

## LOGOS SUMMER TRAINING 2017 - WORKSHOPS & DESCRIPTIONS

### Track: GRAMMAR

Instructor/Area	#	Title	Brief Description
Tracie Handel -Preschool  <i>(Please read our statement on the Pre-Polly: PS-2nd - stage.)</i>	1	Classroom Management	This session will present the characteristics of the Pre-Polly child and the means of equipping them for future learning. You will be given strategies for encouraging mature behavior and establishing positive communication with parents.
	2	Preschool Curriculum: Grammar	Phonics instruction needs to be both engaging and thorough. This session will offer ideas on how to blend work with play, including an overview of <i>Drawing Thru the Alphabet</i> .
	3	Preschool Curriculum: Bible	Preschool Bible is the time for laying foundational truths. This session will explore ways to instill biblical knowledge and nurture a love for the Word.
Jan Sawyer-Kindergarten	1	Classroom Management	Children love the security of an orderly environment that is also full of fun and exciting studies. This session is designed to help you develop patterns that will help your children learn without distractions.
	2	Bible & Science	For Bible, we will look at ways to teach big truths to little people by being a good story-teller. For Science, we will look at studying Creation as a sermon about God.
	3	A Day in Kindergarten	This session will include children in an actual classroom setting: an opportunity to observe a day in Kindergarten.
	4	Round Table Q & A	
Micaela Blum - 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade	1	A Day In First Grade	In this workshop, you will observe and interact with the teacher and Logos First Grade students as they walk through a typical day.
	2	Language Arts In Pre-Polly	This workshop will highlight literacy learning in the Pre-polly stage, while concentrating on Phonics, Literature, and Writing.
	3	Science/History	We will look at the history and science units we study in first grade, while considering the frame of the pre-polly child: what is relevant to them, and in the world around them.
	4	Planning, Organization, and Classroom Management	In this workshop, we will focus on planning for the year ahead, organizing and preparing for each day, including lesson plans, helpful resources, and general classroom management.

Chantelle Wilson - 2nd Grade	1	Reading in 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade	What and how we read in second grade.
	2	English and Spelling	How we go about giving our students a strong foundation for being people of the Word.
	3	Math in 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade	An overview of teaching classical math in second grade.
Kris Akin - 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade	1	Reading Tips	An overview of teaching and scoring reading comprehension in third grade.
	2	Writing In Third Grade	A practical workshop addressing the teaching and grading of writing and composition in the third grade; how to make them successful writers.
	3	Making Sound-offs	Hands-on workshop where we will discuss ways to make sound-offs and chants for various subjects.
Kelsey Clemans- 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade	1	First Year Tips	This workshop presents ideas on anticipating and overcoming common pitfalls and challenges that new teachers face. It's also helpful for those entering a new school or changing to a new grade.
	2	A Day In 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade	This workshop offers an overview of teaching fourth grade. It will cover the areas of classroom management, time, and curriculum, with the emphasis being on classroom management.
	3	Teaching Methods	Practical, helpful methods that engage 4 <sup>th</sup> graders.
	4	4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Poll Parrot Science	How to do science that matches the frames of Poll Parrot students.
David Kohl - 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade	1	Classroom Management	For the newer teacher, we will consider how to choose rules, ways to discipline, organize, run the details, and communicate with parents.
	2	Composition	This workshop addresses preparing to teach composition: pre-writing, writing, and post-writing, as well as grading compositions.
	3	Reading	We will examine worldview issues, what reading is, as well as giving you suggestions on how to teach (and not teach) reading, vocabulary, levels of questions, and grading.
	4	Motivating Students	This workshop deals with the five broad principles of why students are motivated (or not) to learn.

	5	Plays and Games	Creating and performing assembly plays and puppet show will be the first topic of this workshop. The second topic will be considering the benefits and caveats of games to aid learning, with some examples.
	6	Advice for Teachers	This workshop offers some basic ways to view teaching: what is your place, how to work and be successful, and the outline for a “perfect lesson.”
Kim Anderson- 6 <sup>th</sup> Grade	1	6 <sup>th</sup> Grade History	We will discuss a classical philosophy of teaching history, how to prepare for teaching history, and then look at the nuts and bolts of teaching history to 6 <sup>th</sup> graders.
	2	Review games/techniques (4th-6th grades)	To be an effective teacher you must review! Come learn some new games to make that review time fun and interesting to your students.
	3	6 <sup>th</sup> Grade: The Transitional Year	This workshop will better equip you to help your students move from the grammar to the logic stage of learning.
Jim Becker - 6 <sup>th</sup> Grade	1	A Day In 6 <sup>th</sup> Grade	A walk-through of a typical day for a 6 <sup>th</sup> grader will be shared.
	2	Upper Grammar Math	Tips and structure ideas for effective math instruction will be discussed.
	3	Upper Grammar Science	Topics and methods for the teaching of science will be presented.
Julie Garfield - Latin	1	Purpose & Practices of Latin	This session introduces primary reasons for teaching Latin and how grammar stage Latin relates to the frame of elementary students. The Latin lesson is also discussed and linked to Milton Gregory's SEVEN LAWS OF TEACHING.
	2	Evaluation & Integration In Latin	This session continues to explore the Latin lesson as a means of monitoring understanding. Techniques for self or peer-critiquing of assignments, evaluation ( tests, quizzes, assignments), and integration with other subjects are covered.
	3	Kids At Both Ends of the Spectrum	This session covers ways to encourage struggling students and to challenge gifted students, as well as to help new students to blend in and catch up. Games and supplemental activities are included.
	4	Crash Course In Latin	This session is a quick fly-by of the basics of Latin.
Allie Erber - Music	1	Music Education I: Literacy at the Grammar Stage and Beyond	As with all subjects, music has a grammar of its own, without which there is no foundation for logic and rhetoric; but what is it? This session explores what it means to be musically literate and what that looks like at the Grammar stage specifically, with a glimpse at Logic and Rhetoric.

	2	Music II: Literacy Tools:	How do we achieve musical literacy? This session provides a summary of the most effective tools for building students' musical skills.
	3	Music III: Class Demonstrations	What does a typical Grammar stage music class look like? Come and see some of our students in a mock lesson!
	4	Music IV: Getting Started	How can you implement these things at your school? This session provides direction for music teachers looking to learn and teach musical literacy.
Bethany Nielson - Art	1	Art in the Trivium: Part I	Break down a composition to the definitions and foundations of sketching and coloring a simple sunflower in three different elementary grade levels-First Grade, Third Grade, and Sixth Grade.
	2	Art in the Trivium: Part II	Beginning with simple imitation and moving to the color and texture techniques of a good composition, build a castle picture at two different elementary skill levels-First Grade and Fourth Grade.
Matt Whitling - Elem Topics	1	Toolbox of the Grammar Teacher	This talk will address how to teach in a distinctly classical way in the elementary classroom.
	2	Covenant Discipline	This talk addresses the biblical foundation for discipline in the classroom and at home.
	3	Sins of the Classroom I	This talk is the first of a two-part series that will address common sins that students face in our classes and how to deal with them.
	4	Sins of the Classroom II	This talk is the second of a two-part series that will address common sins that students face in our classes and how to deal with them.
	5	Class Management	This talk will address how to organize and run your classroom so that it functions like a well-ordered machine full of grace.