



## Best Practice in Non-Fiction Instruction

<b>Facilitator(s):</b>	Irene Heffel
<b>Date(s):</b>	<i>This is a multi-day event.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Day 1: Oct 03, 2022 (3:30 pm to 5:00 pm)</li><li>• Day 2: Dec 05, 2022 (3:30 pm to 5:00 pm)</li><li>• Day 3: Feb 13, 2023 (3:30 pm to 5:00 pm)</li></ul>
<b>Cost:</b>	No charge
<b>Location:</b>	Virtual
<b>Session Code:</b>	23-LI-085

### Target Audience

Teachers, School based Administrator, District Leaders, Instructional Coaches, Learning Coaches

### About this Learning Opportunity

Reading for information is an important life skill. Students who can read nonfiction texts will have an advantage as they move up through the higher grades in school. Exposing your students to nonfiction texts and helping them acquire the skills to read them with understanding will greatly benefit them in school and in real life.

Participants will be involved in a 3-part series. The focus of sessions will include reading strategies to use with non-fiction, writing non-fiction text, and planning to infuse more non-fiction into the work.

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### About the Facilitator(s)

**Irene Heffel** is a literacy consultant and educator with over 35 years of experience at all levels. She has worked with both elementary and secondary teachers to implement best practices in curriculum, assessment and Backward Design.