



**Learning
Disabilities
Association
of Illinois**

Virtual Conference Via Zoom

Friday, October 6, 2023

6:00 p.m. to 8:15 p.m.

Saturday, October 7, 2023

8:30 a.m. to 4:40 p.m.

NEW!!!

Friday, October 6: TWO EVENING Presentations!

Bonus Pre-Conference Sessions

6:00 p.m.- 7:00 p.m.	Dr. Meg Carroll Professor, Saint Xavier University, Chicago, IL	What Does “Study” Mean? Strategies to Help Students with Learning Disabilities Do It
7:15 p.m.- 8:15 p.m.	Bev Johns President, LDA of IL	The Power of the Best Positive Behavior Strategies—How to Implement To Make A Difference in Children’s Lives

Saturday, October 7

8:00 a.m.-8:30 a.m. Registration and PD Check-In

8:30 a.m.- 9:30 a.m.	Lara Cleary Attorney at Law Hansen and Cleary, LLC Northbrook, IL	Legal Issues Impacting Students with Learning Disabilities
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BREAK 9:30-9:45

9:40 a.m.- 10:40 a.m.	Shira Schwartz Board Member of Everyone Reading Educational Advocate	What’s Happening to Students with Dyslexia in Our State?
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BREAK 10:40-10:50

10:50 a.m.-11:50 p.m.	Paola Vieyra LDA IL Board Member, Parent Bilingual Special Educator	Breaking The Stigma and Shame of Being A Parent of a Child with Learning Disabilities
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BREAK 11:50-12:10

12:10 p.m.-1:10 p.m.	Dr. Phil Hulbig Teacher, Advocate for neurodiversity, Researcher on Metacognition and Problem-Solving	How Students with Learning Disabilities Can Use Metacognitive Problem Solving to Overcome Difficulties
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BREAK 1:10-1:20

1:20 p.m.- 2:20 p.m.	Dawn Williams Special education teacher, Glenwood Chatham School District	Real World Tips For Closing the Gaps in Reading and Math
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BREAK 2:20-3:20

2:30 p.m.- 3:30 p.m.	Shauna Davis Independent Consultant Teacher	Restorative Justice: What It Means and Doesn’t Mean for Students with Learning Disabilities
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BREAK 3:30-3:40

3:40 p.m.- 4:40 p.m.	Terri Douglas Brehm School, Carbondale Head of School	Performance Levels (PL0-5) as an important tool to evaluate an individual's growth and success when attending and/or completing complex tasks
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4:40 p.m.-5:00 p.m. Wrap Up and Professional Development Hour Check Out



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will be awarded to those who provide their IEIN number, email address and physical address at least 72 hours prior to the conference. Participants must identify themselves on the call 10 minutes before the start of the first session.

Register online at <https://ldaillinois.org/>

Registration Form—Please return to the office.

Name _____

Street Address _____
(Include city, ST, zip)

Email _____

IEIN # _____ if you wish Professional Development Credit.

If not provided, we cannot award PD credit.

Check which category.

- ☐ Parent (attending **free** and receiving **free** membership, thanks to the Janet Lerner Memorial Membership Scholarships)
- ☐ Member of LDA **\$10**
- ☐ Non-member **\$30**
- ☐ Non-member **\$65** Conference and Membership
- ☐ Student--**\$10**
- ☐ Please add a **donation** amount. Thank you!

Any registration after October 2 will be assessed an additional \$10.
No refunds after October 4, 2023

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