

Please pass on to all early career teachers & post by the TTOC sign in sheet

Early Career Teachers

start UP!

..... Fri. February 20th. Surrey

Start UP! Literature Circles*

Create avid readers and meet reading and oral language PLOs with no preparation or after school marking

& Create a Caring & Collaborative Classroom

Group learning enhances academics and self esteem.
Elaine Jaltema- President PITA & Literacy Award winner

Start UP! Your PE Class*

& Start Rythmics & Dance

Develop fitness, coordination, group skills & specific sports.
Tammy Wirick- SFU & former Burnaby PE Cons.

Start UP! Your Math Class*

Build confidence to reduce Math anxiety

& Start Measurement & Geometry

Ann-Marie Hunter- Start UP! Coordinator- Kamloops

Start UP! The First Week of School*

Strategies, ideas & resources & 33 pg. booklet. Ray Myrtle

* Teacher Candidates and TTOCs will find these especially useful

Register at bit.ly/startupreg

The Start UP! workshops are recommended by PITA, Pro D Committees, faculty associates, mentors, district staff, principals and has had over 1500 participants. Questions? startupyourclass.ca or contact Ray at ray.myrtle@gmail.com

**'Start UP!' workshops prepare you for your first class.
'Start' workshops are suitable for all teachers.
For info, join our community at startupyourclass.ca**

Programs for Early Career Teachers

Start UP! Your Class Cooperative- a BC based, non-profit cooperative

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Helping early
career teachers
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Start UP! Your Reading Class:

Literature Circles Elaine Jaltema Gr. 4-9

Create avid readers and meet reading and oral language PLOs with no preparation or after-school marking. Students are excited to discuss the juicy issues and typically read far more than they have before, while developing comprehension, critical thinking, and social skills. Learn about access to myPITA's chapter summaries and tests for hundreds of novels to be used for literature circles and individual reading.

Start UP! Your Math Class-

Ann-Marie Hunter 4-8

We will discuss how to choose strategies for teaching that will diminish Math anxiety and build student confidence, helping students to be more engaged and successful in Math. The program, Mastering the Basics, from Trevor Calkins' Power of Ten program, will be introduced.

Start UP! Your PE Class - Tammy Wirick 4-9

Planning and teaching Physical Education can be daunting from both a management and curricular perspective. In this session, you will gain a repertoire of practical activities for Physical Education, management strategies and tools for planning an effective short and long term program. Come prepared to be active and change your thinking about what Physical Education means to you.

The First Week of School- Ray Myrtle 3-9

The first week is crucial and sets the tone for the year. This workshop will help you to start and manage your new classroom. Get The First Week of School, a 33 pg. booklet of lesson suggestions, strategies, ideas and checklists for your first week. Network as you learn about the other parts of the Start UP! program. Start Up! your year prepared & confident!

Start UP! Measurement & Geometry-

Ann-Marie Hunter 4-9

Let's talk about ways to engage and motivate your students with hands-on Math tools to learn measurement and geometry. Come and play with manipulatives, learn strategies, and get resources to help you successfully teach these Math topics!

Cultivating a caring and collaborative classroom- Elaine Jaltema 4-9

Group learning enhances students' academic achievement and self-esteem as well as developing communication, problem-solving, and social skills. A collaborative classroom is also a more enjoyable place to be – for students and teachers. Learn how to plan cooperative group learning which preserves individual accountability as well as fun energizers to develop teamwork and cooperative attitudes.

Start UP! Rhythmics and Dance-

Tammy Wirick 4-9

Come and be prepared to participate in a unit that allows students at all levels to be actively engaged in rhythmics that can develop fitness, coordination, group skills and even incorporate specific sports. You will gain an understanding of the approach to teaching an inclusive introduction to dance that challenges all students appropriately utilizing equipment and music that's easily accessed. Come prepared to be active and change your thinking about dance!

Especially for Teacher Candidates, TTOCs and teachers on short term contracts	For all teachers
AM-Start UP! Reading: Literature Circles* or- Start UP! Your PE Class	AM- Start UP! Measurement & Geometry
PM- Start UP! Your Math Class	PM-Cultivating a caring classroom* or Start UP! Rhythmics & Dance
The First Week of School*	

* Webcast.

The location will be emailed to you following registration.
We appreciate the support of PITA & the STA Pro D committee.

Recommended by:

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Subject to change

**Fees for the day, \$20-\$60,
includes workshops, handouts
& Cooperative membership**

Register at bit.ly/startupreg

**Can't attend? See other workshops at:
startupyourclass.ca**