

Virginia Department of Education Training & Technical Ass<mark>istance Center</mark> George Mason University

**Resource Spotlight** 

A resource brief to support virtual professional learning for division partner staff and families

# Specially Designed Instruction (SDI) - Literacy

This Resource Spotlight features relevant resources, virtual learning opportunities and family supports related to literacy specially designed instruction (SDI).

#### **RESOURCES:**

## \* Specially Designed Instruction (SDI) Overview

Anne M. Beninghof Specially Designed Instruction (SDI) overview and video examples including adapting content, methodology, and delivery

- Morphology Resources
   GMU TTAC compilation of morphology resources for professional learning and classroom use
- Phonological Awareness Resources
   GMU TTAC compilation of phonological awareness resources such as webinars, videos, practice guides, teacher and student materials, and podcasts
- \* Student Center Activities

Florida Center for Reading Research (FCRR) collection of learning activities and accompanying teacher resource guides for differentiated literacy instruction

## VIRTUAL PROFESSIONAL LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES:

- Teaching Vocabulary and Comprehension in the Content Areas
   IRIS Center Secondary Reading Instruction module on incorporating vocabulary and reading comprehension skills instruction into secondary content area lessons
- Deepening Learning with Comprehension and Vocabulary Strategies
   IRIS Center Middle School Reading Instruction module offering strategies for improving vocabulary and comprehension skills of students across a variety of content areas
- Elementary Multi-Tiered Systems of Support for Reading (MTSS-R) Module Series Oregon Response to Instruction and Intervention (ORTIi) MTSS Tier 1, 2, and 3 modules with videos, resources, and facilitation guides
- 2022 and 2023 Virtual Reading Symposium Recordings
   ORTII Virtual Reading Symposium keynote and breakout session recordings and materials on intensifying reading instruction, interventions and support

## FAMILY SUPPORTS:

- Literacy Resources for Families and Communities
   Virginia Department of Education (VDOE) literacy instruction and VLA information and
   resources for families and educators
- Literacy Resources for Families
   UVA Virginia Literacy Partnerships topical literacy resources and activities for families
- Families and Schools Partnering for Literacy Success
   National Center on Improving Literacy (NCIL) toolkit for families and schools to work
   together to support children's literacy success

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