

## DuPage High School District 88

### Approved ASCD Course Offerings for Internal University Credit as “District Curriculum”

If you wish to take any of these courses, you must already have obtained your Master’s degree. You may only choose courses from this list. Other ASCD courses will not be accepted for Internal University credit. **ONLY TWO COURSES per term will be accepted for Internal University Credit.** (One term = summer, or fall, or spring.) **While these courses are not eligible for reimbursement, they qualify for one credit towards advancement on the salary schedule.**

**Instructions for enrolling:** Go to [www.ascd.org](http://www.ascd.org). Go to “Professional Development” (along header). Scroll down to “PD Online Courses”. Then go to the left side for “Course Catalog”. You’ll see these offerings. Follow their directions for registration.

#### **Assessment**

- Designing Performance Assessments (Mary Kay Armour)
- Exemplary Assessment: Measure That’s Useful (Jenny Smith)
- Teacher Behaviors That Promote Assessment for Learning (Ken O’Conner)
- Using Assessment in the Differentiated Classroom (Diane L. Jackson)

#### **Instructional Strategies**

- Differentiating Instruction (Leslie Kierman)
- Classroom Management: Managing Challenging Behavior (Diane L. Jackson)
- English Language Learners in the Mainstream: Strategies That Work (Jenny Smith)
- Helping Struggling Readers (Kathy Checkley)
- Our Multiple Intelligences (Kathy Checkley)
- Our Multiple Intelligences: Translating Theory into Practice (Kristen Nelson)
- Success with Differentiated Instruction (Cindy Strickland)
- Successful Strategies for Literacy and Learning (Angelika Machi)
- Technology in Schools: Its Not Just About Word Processing (Diane Jackson)
- Technology in Schools: Teaching Better with Technology (Jamie Sawatky)
- The Brain: Memory and Learning Strategies (Marcia D’Arcangelo)
- The Inclusive Classroom (Jenny Smith)
- What Works in Schools: An Introduction (John Brown)

#### **Curriculum Development**

- Creating Standards-Based Curricula (Angelika Machi)
- Improving Student Achievement with Dimensions of Learning (John Brown)
- Understanding by Design: An Introduction (John Brown)
- Understanding by Design: The Six Facets of Understanding (John Brown)
- Understanding by Design: The Backward Design Process (John Brown)

#### **Understanding the Learning Process**

- Bridging Learning Theory in the Classroom (Diane L. Jackson)
- Classroom Management: A Teacher-Student Collaboration (Kathy Checkley)
- Understanding Student Motivation (Jenny Smith)
- Toward Equity in Achievement (Kathy Checkley)

## **Instructional Leadership**

- Creating and Sustaining Professional Learning Communities (Vera Blake and D.L. Jackson)
- Embracing Diversity, Respecting Others (Robin Porter and Kathy Checkley)
- Global Education (Karen Rasmussen)
- Parents as Partners in Schooling (Kathy Checkley)
- The Reflective Educator (Martha Elin Mountain)
- What Works in Schools: School Level Factors (John Brown)

When you have completed the course, you will need to submit a copy of your certificate of completion (ASCD will have you print one after you have finished the course) as evidence. Please submit any paperwork to the Personnel office for movement on the salary scale in a timely fashion.