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MONTHLY NEWSLETTER DECEMBER 2023



COMING UP

CONFERENCE



Early Bird tickets close on DEC 9 for our Annual Learning Labs Conference at UWCSEA Singapore, March 2024!

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PLAYFUL LITERACIES



Dr. Jo Fahey's Playful Literacies begins on February 12. Early Bird pricing closes on DECEMBER 9.

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MASTERCLASS



Our FREE monthly masterclass will be on December 13 Presented by Juliette van Eerdewijk.

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LITERACY



Foundations of Concept-Based Literacy will begin on March 11. Early Bird pricing closes on DECEMBER 9.

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ARTS COURSE



Discovering Concept-Based Arts starts on January 22. Early Bird pricing now closes DECEMBER 9.

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INQUIRY



Concept-Based Inquiry in Action begins on February 12. Early Bird pricing closes on DECEMBER 9.

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December / January Events

DECEMBER MASTERCLASS

December 13. 06:00 AM UTC.

THE CBI MATHEMATICS PROJECT Pilot Program

Applications OPEN. There are only 41 places left.

ERICKSON & LANNING CBI TRAINER CERTIFICATION INSTITUTE

Applications are now open.

EARLY BIRD PRICING ENDS

December 9 is the last day for all our early 2024 courses to get discounted rates.

ANNUAL LEARNING LABS CONFERENCE

21-24 March, 2024

UWCSEA Singapore - Early Bird Tickets on sale NOW.

A Message from Rachel

Thank you to everyone who joined us for the recent CBI Mathematics Summit! With over 280 educators connecting with us live, the event brought together passionate mathematicians, educators, and enthusiasts, fostering an exciting exchange of ideas and insights. Thank you to everyone who contributed to making this Summit a memorable experience. If you are still considering joining the CBI Mathematics Project Pilot, we still have a few spots left.

As we gear up for an exciting 2024, I am confirming travel plans for February, March, and July, with trips to China, USA, and Australia. If you're interested in an in-school workshop, please let me know now.

Rachel



Great news! Our 2024 courses are on the horizon, and we're thrilled to announce that the Annual CBI Learning Labs Conference will take place at UWCSEA Singapore from March 21-24, 2024!

Take advantage of the Early Bird prices, which end this week (for courses and the Conference).

Secure your spot now for an enriching learning experience and great networking opportunities. We're looking forward to another year of collaboration and educational excellence!

Juliette van Eerdewijk leads this month's masterclass. Join her as she shares strategies to support non-native speakers in Concept-Based Inquiry classrooms. Gain insights into addressing linguistic challenges and seamlessly integrating second language learning into your teaching. It's an excellent opportunity to enhance your classroom practices.

Don't miss out on these opportunities to grow and learn together!

And don't forget, **Erickson and Lanning CBI Trainer Certification Institute** applications are open. Apply before January 30, and you will receive FREE registration into the Concept-Based Inquiry in Action course in February, valued at €850.

This is your opportunity to change your career trajectory and play a pivotal role in transforming education.

In response to your feedback, we have added an option for you to update your email preferences in our email system. You can now follow the link at the bottom of all our emails or follow this link and enter your details:

<https://jb371.infusionsoft.app/app/form/web-form-submitted45>

As we approach the holiday season, we want to extend warm wishes for happy and safe holidays to educators worldwide. Many of you will be traveling home, and we hope you enjoy a restful break with family and friends.

Transforming education starts with you...

DECEMBER MASTERCLASS**How to Support a Concept-Based Inquiry Classroom through Translanguaging**

Juliette van Eerdewijk will host our FREE masterclass this month on December 13 at **6:00 am UTC**.

Embarking on the language development journey for non-native speakers involves a multifaceted approach that extends beyond conventional methods. Integrating the principles of translanguaging invites students to navigate between languages, breaking down barriers and fostering a deeper understanding of both the target language and their native language.

Together, we will explore the journey to fluency in an additional language for students. Delving into the complexities of language acquisition, exploring how long it takes for students to achieve true fluency and the crucial milestones along the way.

REGISTER NOW!

EPISODE 6 OF THE LEARNING LOUNGE

In this episode, "Embracing Translanguaging," Juliette van Eerdewijk, Cathie MacLeod, and Evelyn Hargett discuss translanguaging, highlighting its essential role in the teaching and learning process. The conversation delves into the significance of translanguaging in fostering a learning environment that is not only rich but also inclusive. The trio explores the intricate connection between language and identity, shedding light on strategies that nurture and respect every child's language development.



2024-2025

THE ERICKSON AND LANNING CBCI TRAINER CERTIFICATION

BEGINNING ON AUGUST 17TH, 2024

As a certified Erickson and Lanning Concept-Based Curriculum and Instruction (CBCI) Trainer, the opportunities for growth are endless, as are the ways in which you can integrate the certification into your specific career focus.

Whether you plan to lead workshops, coach teachers or utilise the learning in your classroom, by joining an expanding group of thought leaders, focused on transforming education, together... we can change the world.

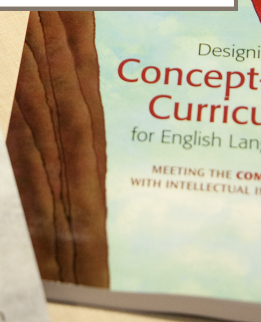
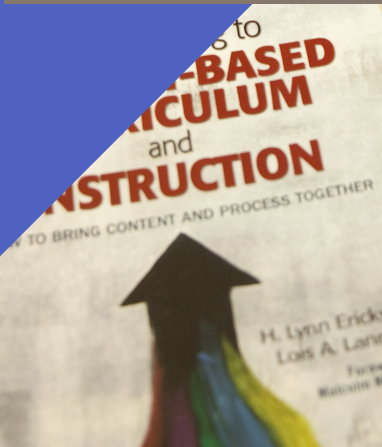
The Erickson and Lanning CBCI Trainer Certification is a nine-month online program designed to:

- Develop a deep understanding of Concept-Based Curriculum and Instruction so that you are able to fluently and confidently explain the principles to others.
- Provide you with practice crafting clear generalizations, or conceptual understandings, so you can confidently lead curriculum design.
- Create opportunities to coach others to write generalizations beyond your area of expertise so you can support both the high school math teachers AND the kindergarten team.
- Deconstruct lessons so that you can design your own learning experiences that empower students to think conceptually.
- Provide you with a bank of resources to create a coherent and logical presentation suited to the needs of your particular audience.



**APPLICATIONS ARE NOW
OPEN FOR 2024**

APPLY NOW!





THE CONCEPT-BASED INQUIRY

- MATHEMATICS PROJECT -

PILOT PROGRAM



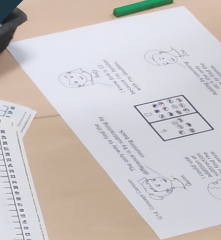
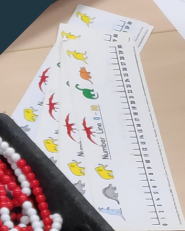
Specifically designed for elementary teachers and schools who want to master a Concept-Based Inquiry approach to mathematics, The CBI Mathematics Project is a full, comprehensive mathematics curriculum that empowers students to become confident problem-solvers within and beyond the classroom.

Does this sound familiar:

- Your school lacks a cohesive mathematics curriculum, so you have to rely on resources you've used in the past, while your students have to bridge the gaps between different teaching approaches
- Your school ditched textbooks in favor of Concept-Based Inquiry, but now it's every teacher for themselves in the creative struggle to create engaging mathematics lessons or find resources online
- Working on your units of inquiry, you've seen the power of using questions to help students build conceptual understanding—but designing conceptual *mathematics* units still feels daunting
- Your budding mathematicians are engaged, but you still feel like their understanding is on shaky foundations, wavering every time you try to build on previous lessons
- Those lightbulb moments that pop up in class—when students really *get it*—are exciting, but you have no idea how to ensure they happen *consistently* in your mathematics classes

A complete mathematics curriculum. Including:

Full Scope and Sequence
Learning Engagements
Strategy Talks
Stretch and Support options
Pre-assessments
Orientation and onboarding



THE PROGRAM THAT BRINGS MATHEMATICS TO LIFE



- Save yourself hours of planning—we've designed units for you so you can focus on teaching
- Help your students understand mathematics so they can retain and build on previous lessons
- Empower students to see patterns, so they can use mathematics to solve real-world problems
- Experience consistent—almost predictable—aha moments in your mathematics class

THIS IS PERFECT FOR YOU IF...

- You're passionate about Concept-Based Inquiry but don't know where to start with mathematics
- You're ready to shortcut the curriculum design process so you can focus on implementation
- You want students to understand mathematics, so they can apply their learnings in real life
- You want your students to feel confident with the mathematics foundation they need to succeed
- You wish your students would remember what they learn, so you could stop reteaching it
- You want to feel less stressed out and more confident in teaching mathematics

As a pilot educator, you'll be the first in the world to experience our revolutionary approach to mathematics!

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[THE CBI MATHEMATICS PROJECT](#)