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French Immersion Sharing & Development Session with Sam Dumoulin & Janice VanCampen

Date: **Thursday, Sept. 22, 2011, Wednesday, Feb 8 & Thursday, Mar 22, 2012**

Venue: **River Glen School**

Time: **9:00 am to 3:30 pm**

Address: **4210 59 St. Red Deer**

Cost: **\$90 for 3 sessions**

Lunch: **Lunch is Included**

This session is made possible through a grant from Alberta Education

Who should attend?

Grade 6-9 French Immersion humanities, Math & Science teachers

About the session:

The purpose of the sessions are to **share and develop** quality humanities, science and math related resources such as tests, exams, assignments, projects, even units with other French immersion colleagues in the Central Alberta Regional Consortium. It is essential that teachers **bring proper resources to develop material and at least one or two projects, tests and/or assignments to share with the group**. We recommend that participants bring any information they wish to share in electronic format and perhaps a few paper copies. Don't forget your memory sticks.

About the facilitators:

Sam Dumoulin has taught French Immersion humanities and option classes in Wolf Creek Public Schools since 2002 and is the French Immersion Team Lead for his division. He has also been working for the last nine years creating, validating and marking English Language Arts, French Language Arts and *Études-Sociales* provincial achievement tests, as well as establishing standards for achievement test and writing para-curricula for the new *Études-Sociales* program of study. Sam completed a *Maîtrise en sciences de l'éducation* (M.Ed.) last spring focusing on leadership in professional development and delivery model analysis.

Janice VanCampen has been teaching with Sam for the last seven years in French Immersion at ÉLJHS. Presently, she is teaching English and Science. Janice has also been fervently working on a major technical "21 century assessment" project through AISI. Before coming to Lacombe, she taught grade four FI in Red Deer for two years and *Français* and *Étude-Sociales* in Nova Scotia for four years. Although Janice has taught across Canada and in many areas, her true passions are sciences. She hopes to be able to share some activities and tricks with our fellow FI science teachers so others can spend more time teaching and less time creating and/or translating English assignments & projects into French.

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