

Formative Assessment Two-Day Summer Institute for K-8 Teachers

“Align, Assess and Achieve”

Several teachers attended a formative assessment workshop at BOCES and were very impressed with its content and its immediate application to improve the instructional process. The district and STI are pleased to bring this institute to Schalmont this summer. It will be led by the same presenter, Bob Holman from Align, Assess, Achieve, LLC, an educational consulting company in Columbus, Ohio. Mr. Holman is a certified history, biology and business teacher. He is currently on a leave of absence from the Westerville Middle School in Ohio and is working with school districts across the country on how to improve classroom instruction.

Essential Questions Answered through Align, Assess, and Achieve

- What makes an assessment high quality?
- What is the difference between formative and summative assessment?
- How can formative assessment increase student involvement and motivation?
- How can accurate formative assessment information be used to shape the instructional process?
- Why does formative assessment matter?

Participants:	K-8 Teachers
When:	August 13 – 14, 2009 8:45 am to 2:45 pm (half hour lunch)
Where:	Jefferson Library
Teacher Stipend:	Teachers must attend both days (11 hrs.) of the institute and will receive a \$356.84 stipend.

**To register for this institute, email Donna Notar or Susan Cook ASAP and no later than June 10, 2009.
Registration will be first come first served.**