

45 Hour SEI Completion Course Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)



Q: *Who is eligible to take this class?*

A: All persons holding a valid Arizona State Certificate including Elementary, Secondary, Principal, Superintendent, Supervisor, Career and Technical, or Special Education.

Q: *What is the name of the course?*

A: Structured English Immersion 45 Hour Completion Course

Q: *Will this MPS SEI 45 Hour Completion Course satisfy the state mandated requirement?*

A: YES. Completion of this course will satisfy the state requirement for teachers who have already completed the provisional portion of the SEI Endorsement (15 clock hours for those certified before August 31, 2006, and 45 clock hours for those certified after that date).

Q: *When can I register for this class?*

A: Classes begin every two weeks. It is recommended that you register at least one week before your intended start date to allow ample time to complete enrollment procedures, purchase, obtain the textbook, and create an MPS virtual classroom (vClass) account.

Q: *Do I have to pay a fee for this course?*

A: MPS offers this course to MPS employees at no cost.

Q: *Do I have to buy a textbook for this course?*

A: NO. You can check out a copy of the following text: ***Making Content Comprehensible for English Learners: The SIOP Model*** (2nd or 3rd edition) from the ELAD department (308-7500).

OR... You can purchase the text at the following sites:

- 1) MCC Bookstore - (480) 461-7225
- 2) Online - <http://www.amazon.com>.
- 3) Online - <http://www.siopinstitute.net/bookstore.shtml>

Q: *How do I get my login and password information?*

A: You will receive your login and password information from the ELAD office on the first day your class begins (Monday).

Q: *How long do I have to complete the course?*

A: The course must be completed by the designated ending date of your 8 week session. If the course is not completed by this date, you will be dropped from the class.

Q: *Can I work at my own pace in completing this course?*

A: NO. You must complete one unit per week and submit unit assignments accordingly. The instructor must have ample time to read submitted assignments and provide feedback. If you do not adhere to the unit completion schedule, you will be dropped from the class.