutorily required training	
		topics f	or the 25-26 school year.	Register in LEADS,
Contact: Ashley				complete in CANVAS.
Cavallo		Registe	r in LEADS and complete the course in	
		Canvas	!	
Professional	PLA Beginning of	If you a	re the PLA for your school this year	Choose one to attend.
Learning	Year Meeting	please	ensure your admin team has submitted	August 6 th
Advocates – all		•	me to Ashley Cavallo. A Teams	10:00 – 11:30 PM
schools			ar invite will be sent for both dates –	Teams Invite
		please	select a date & time to attend.	August 13 th
Contact: Ashley				3:00 – 4:30 PM
Cavallo				Teams Invite
Any educator in	Independent/Self-	lf you n	eed <mark>bankable reading points</mark> for your	Check out our flyer with
need of	Paced Reading	profess	ional certificate renewal, there are	course info here
, Bankable	Professional	several	options for you! Click the link to the	https://www.leonschools.
Reading Points!	Learning	right fo	r a flyer that provides an overview and	net/cms/lib/FL01903265/
		registra	ition information.	Centricity/Domain/62/Ba
				nkableReading.pdf
				<u>inconencedunig.pur</u>

		RD	
Any educator in need of SWD Points! (Including some Reading and FELS-points opportunities!)	BEESS PLA Self- Paced Coursework	If you need in-service points that qualify for the SWD renewal requirement, the BEESS Professional Learning Alternatives platform has many options that may work for you, especially if you are looking for self-paced independent learning options. Click on the flyer to the right to see which courses have been designated by LCS for bankable in-service credit in serving students with disabilities, reading, or FELS leadership. Certificates of completion will need to be turned in to the Out of County PD inbox for credit.	Check out our flyer with course info here https://www.leonschools.n et/cms/lib/FL01903265/Ce ntricity/Domain/9609/SW DCourseOfferingsApril24U pdate.pdf
All PreK	Back to school	OOC/RD/SWD/FELS This session will cover important updates to help everyone stay on track with Pre-K	LEADS Course 27318 Section 35390
Teachers Contact: Lashay McKhan	updates and training	compliance. You'll receive training on Finch, our new literacy screener designed to monitor early reading skills, as well as Kickstart to Literacy, our new early literacy intervention.	 August 5 th 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM Wesson Media Center
ESOL Site/School Coordinators' Annual PD	ESOL Site/School Coordinators Annual Professional Development	New and Returning ESOL Site/School Coordinators learn new FLDOE Updates, ESOL Audit, Information about new ways of work, and Review Procedures and Policies - Bring Devices	LEADS Course 26733 Section 35313 August 5 th 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM
Contact: Michele Prescott			Howell Front Conference Room
ALL 25-26 Testing Coordinators Contact: Sam Thompson	25-26 Test Coordinator Fall Big Picture Meeting	Participants will learn about new testing information for the upcoming school year.	LEADS Course 26975 Section 34949 August 5 th 1:00 – 4:00 PM Howell Front Conference Room
All Tech Coaches Contact: Denise Williams	MagicSchool AI Train the Trainer Full Day Training	This all-day training is intended to train our school-based tech coaches on the new Al platform adopted by LCS, MagicSchool AI so they can begin holding trainings for staff on their specific campuses.	August 5 th , 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM Lively Technical College, PTC Lab
Middle School Reading Teachers and Coaches New to Language! Live Contact: Amber Mitchell	Language! Live Launch	Teachers/Coaches who are new to the program (or have not attended a full launch session) will receive the preliminary knowledge required to utilize all components of Language! Live effectively in the classroom.	LEADS Course 26968 Section 35315 August 4 th 8:30 AM - 3:30 PM Howell Building School Board Room

Returning Middle School Reading Teachers and all Middle School Coaches Contact: Amber Mitchell	Language! Live Refresher & Updates Meeting	Returning Teachers and all Coaches will receive updates and district support on the 25- 26 implementation of Language! Live for Middle School Tier 3 Reading Interventions.	LEADS Course 26969 Section 35316 August 5 th 12:00 - 1:30 PM Safety and Security Portable
Secondary ELA Department Heads & Secondary Literacy Coaches Contact: Sheree Brown or Shekishma O'Reilly	Collaborative Welcome Back Meeting	Secondary ELA Department Heads and Secondary literacy Coaches will have the opportunity to collaborate and discuss ideas for the upcoming school year.	August 5 th 9:00 – 11:00 AM Howell School Board Meeting Room
High School Teachers new to, or needing a refresher on Lexia PowerUP Contact: Shekishma O'Reilly	LCS Lexia PowerUP Initial Training	This training is for any high school ELA teachers new to or needing a refresher in Lexia PowerUP.	LEADS Course 26436 Section 35319 August 5 th 12:00 – 1:30 PM Howell School Board Meeting Room
Secondary ELA Teachers new to or needing a refresher on StudySync Contact: Sheree Brown	LCS StudySync Training	This training is for any secondary ELA teachers new to or needing a refresher in StudySync.	LEADS Course 25953 Section 35320 August 5 th 2:00 – 3:30 PM Howell School Board Meeting Room
Elementary ELA Teachers (K-5) Contact: Jean Pepe	Elementary ELA Overview	This session is for any teacher who is new to Elementary ELA. We will cover the Florida B.E.S.T. standards, our core curriculum products, and our intervention program. Join Zoom Meeting <u>https://leonschools-</u> <u>net.zoom.us/j/89461091122?pwd=foULvFDbL</u> <u>FQJh5NoE8UL2t9iORGQ3A.1</u> Meeting ID: 894 6109 1122 Passcode: 457514	LEADS Course 26464 Section 35332 August 5 th 9:00 – 11:00 AM Zoom Meeting

Elementary Literacy Coaches – NEW Contact: Jean Pepe	New Literacy Coach Meeting	This session is for any NEW Elementary Literacy coach. Join Zoom Meeting <u>https://leonschools-</u> <u>net.zoom.us/j/82511828056?pwd=T6Ld8heVr</u> <u>qSGKVoDknWxnaLPK4gPyf.1</u> Meeting ID: 825 1182 8056 Passcode: 883070	LEADS Course 26996 Section 35333 August 6 th 1:00 – 2:00 PM Zoom Meeting August 6 th
Elementary ELA Support Office Hours via Zoom Contacts: Jean Pepe or Amber Mitchell	Any Elementary ELA teacher or coach in need of time for questions or concerns.	Open office hours for any questions about elementary ELA/Reading. Join Zoom Meeting anytime between 9-11 AM <u>https://leonschools-</u> <u>net.zoom.us/j/82765325028?pwd=V4a9gaeb1</u> <u>ZoUOUILId6b1azuamaRLc.1</u> Meeting ID: 827 6532 5028 Passcode: 319033	9:00 – 11:00 AM Join via Zoom link
Elementary Science Ambassadors Contact: Gina Gass	Elementary Science Ambassador Beginning of the Year Meeting	All former and/or new Elementary Science Ambassadors should attend to receive elementary science information for the new school year to share with your site.	LEADS Course 26967 Section 35317 August 5 th 1:30 – 2:30 PM Howell Building Fishbowl Training Room
Secondary Science Department Chairs Contact: Gina Gass	Department Chair Beginning of the Year Meeting	All former and/or new middle and high school science department chairs should attend to receive secondary science information for the new school year to share with their departments.	LEADS Course 26532 Section 35318 August 5 th 9:30 – 10:30 AM Howell Building Computer Lab
Current and NEW Elementary Math Coaches and Contacts Contact: Celeste Clemons	Elementary Math Coaches and Contacts Beginning of Year Meeting	All former and new elementary math coaches and contact should attend to meet, collaborate, and learn about new initiatives and information surrounding elementary math in LCS.	LEADS Course 27328 Section 35404 August 5 th , 8:30 AM -10:30 AM Safety & Security Portable
High School Math Department Chairs Contact: Cynthia Osborne	HS Math Department Chair Beginning of the Year Meeting	All former and/or new high school math department chairs should attend to receive secondary math information for the new school year to share with their departments.	LEADS Course 27002 Section 35360 August 5 th , 9 AM – 10 AM Leon High School

Middle Cabaal	MC Math	All formor and/or now middle school math	LEADS Course
Middle School	MS Math Department Chair	All former and/or new middle school math department chairs should attend to receive	Section 35361
Math	Beginning of Year	secondary math information for the new	
Department	Meeting		August 5 th ,
Chairs	Weeting	school year to share with their departments.	11 AM – 12 PM
			Leon High School
Contact: Cynthia			
Osborne			A
Middle & High	MS & HS Social	If you are a MS or HS SS department chair,	August 5 th ,
School Social	Studies Department	please join Tonya Givens for your beginning of	8:30 AM – 9:15 AM
Studies	Chair Beginning of Year Meeting	year meeting via Microsoft Teams link below.	Join via Microsoft Teams link
Department	Teal Meeting	Marshine Links	
Chairs		Meeting Link:	
		https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-	
Contact: Tonya		join/19%3a6ecc1bb282c148938e1fb22baa441	
Givens		b4e%40thread.tacv2/1751979296373?context	
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Returning	Civics Community of	Returning Civics teachers should plan to	LEADS Course 27312
-	Practice for	attend this meeting for information,	Section 35363
Middle School		resources, and support for effective	
Civics Teachers	Returning Civics	instructional strategies and technologies	
	Teachers	related to teaching Civics in middle school.	August 5 th ,
Contact: Amice		related to teaching entes in madic school.	9:00 AM – 10:15 AM
Fletcher			Deerlake Middle School
NEW Middle	Civics Community of	New Civics teachers should plan to attend this	LEADS Course 27312
School Civics	Practice for NEW	meeting for information, resources, and	Section 35364
	Civics Teachers	support for effective instructional strategies	
Teachers	civics redeners	and technologies related to teaching Civics in	August 5 th ,
		middle school.	
Contact: Amice			10:15 AM – 11:00 AM
Fletcher			Deerlake Middle School
World	World Languages	This 2 hour meeting will consist of: 1 st hour,	August 5 th ,
Languages	Teachers Back to	introductions and forming PLC groups based	1:00 PM – 3:00 PM
Teachers	School Meeting	on languages taught. Goal of the first hour is	Location Rickards, room
	_	networking and sharing ideas, goals, and	24-117
		resources. And 2 nd hour, how to use a story	
		telling game (mafia/werewolf) in the L2	
		classroom for student engagement and vocab repetition. Game will be demonstrated in	
Contact: Rob		English, with suggestions on ways to reduce	
Amstutz		complexity of the game in the L2 context.	
Elementary	Elementary Music	This session will be offered for all Elementary	LEADS Course 26531
Music Teachers	Teachers Beginning	Music Teachers to discuss Quaver curriculum	Section 35362
	of Year Meeting	updates, Orff, Drums, Movement, and more!	
Contact: Mary	, č	(Breakfast snacks provided at 8:30!)	August 5 th ,
Register		,	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM
negister			Gilchrist Music Room

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Secondary Music	Secondary Music	This opportunity will be offered for all	LEADS Course 27317
Teachers	Teachers Beginning of Year Meeting	Secondary Music Teachers to discuss updates and collaborate for the upcoming school year.	Section 35384
Contact: Scott		Dr. Mark Belfast from FSU will also be a guest	August 5 th , 9 AM – 11 AM
Leaman		speaker, so it's a session you'll surely want to	Lincoln Chorus Room
		attend!	
Secondary	Secondary Art	Welcome new and returning art teachers!	LEADS Course 27329
Art	Teachers' Back-to-	Updates, art news, grant opportunities,	Section 35405
Teachers	School Kick-off	discuss professional development	
	2025-2026	opportunities, art supply give-away, lesson plan exchange	August 5 th , 10:00 AM -1:00 PM
Contact: Marilyn			Lincoln High School Art
Proctor-Givens			Room (120)
K-12 Media	Back-to-School	Returning and New Media Specialist Training	LEADS Course 26983
Specialists	Updates and	will include the FDOE Annual Required	Section 35379
	Training	Training and district policies/procedures	
		updates.	August 5 th ,
Contact: Kathleen			9:00 AM – 3:00 PM Howell Bldg. Fishbowl
Malloy			<u> </u>
<mark>New Referral</mark>	The Referral	This required session is designed to provide	LEADS Course 26976
<mark>Coordinators/</mark>	Roadmap:	<u>new</u> Referral Coordinator/504 Contacts a clear	Section 35345
<mark>504 Contacts</mark>	Navigating Your	insight and understanding of the referral and	
	New Role	evaluation process for both IDEA and 504	August 5 th , 1:30-3:30 PM Rickards – Media Center
Contact: Kim Scott			Nickards – Media Center
<mark>or Cathy Shields</mark>	Presenters: Kim		
	Scott, Melissa	ESE	
	Barton, Jennifer		
	Benton		
<mark>All ESE</mark>	IDEA Essentials –	This required training is for all ESE	LEADS Course 25986
Instructional and	The IEP Process with	instructional and related services personnel.	Section 35347
Related Services	Al as a Tool	This session is designed to empower educators	
Personnel		with the knowledge and tools needed to	August 5 th ,
	Presenters: Melissa	create and implement high-quality, compliant	8:15 AM – 10 AM
<mark>Contact: Cathy</mark>	Barton, Cathy	individualized Education Plans (IEPs) that are	Rickards – Auditorium
<mark>Shields or Melissa</mark>	Shields, Chris Reece	grounded in data. Participants will explore	
<mark>Barton</mark>	Shields, ennis Recee	how to use student performance data to drive	
		the development of IEP goals, monitor	
		progress effectively, and ensure legal	
		compliance with IDEA requirements.	
		Whether new to IEP development of looking	
		to refine your practice, this session will	
		provide practical strategies and resources	
		(including AI) to strengthen your IEP processes	
		and improve outcomes for students with	
		disabilities.	
		ESE	

Access Teachers and Multi-Grade Classroom Teachers Contact: Cathy Shields or Melissa Barton	Bridging the Gap: Aligning Access Points with Grade- Level Standards Presenter: Jenny Root, FSU	This <u>required</u> training is for all Access Teachers and Multi-grade classroom teachers to work toward access points and grade-level standards alignment.	LEADS Course 27130 Section 35346 August 5 th , 10:05 AM – 12:20 PM Rickards - Auditorium
Classroom Behavior Specialists, Paraprofessional s, SLP Assistants, Occupational Therapy Assistants, and Sign Language Interpreters Contact: Cathy Shields or Melissa Barton	From Reacting to Responding: Proactive Behavior Support for Paraprofessional and Classroom Behavior Specialists Presenters: LCS ESE Behavior Support Staff	 This supportive and interactive training is required for all Classroom Behavior Specialists, Paraprofessionals, SLPAs, OTAs, and Sign Language Interpreters. Participants will gain valuable insights and practical strategies to implement proactive behavior supports that foster positive student engagement and success. Through real-world examples, collaborative discussions, and evidence-based practices, this session will empower staff to better understand student behavior, prevent escalation, and create inclusive learning environments that support all learners. Learning Objectives: Understand the principles of proactive behavior support Identify early signs of behavioral challenges Apply strategies to prevent and deescalate disruptive behaviors Collaborate effectively with educational teams to support student needs 	LEADS Course 21460 Section 35348 August 5 th , 8:15 AM – 11:00 AM Rickards - Lunchroom
ESE Teachers, Paras, Classroom Behavior Specialists Contact: Cathy Shields or Melissa Barton	Positive Pathways: Programming for Progress in Behavior Support Settings (EBD, CBS) Presenters: LCS ESE Behavior Support Staff	This <u>required</u> training is for all teachers, paraprofessionals, and classroom behavior specialists who work in EBD and CBS settings. ESE	LEADS Course 21460 Section 35349 August 5 th , 11:15 AM – 12:45 PM Rickards - Lunchroom
ALL SLPs/SLPas Contact: Cathy Shields or Treeva Fountain	SLP Essentials: Navigating the Present, Shaping the Future	This <u>required</u> training is for all SLPs and SLPas to collaborate and ensure coherence for this upcoming school year. ESE	LEADS Course 27109 Section 35350 August 5 th , 10:15 AM – 11:15 AM Rickards – Media Center

All NEW SLPs and SLPas and contracted SLPs/SLPas Contact: Cathy Shields or Treeva Fountain	Starting Strong: A Launchpad for New and Contracted SLPs	This <u>required</u> foundational training session is designed to support all contracted and newly district-hired Speech-Language Pathologists (SLPs) and Speech-Language Pathology Assistants (SLPAs) as they begin their journey in school-based practice. The session will provide a comprehensive overview of essential responsibilities, documentation requirements, service delivery models, and collaboration strategies within the educational setting. Participants will gain clarity on the roles and boundaries of SLPs and SLPAs, understand how to navigate IEP processes, and learn how to use data to drive therapy decisions and demonstrate student progress. Emphasis will be placed on compliance with state and federal regulations, ethical practice, and effective communication with students, families, and school teams. ESE	LEADS Course 27109 Section 35351 August 5 th , 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM Rickards – Media Center
Paraprofessional s, CBS, ESE Teachers, Related Services Personnel Contact: Cathy Shields or Melissa Barton	Behavior Basics Blitz: Strategies in Short Sessions Presenters: LCS ESE Program Specialists for Behavior	 This dynamic training (required for Paraprofessionals, Occupational Therapy Assistants, and Sign Language Interpreters) is designed to equip educators and support staff with practical, evidence-based strategies to improve student behavior through the lens of the ABC (Antecedent-Behavior-Consequence) framework. Participants will rotate through three focused sessions, each targeting a critical component of behavior support: 1. Antecedent Strategies – Learn proactive techniques to prevent challenging behaviors before they occur by modifying environments, routines, and instructional approaches. 2. Reactive Strategies – Explore effective, respectful responses to interfering behaviors that prioritize safety, de-escalation, and relationship preservation. 3. Reinforcement Strategies – Discover how to strengthen positive behaviors through meaningful reinforcement systems tailored to student needs. Each rotation is designed to be interactive and solution-focused, providing participants with tools they can immediately apply in their settings. To ensure relevance and impact, the training will be offered in two distinct tracks: 	LEADS Course 26098 Section 35352 August 5 th , 1:45 PM – 3:30 PM Rickards - Lunchroom

ESE Teachers Contact: Cathy Shields or Melissa Barton	UFLI Foundations in Action: Practical Approaches for Students with Disabilities Presenter: Jenny Root, FSU	 Primary Track – Tailored for early childhood and elementary educators, with strategies appropriate for younger learners. Secondary Track – Designed for middle and high school staff, focusing on age-appropriate interventions and engagement techniques. Sessions will be co-facilitated by teams of Positive Support Behavior (PSB) specialists, ensuring a collaborative and supportive learning environment. Participants will leave with a toolkit of ready-to-use strategies, increased confidence in managing behavior, and a deeper understanding of how to create positive, inclusive learning environments. ESE This workshop is designed for teachers of students with disabilities who are seeking effective strategies for delivering basic reading instruction. Participants will receive an overview of the UFLI (University of Florida Literacy Institute) program, including its structure, instructional components, and how it supports foundational reading skills. The session will explore key elements of early literacy development—such as phonemic awareness, phonics, and decoding—and how to apply these strategies in diverse classroom settings. Educators will leave with a clearer understanding of how to implement UFLI- based instruction to meet the unique needs of their students. 	LEADS Course 26914 Section 35353 August 5 th , 1:20 PM – 2:20 PM Rickards - Auditorium
Teachers of Students with Disabilities	AI Powered Strategies for ESE Success	This workshop is to learn about multiple Al tools that can be used to support teachers of students with disabilities.	LEADS Course 27310 Section 35354
Contact: Cathy Shields or Melissa Barton	Presenter: Jenny Root, FSU	ESE	August 5 th , 2:30 PM – 3:30 PM Rickards - Auditorium
Collaborative Teams of General Ed and ESE Teachers Contact: Cathy Shields or Melissa Barton	Collaborative Teaching Partnerships Presenter: Kelly Claude, FIN	This session will provide professional learning to general and special education teachers working together in a co-teaching or a support facilitation model to provide services and supports to students with disabilities in settings with peers without disabilities. Participation requires a collaborative teaching partner for completion of activities, and this session and subsequent follow-up activities will satisfy the requirements of section	LEADS Course 27311 Section 35355 August 5 th , 1:00 PM – 3:30 PM Rickards – Large Classroom

HS/MS Credit	LCS Office of	1003.03, Florida Statutes (F.S.), regarding training in team-teaching methods. ESE New and returning teachers who implement	LEADS Course 26972
Recovery Contact: Kelvin	Instructional Technology Courseware/ PLATO Training Fall	the Courseware/PLATO Credit Recovery program. Participants will learn how to navigate the system, enroll students, and manage assigned courses.	Section 35334 August 5 th 10:00 AM - 12:30 PM
Graves	2025-2026		Zoom: <u>https://edmentum.z</u> oom.us/j/92698281242
Secondary ELA/Reading	Self-paced professional learning	Series of self-paced Canvas courses covering B.E.S.T. ELA, Core ELA curricular tools, Science of Reading, and Evidence-based strategies.	Introduction to B.E.S.T. for ELA LEADS Course 25740
Contact: Sheree Brown or SheKishma O'Reilly		Register through Leon LEADS; Receive an email prompting you to accept the Canvas course; Once accepted, access the course through your Canvas tile in Classlink	6-8 ELA B.E.S.T. LEADS Course 25737 9-12 ELA B.E.S.T. LEADS Course 25738
			B.E.S.T. for 6-12 Foundational Reading Interventions LEADS Course 25754 Hitting the Mark: Reading
			Across Genres & Vocabulary LEADS Course 27188 Hitting the Mark: Reading
			Informational Text LEADS Course 27189 Hitting the Mark: Reading
			Prose & Poetry LEADS Course 27190
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Elementary ELA/Reading Contact:	Self-paced professional learning	Series of self-paced Canvas courses covering B.E.S.T. ELA, Core ELA curricular tools, Science of Reading, and Evidence-based strategies.	ELA LEADS Course 25740
Amber Mitchell or Jean Pepe		Register through Leon LEADS; Receive an email prompting you to accept the Canvas course;	K-2 ELA B.E.S.T. LEADS Course 25741 3-5 ELA B.E.S.T.

Once accepted, access the course through your Canvas tile in Classlink	LEADS Course 25742
	Introduction to Savvas myView
	LEADS Course 25782