

# All About SIOP: Sheltered Instruction Observation Protocol



PRESENTED BY  
**Bev Smith**



SERIES SESSIONS

Date	Time
May 21, 2026	8:30 AM - 11:30 AM
May 22, 2026	8:30 AM - 11:30 AM



LOCATION  
**Zoom Online Meeting - Zoom**

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## Learning Opportunity

The Sheltered Instruction Observation Protocol (SIOP) Model is designed to help teachers plan and deliver lessons that allow English as an additional language learners to simultaneously acquire academic knowledge as they develop language proficiency. SIOP is not a program, but rather a framework. Join Bev Smith for this introductory series to the SIOP framework and its 8 components to support EAL students in accessing the curriculum in a comprehensible way.

There will be a blend between theory and interaction throughout the session. You will benefit most by attending live. The topics will be:

- The principles of Second Language Acquisition Theory, an overview of SIOP, Lesson Preparation Feature with a focus on writing content and language objectives
- Building Background and Comprehensible Input features
- Strategies and Interactions features
- Practice and Application, Lesson Delivery, Review and Assessment features, as well as a discussion of how to get started

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## Presenters

**Bev Smith**

With over 35 years of experience in education, including 25 years in the classroom, Bev Smith has a rich background in teaching and leadership. As the former Literacy and EAL Lead Teacher for the Lethbridge School Division, she specializes in literacy, English as an Additional Language (EAL), and fostering a culture of thinking. Currently, she shares her expertise as

a Designer of Professional Learning for APLC - The Consortium at SAPDC, where she continues to champion responsive teaching and student-centered learning. Passionate about literacy and educational innovation, Bev is dedicated to shaping impactful learning experiences for educators and students alike.

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## Registration Notes

Zoom link will be sent out in the registration email. Please check your junk/spam folder if you don't see it right away.

We recommend joining us live to get the most out of your learning, however, a recording will be available after each session.

All times are MT (Mountain Time).



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