

EDCO Collaborative invites you to participate in:

HELPING STUDENTS UNDERSTAND THE RESEARCH PROCESS

June 25, 2008
Face-to-Face Meeting
9:00am - 1:00pm

June 25 - July 11, 2008
Online Sessions



Understanding and applying the research process is an essential skill for students, teachers and librarians to master. In this course participants will explore standard Research Models as well as related concerns:

- ◇ Essential Questions
- ◇ Plagiarism
- ◇ Citation sources
- ◇ Students' basic research skills, e.g. locating information, evaluating reliability of sources, and outlining

The course consists of one face-to-face meeting followed by 8 hours of structured online exploration and participation in forums.

We'll use the face-to-face meeting to jump start participants in developing Essential Questions and evaluating Research Models. A well-developed set of Internet links as well as book titles will provide support and structure for exploration. The course product will be a unit centered on a Resource Model chosen and adapted by members of the course.

Presenter:	Carol Kelly, Salem State College and former K -12 librarian
Audience:	Classroom teachers and librarians
Location:	Face-to-face session to meet at EDCO Collaborative, Waltham
Fee:	\$175 EDCO members / \$210 non-members
Registration:	Through the Office of Curriculum and Instruction in your district
Credit option:	At the first class, participants may choose to register for 1 graduate credit from Framingham State College for an additional fee of \$65.
Register by:	June 3, 2008. <i>Registrations received beyond that date will be accepted according to space availability.</i>
Questions?	Please call the EDCO Seefurth Center at (781) 259-3445 .