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## SPEECH & LANGUAGE FOR ALL SEASONS

### **Course Description**

This presentation will focus on the *what*, the *why*, and most importantly the *how* of speech therapy. We will begin by looking at the four domains of speech and language as outlined by ASHA. We will also look at the targeted skills under each domain that we should be focusing on in therapy and how they correlate to the classroom curriculum for grades K-4. The majority of the presentation will be spent exploring hands-on practical activities that encompass these targeted skills at all levels. Beginning with summer, we will take you through each season providing tons of great suggestions and demonstrations of fun new activities for you to add to your therapy tool kit! We will be showing some of our favorite purchased materials and how they can be modified throughout the year. We'll also be looking at some websites that offer great seasonal downloads. Finally, we will take a look at a number of cheap activities that you can easily make by making a trip to your local Dollar Tree. All materials will be displayed at the end of the presentation, so feel free to bring your cameras!

Friday, June 25, 2010	
7:30 – 8:00	<i>Registration</i>
8:00 – 9:45	<b>Introductions and Opening Activity The “What” &amp; “Why” of Speech &amp; Language Therapy</b>
9:45 – 10:00	<i>Break</i>
10:00 – 11:00	<b>Let’s get to the activities! The “How” of Speech &amp; Language Therapy</b>
11:00 – 12:30	<i>Lunch on Your Own</i>
12:30 – 2:00	<b>Activity and Seasonal Activities for Summer &amp; Fall</b>
2:00 – 2:15	<i>Break</i>
2:15 – 3:45	<b>Seasonal Activities for Winter &amp; Spring</b>
3:45 – 4:00	<b>Questions and Review of Materials</b>
4:00	<i>Adjourn</i>

### **Learner Outcomes**

At the successful completion of the course, participants will be able to:

- Identify the four speech and language domains and a minimum of five targeted skills under each domain.
- Describe how these domains correlate with the classroom curriculum for Kindergarten through fourth grade.
- Identify three pieces of supporting evidence regarding the Speech Pathologist’s role in providing services to support these domains.
- Describe ten therapy activities to improve children’s speech and language skills under each of these domains.



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**Speaker Biographies**



**Hillary Billings MS, CCC-SLP & Holly Nester MS, CCC-SLP**

Hillary and Holly are graduates of Radford University, where they obtained their Master of Science degrees in Speech-Language Pathology. Together, they have a combined experience of nearly fifteen years serving children in the Virginia public school system. Over the past 3 years, they have been providing trainings in the areas of early childhood and school age speech and language development throughout Virginia and West Virginia. In addition, Holly serves as the chairperson of the Response to Intervention team at her base school and Hillary has served as adjunct faculty at Radford University assisting with the Scottish Rite summer clinic.

**DATES** Friday, June 25, 2010  
 8:00 am – 4:00 pm  
**REGISTER BY JUNE 15, 2010 for BEST RATE!**

**LOCATION** Southwest Virginia Higher Education Center, Abingdon, Virginia  
 Directions available at: <http://www.swcenter.edu/about/directions.html>

**LODGING** Lodging information available at <http://www.washingtonvachamber.org/lodge.htm>

**COST** \$150.00 by June 15  
 \$175.00 after June 15  
*Student Rate ½ off!*

This program is offered  
 for .6 CEUs  
 Intermediate Level,  
 Professional Area



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