

Provincial Teacher Development Courses

Port Elizabeth Institute – 2nd Term of 2019

TO ALL TEACHERS TEACHING IN THE FOLLOWING DISTRICTS:
Nelson Mandela Bay, Sarah Baartman and Amathole West

OVERVIEW

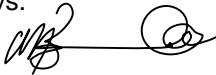
The Port Elizabeth Provincial Teacher Development Institute was established on the grounds of what was previously known as Algoa College in Straunway Street, Straundale in Port Elizabeth, in early 2017 and started offering provincial Teacher Development training courses at the start of 2018. During 2018 the courses on offer at the Institute only targeted national priority subjects, i.e. Mathematics, Sciences and Languages. The courses on offer during 2019 have been expanded to include provincial priority subjects, i.e. high enrolment subjects and technical subjects.

The Port Elizabeth Institute primarily services teachers in its three surrounding districts, i.e. Nelson Mandela Bay, Sarah Baartman and Amathole West. Due to the distances that need to be travelled to attend provincial courses by teachers residing in the Amathole West and Sarah Baartman districts, the use of satellite training venues situated closer to these districts is being explored to ensure that teachers are provided access to provincial courses.

Curriculum Management has been collaborating with Teacher Development to ensure that all teachers who attend provincial courses have a high quality overall training experience. To this end, the FET courses on offer have all been endorsed by SACE and teachers attending the full duration of these courses will therefore earn CPTD points. The GET courses are also to undergo SACE evaluation prior to the June/ July 2019 training.

The team at the Port Elizabeth Institute looks forward to hosting you at one of the upcoming provincial Teacher Development training courses taking place during the June/ July 2019 school holidays.

Mrs Chulekazi Xundu-Bula
Head of the Port Elizabeth Institute



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What is the nature and focus of the courses? All courses published in the **2019 Prospectus** will take the form of 5-day residential courses addressing key teaching content and strategies specific to each subject listed.

Will trainees be assessed? Yes – trainees will be assessed in a pre- and post-test related directly to the content of the course to ascertain the impact of the training on their subject knowledge.

Who should attend? Subject Advisors/ Heads of Department/ Teachers responsible for the specific grade/ phase and subject being targeted.

Why should I attend? Trainees who completed provincial courses during 2018 had the following to say:

- *I came back with a positive attitude to my subject.*
- *We had the opportunity to share knowledge and grow.*
- *I am confident of what to teach in my class.*
- *I found the setting of papers using Barret's taxonomy very helpful*
- *I learnt how to deal with different ability levels in my class.*
- *I learnt different teaching strategies and how to integrate technology in my lessons.*

How many can attend? 1 group of 50 trainees per course listed for the Port Elizabeth Institute in the 2019 Prospectus for the June/July 2019 school holidays.

Where is the training taking place? All training will take place at the Port Elizabeth Institute. Where a course for a low enrolment subject, e.g. CAT, is on offer the course will be conducted at 1-2 centralised venues, i.e. other Institutes, in the Province.

When are the courses taking place? During the June/July 2019 school holidays. See the **2019 Prospectus** for course details, including content and venues.

Will accommodation be provided? Yes – for those teachers who do not stay within close proximity to the training venue.

Will transport be provided? Districts are responsible for transporting teachers to and from training at the start and the end of the five days. A shuttle will be available to transport teachers making use of accommodation between the training venue and place of accommodation for the 5 days.

How do I register? Use the unique link provided for each course to access the online registration form via the Internet or speak to your District Teacher Development eLearning Facilitator / Subject Advisors in the district to assist you. Register **on or before the closing date of Friday, 26 April 2019** for the course you wish to attend. You will receive confirmation from the Institute offering the training course that you have been accepted to attend.

JUNE / JULY 2019 TRAINING COURSE SCHEDULE

Term 2: April – July 2019

Course	Venue	Registration link
eSkills4All (Gr 1-9 teachers)	PE Institute & Uitenhage Vodacom Centre	http://bit.ly/2Udid20

Week 1: 17 - 21 June 2019

Course	Venue	Registration link
Primary School Reading Improvement Programme (Gr 4 - 6 teachers: Group 1)	PE Institute	<i>Link to be issued to nominated pilot schools</i>
Economics: Key content (FET Gr 11 & 12 teachers)	PE Institute	http://bit.ly/EconGrade11-12PEPTDI
Information Technology: Delphi programming (FET Gr 12 teachers)	PE Institute	http://bit.ly/2IY8tUn
Afrikaans HL: Literature Studies (FET Gr 10 teachers)	PE Institute	http://bit.ly/AfriksHLPEPTDI
English HL: Literature Studies (FET Gr 10 teachers)	PE Institute	http://bit.ly/2EIoU7A
isiXhosa HL: Literature Studies (FET Gr 10 teachers)	PE Institute	http://bit.ly/2BYoSlo
FET Civil Technology CAPS Mop-up (Grade 10-12)	PE Institute	http://bit.ly/2VdxiNA
FET Electrical Technology CAPS Mop-up (Grade 10-12)	PE Institute	http://bit.ly/2FRSYtf
FET Mechanical Technology CAPS Mop-up (Grade 10-12)	PE Institute	http://bit.ly/2HRUE8n
Mathematics: Problem solving (Gr 4 teachers)	PE Institute	http://bit.ly/MathsGr4PEPTDI
CAT: PAT & ICT Integration (Gr 10 & 11 teachers)	East London Institute	https://bit.ly/2OHLSur



Week 2: 24 - 28 June 2019

Course	Venue	Registration link
Using readers in CAPS (isiXhosa) (FP subject advisors and HODs: Languages)	PE Institute	http://bit.ly/IsiXhosaPEPTDI
Natural Science & Technology: Key content (Gr 4 - 6 teachers)	PE Institute	http://bit.ly/2NBxqn5
Social Sciences: Map work & research (Gr 4 - 6 teachers)	PE Institute	http://bit.ly/2VtPEtq
Afrikaans FAL: Literature Studies (FET Gr 11 teachers)	PE Institute	http://bit.ly/2Utihi
English FAL: Literature Studies (FET Gr 11 teachers)	PE Institute	http://bit.ly/ENGFALPEPTDI
EGD Auto CAD	East London Institute	https://bit.ly/2WKbqd8

Week 3: 1 – 5 July 2019

Course	Venue	Registration link
Primary School Reading Improvement Programme (Gr 4 - 6 teachers: Group 2)	PE Institute	<i>Link to be issued to nominated pilot schools</i>
EMS: Financial Literacy (Gr 7 - 9 teachers)	PE Institute	http://bit.ly/EMMSSPEPTDI
Accounting: Key content (FET Gr 11 teachers)	PE Institute	http://bit.ly/AccGr11PEPTDI
Agricultural subjects: Key content (FET Gr 12 teachers): <i>to take place at Fort Cox College, Fort Beaufort</i>	PE Institute	http://bit.ly/AgricScienceGr12PEPTDI

