

Literary Braille Course Classroom Instruction

The Alberta Society for the Visually Impaired (ASVI) Edmonton, is once again sponsoring a classroom course on 'Mastering Literary Braille'. The course is intended for sighted adults who need braille reading and writing skills in order to work with children with a visual impairment. Completion of this course will prepare the student to challenge certification requirements through the CNIB Toronto.

The instructor this year is Inez Kreamer whose qualifications include

- Certification in
 - Literary Braille Transcription
 - Proofreading Literary Braille
 - Nemeth Code (Mathematics) Transcription
 - Literary Braille Instruction
- 22 years experience in braille instruction, classroom and correspondence
- 22 years experience in transcription of novels, textbooks and teacher-prepared materials for production agencies, school boards and the UofA
- 6 years' experience as a Teaching Assistant

Classes will be held at Newton, ERECS, Vision Centre North, Edmonton on Thursday evenings, 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. beginning October 2011 and running weekly through to the end of April 2012. Note that the location and time is flexible, dependent on the preference of the registrants.

Although classroom instruction is the preferred method, this course is also available via correspondence, also sponsored by the ASVI.

Anyone interested should call Edna McLafferty @ 780-472-4454, or Inez Kreamer @ 780-662-3608.