

I am what the librarians  
have made me with a  
little assistance from a  
professor of Greek and  
a few poets.

— Quoted by J.R. Kidd  
in *Learning and Society*  
Bernard Keble Sandwell  
(1876-1954)



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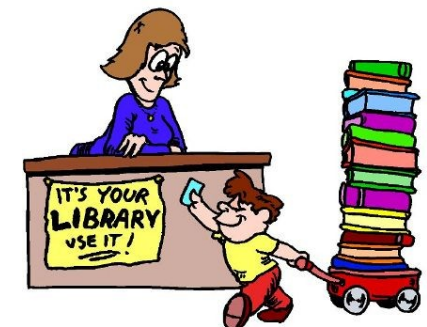


## 2011-2012 Professional Development Offerings\*

\*Offerings are subject to change .

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## Offerings

During the 2011-2012 school year, RILINK will offer workshops on various topics at locations across the state.

RIEMA will co-sponsor some of these sessions.

In addition to the “traditional” workshop format, we will offer webinars allowing members to participate remotely from their schools or homes.

Sites , dates, and times will be announced on both the RILINK and RIEMA lists.

We look forward to a successful year!

**Best Practices and Lesson Planning:** Share methodologies and strategies that are working to improve student achievement.

**Collaborating with Colleagues:** This extended session will provide valuable time for you and a fellow teacher to work on a collaborative lesson or project.

**Destiny Quest & One Search:** Learn more about how these two elements of the Destiny Library Manager software can engage and better serve your students.

**Digging Deeper into Databases:** Implementation Specialists from the various companies such as EBSCO and Facts on File will offer webinars.

**Grant Writing & Funding:** This session will offer suggestions on both how to write a successful grant and where to look for such sources of funds.

**Inventory Resources with Destiny:** More than just a list of the contents of the library, learn how to use this function in Destiny Library Manager to weed and improve your collections.

**LORI Certification:** the ins and outs of the LORI application process explained. This session will be offered as a webinar.

**The New Evaluation System, RTTT, and the Library Media Specialist:** Learn more about the emerging teacher evaluation system in RI and its impact on the role of the LMS.

**Technology Trends:** readers, mobile devices, interactive white boards, the cloud... What technology is currently impacting students and what is the role of the LMS?

Various webinar topics will be announced during the year.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Sessions with fewer than five participants will be cancelled.

Additional details and registration are available at <http://www.rilink.org/events.htm>.

