

# Professional Development



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## MAP-A Scoring Training

The Assessment Resource Center (ARC) in Columbia has developed a one-day MAP-A scoring training session. The purpose of the session is to allow those responsible for administering MAP-A assessments the opportunity to learn the process used to score the MAP-A. Those who attend the training session will gain a deeper understanding of the MAP-A scoring process by:

- Participating in hands-on MAP-A scorer-training activities
- Working with the materials, samples and processes employed during MAP-A scoring
- Scoring sample entries with MAP-A scoring managers
- Learning about inter-rater reliability measures applied to MAP-A scoring, and
- Discussing MAP-A score reports

**Presenters:** **Lisa Sireno** is Program Director at ARC, directing activities for various K-12 and post-secondary assessments and educational research programs. Her work currently focuses on MAP-A, Missouri End-of-Course Assessments, the Missouri Personal Finance Assessment, *College BASE*, and NCLB consequential validity studies. She began working with MAP-A in 2005, the first operational year of the assessment under its current design.

**Jonathan Henry** is Content Area Manager for MAP-A and End-of Course assessments at ARC. He contributes to ARC's multiyear research project for DESE, MAP and Missouri Schools. A Consequential Validity Study. His work with MAP-A and other K-12 assessments includes managing the analysis of items, the development of scoring and training materials, and the implementation and monitoring of scoring activities. He has worked with large-scale assessment scoring at ARC for eight years, and began working on the MAP-A project in 2005.

**Date:** Thursday, November 5, 2009

**Time:** Check-In 8:00 a.m.  
Session 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

**Location:** Maryland Heights Recreation Center  
2344 McKelvey Road  
Maryland Heights, MO 63043

**Cost:** \$100 per person - Continental Breakfast, Lunch and Materials included.

**Reference #:** 04207-34

**Registration**

**Deadline:** October 22, 2009

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NOTE: Participants who cancel after the registration deadline will be subject to a cancellation fee. "No shows" will be charged in full.

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