

Learning in Action

Using Universal Design for Learning to
Improve Instruction and Increase Engagement

A Professional Learning Event for Educators

Presented by the Training & Technical Assistance Center at ODU



Universal Design for Learning (UDL)

UDL is an educational framework based on universal design. This framework defines flexible learning environments that can accommodate individual learning differences. UDL advocates providing students various options for content (representation network), assignments and activities (expression network), and interests (engagement network).

Description:

This interactive session will explore ways to design educational experiences that inspire and challenge learners of all ages and abilities.

Participants will experience instructional activities across all content areas that feature *Universal Design for Learning* as a framework. The three core components of UDL will be addressed:

- ① Actively engaging all learners
- ① Presenting material in multiple ways to appeal to all learners
- ① Providing multiple ways for students to demonstrate what they have learned

Target Audience:

We are seeking out school teams of 3-5 professionals that may include special education teachers, general education teachers, co-teaching teams, therapists, lead teachers and administrators. Ideal participants would be willing to take the ideas and strategies from this session, participate in follow-up activities, share it with colleagues, and facilitate their implementation in their classroom/school.



Registration:

Date: March 15, 2017

Time: 9:00 am to 4:00 pm (registration and breakfast at 8:30 am)

Location: Thomas Nelson Community College Workforce Development Center
600 Butler Farm Road
Hampton, VA 23666

Cost: \$25 per person, includes breakfast, lunch and workshop materials.

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