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To: Regina Richards
Subject: Re: The Wilson class December 7 to 9th

Hello Regina,

The 3 day training was intense, but well organized and informative. It gave an overview of the Wilson Reading System, i.e. Wilson's 3rd tier and most intensive program. The class also gave a brief overview of dyslexia and Wilson's two other programs that address Tier 1 and Tier 2 needs.

I liked the training. It kept my interest throughout. So much so, that I bought the program to learn and work with my son. It is a comprehensive program that includes, decoding and encoding through phonemic awareness, phonology, morphology and orthography. It also works on automaticity and fluency (including prosody), and builds the student's vocabulary and oral comprehension. The culminating goal is reading comprehension which is worked on from the beginning.

In addition, the program allows you to be prescriptive, focusing on the individual's needs. Wilson also provides "grade level" reading passages for the last block of instruction. I appreciate very much age appropriate reading for older students, like my son.

Thank you again for the opportunity to attend the class.

Elena

Sent from my iPad