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Spring Workshops 2010

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RAFT Spring Workshop schedule now on-line

Attention RAFT Members: This "Schedule at a Glance" gives you a preview of the exciting workshop opportunities you will find on the RAFT website. To get all the details, go to: <http://www.raft.net/workshops>

Each RAFT workshop delivers practical, hands-on teaching ideas you can apply right away. Our instructors are experienced educators who understand your challenges. You will leave many of our sessions with a set of hands-on materials for use in your classroom.

We have a wide range of dynamic workshops scheduled in the San Jose and Redwood City facilities. **All educators are welcome at both RAFT locations!**

Adobe Software Training

Adobe is sponsoring RAFT in partnership with the Krause Center for Innovation (KCI) as Adobe Youth Voices Teacher Training Centers.

As part of this new program RAFT and KCI are offering classes (free for educators) which will provide training in Adobe software including Photoshop, InDesign, Premiere Elements, and Flash.

For more information visit: <http://www.raft.net/workshops/adobe> or call 408-451-1421

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Schedule at a Glance

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Workshops at RAFT San Jose

January

Thursday, January 7th

Google Search Intermediate 4:30-6:30

Saturday, January 9th

Urban Basketry 8:30-12:30

Make Music with RAFT 1:00-5:00

Saturday, January 16th

Green Energy 9:00-1:00

Thursday, January 21st

Worm Composting 4:30-6:30

Saturday, January 23rd

Classroom Celebrations 8:30-12:30

Teambuilding I 9:00-1:00

Open-ended Art 1:30-5:30

Thursday, January 28th

Google Documents & Templates 4:30-6:30

Saturday, January 30th

Occupational Dolls II 9:00-1:00

Teaching Whole Number Algorithms 1:00-5:00

February

Saturday, February 6th

Storytelling 8:30-11:30

Form & Function in Nature 1:00-5:00

African Dance for Kids 1:30-5:30

Thursday, February 11th

Connect Curriculum to the Real World 4:30-6:30

Thursday, February 18th

Google Search Advanced 4:30-6:30

Mixed Media 4:30-7:30

Saturday, February 20th

Probability: How Likely Is It? 9:00-1:00

Science Magic 1:00-5:00

Art for Special Ed. Preschool 1:30-4:30

Thursday, February 25th

KQED Google Mapping 4:30-6:30

Saturday, February 27th

Teaching Literacy with Die Cuts 8:00-10:00

Teaching Fractions 1:00-5:00

The Science of Yo-yos and Tops 1:30-5:30

March

Thursday, March 4th

Google Spreadsheets & Forms 4:30-6:30

Saturday, March 6th

Cards in Motion 9:00-1:00

Teambuilding III 1:30-5:30

Thursday, March 11th

Simple Machines 4:30-6:30

Saturday, March 13th

Watercolor Floral Techniques 8:30-12:30

Rates, Ratios, & Proportions 1:00-5:00

Dance of the Planets 2:00-4:00

Saturday, March 20th

Spectroscopy: Color in Light 9:00-1:00

Just Paper! 9:00-1:00

Thursday, March 25th

Pen & Ink Drawing 4:30-7:30

Saturday, March 27th

Just Paint! 8:30-12:30

Easy Earth Science Lessons 1:30-5:30

April

Saturday, April 10th

Fabric Montage 8:30-12:30

Earth Art 9:00-12:00

Geometry & Art for 6th-8th Grade 1:00-5:00

Saturday, April 17th

Teaching Literacy with Die Cuts 8:00-10:00

Battery Science 8:30-12:30

Mad Math Activities 1:30-5:30

Thursday, April 22nd

Teambuilding IV 4:30-6:30

WordArt & Paint 4:30-6:30

Saturday, April 24th

Silkworms 1:30-5:30

Cycles in the Sky 2:00-4:00

Thursday, April 29th

Math Games 4:30-6:30

May

Saturday, May 1st

Book Arts Sampler 9:00-1:00

Literary Uses for Game Boards 1:30-5:30

Saturday, May 15th

Surface Techniques 1:00-5:00

Headache-free Life Science 1:30-5:30

Thursday, May 20th

Google Sites 4:30-6:30

Saturday, May 22nd

Watercolor Techniques 8:30-12:30

Paper Airplane Science 2:00-4:00

Thursday, May 27th

Google Spreadsheets and Forms 4:30-6:30

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Workshops at RAFT Redwood City

January

Saturday, January 30th

Introduction to Calligraphy 9:00-1:00

February

Thursday, February 4th

Welcome to Planet Plankton 4:00-7:00

Saturday, February 6th

Preschool Science 9:00-1:00

Thursday, February 11th

KQED Science Maps 4:30-6:30

Saturday, February 20th

Collaborative Bookmaking in the Classroom 9:00-1:00

Wednesday, February 24th

Math Games 4:30-6:30

March

Saturday, March 13th

Math & Science of Nutrition 9:00-1:00

Saturday, March 20th

Literacy Development in the Early Childhood Years 9:00-1:00

Saturday, March 27th

Spring Connections 9:00-1:00

April

Saturday, April 10th

Teambuilding II 9:00-1:00

Saturday, April 24th

Investigation with Perimeter, Area, & Volume 9:00-1:00

Workshop Registration is easy!!!! Register Online at www.raft.net

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