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MONTHLY NEWSLETTER MAY 2023



COMING UP

INSTITUTE



Applications for the 2023/2024 Erickson & Lanning CBI Trainer Certification Institute close on May 26.

[APPLY](#)

MATHEMATICS



Places are still available in The CBI Mathematics Project Pilot Program. Register now to secure your place.

[REGISTER NOW](#)

MASTERCLASS



Our FREE monthly masterclass is on MAY 13, and will be hosted by Rachel French. Register now to join us.

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May/June Events

MAY MASTERCLASS

Leading Change
With Rachel French
May 13.

THE CBI MATHEMATICS PROJECT

Pilot Program
Applications OPEN.

ERICKSON & LANNING CBI TRAINER CERTIFICATION INSTITUTE

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A Message from Rachel

Wow, April was such a busy month! For me, it was one of those months that whizzed by so fast; I can't believe it is already May.

I started the month in The Hague at the CBI Learning Labs Conference, came home for a week, and then headed to Auckland for three days of in-school workshops. We celebrated my daughter's second birthday, visited family, and raced back home in time for the Virtual Conference.

After spending four of the last five weeks away from home, May will be busy in a very different way. We are so excited about the upcoming launch of our new website and YouTube Channel. There's a lot to look forward to!

Rachel

With both our in-person and virtual conferences now complete, we want to say a huge Thank you! to all the presenters who supported our efforts to make these events possible.

We have had such overwhelmingly positive feedback about your experiences at the conferences this year, and this, in no small part, is due to the many hours of work put in by our certified trainers and their enthusiasm for sharing their passions and provoking such important conversations in this arena. It is so greatly appreciated.

This month our Erickson and Lanning Trainer Certification Institute participants are completing their second assessments, and we are getting ready to close applications for next year's cohort!

If this is something you have been considering,

please submit your applications now, don't hesitate to get in touch with any questions that you might have.

Rachel will be hosting our free monthly masterclass on May 13 - focusing on how to lead change and adopt and implement a school-wide CBI approach. Be sure to get yourself registered this week.

In other big PLI news, we are preparing to launch our new website next month. There's nothing like a brand refresh to make you feel good - but there will no doubt be some teething issues as we make the transition, so we ask you to bear with us! Stay tuned!

As always, we love your feedback and interaction as the months continue to be filled with more and more exciting content and events - so be sure to stay connected!



Transforming education starts with you...

REGISTER NOW FOR OUR
MAY MASTERCLASS



Leading Change - Establishing a Concept-Based Inquiry Approach in Your School

Our FREE Masterclass this month will be hosted by Rachel French on **May 13th at 6.30 AM UTC or 7:30 PM UTC.**

This Masterclass is for school leaders, team leaders, and teachers looking to support their school in adopting and implementing a CBI approach. This 90-minute class will explore:

- How to build a shared understanding of CBI in your own school context.
- How we can make unit planning more meaningful.
- What school leaders must do to support teachers and honor the work that is involved in writing curriculum and unit design.

REGISTER NOW!



2023-2024

THE ERICKSON AND LANNING CBCI TRAINER CERTIFICATION

BEGINNING ON AUGUST 19TH, 2023

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.

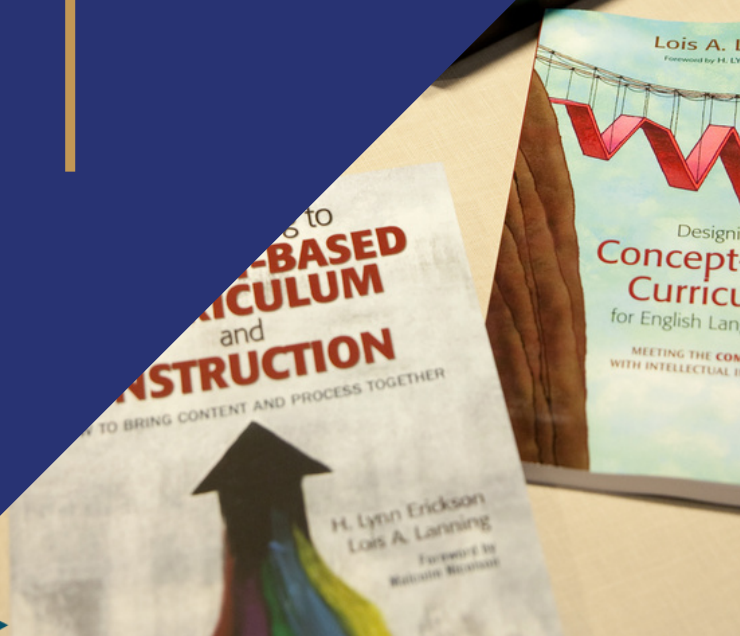
Whether you plan to lead workshops, coach teachers or utilise the learning in your classroom, by joining an expanding group of thought leaders, focused on transforming education, together... we can change the world.

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.



[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:

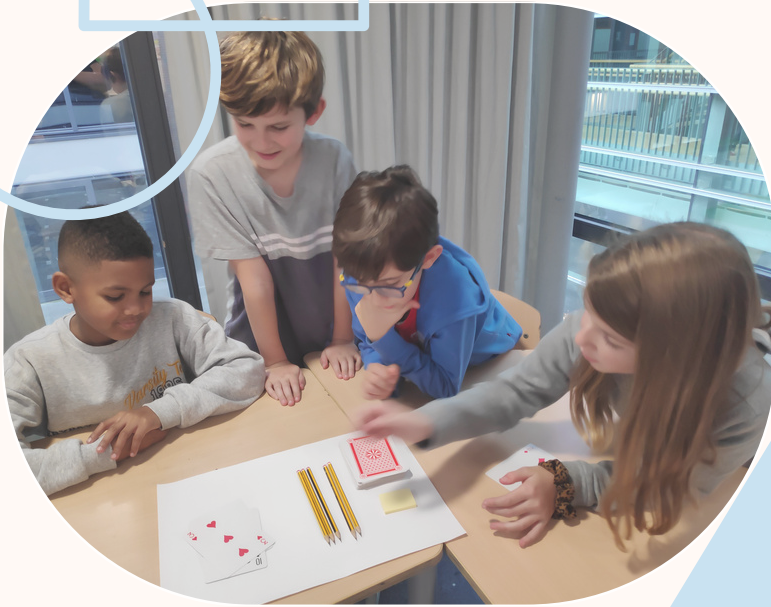
- Your school lacks a cohesive mathematics curriculum, so you have to rely on resources you've used in the past, while your students have to bridge the gaps between different teaching approaches
- Your school ditched textbooks in favor of Concept-Based Inquiry, but now it's every teacher for themselves 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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