

# LEARNING INITIATIVES

## *K-12 SmartLearning Action Research 2011 - 2012*

**Oct 26**

Introduction to  
SmartLearning:  
Lesson  
Sequence

**Nov 16**

SmartLearning  
Lesson  
Sequence

**Dec 1**

SmartLearning  
Lesson  
Sequence

**Jan 18**

SmartLearning  
Lesson  
Sequence

**Feb 8**

SmartLearning  
Lesson  
Sequence

**Mar 1**

SmartLearning  
Lesson  
Sequence

**Apr 11**

SmartLearning  
Lesson  
Sequence

**May 23**

Final Reflections  
Celebration

**What:**

Participants of this Action Research team will engage in collective inquiry into the power of the SmartLearning Framework and how it supports student learning and engagement. We will be exploring:

- Smart thinking tools
- Current brain based research
- Structured and purposeful student talk
- Using a common assessment
- Collaborative marking of student work to guide instruction
- Appreciative inquiry: teacher self-reflection

**Who:**

Open to enrolling and non-enrolling K-12 teachers. School teams are encouraged, individuals are welcome.

**When and Where:**

Location TBD  
See column at left

3:30 – 4:00 Dinner & Collaboration

4:00 – 6:15 SmartLearning Pro-D

6:15 – 6:30 Planning for Implementation & Reflection

**Registration:** To [krmarshall@sd61.bc.ca](mailto:krmarshall@sd61.bc.ca)