

## SPONSORED BY TIFFIN CITY SCHOOLS AND THE OHIO COALITION FOR THE EDUCATION OF CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES (OCECD)

# "Mentoring 4 Reading Achievement" (M4RA)

Please join us for a FREE M4RA Instruction Session

## **November 15, 2017**

### Tiffin City Schools: Lincoln Pre-K 124 Ohio Avenue Tiffin, OH 44883

Park on the street or in any open space in the smaller lot. Use the double doors immediately near the handicapped parking to enter the building. Please bring a packed lunch for the 30 minute working lunch, and your own beverages.

- Sign in: 8:45 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.
- M4RA Instruction Session: 9a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Presenters: Amy Freeman & Debby Ambroza OCECD's Reading Mentoring Director & Specialist

To Register: email Debby Ambroza at debby.ambroza@m4ra.org by November 8th, 2017 to reserve your space. Please send names, school districts/organizations, and positions.

Also, send a contact cell/home number in case of last minute changes.

This is a FREE training and space is limited.

Visit our website www.ocecd.org





**Goals:** Attendees will gain an understanding and functional knowledge to implement a 1:1 reading mentoring program in their school. (Before, during, and/or after the school day plus summer reading)

#### **Objectives:** Attendees will

- be instructed in the overview of M4RA and www.Readinga-z.com.
- be given ideas about how to select, assess and track students.
- learn about <u>www.Readinga-z.com</u> materials including Alphabet, Phonological Awareness, Phonics, High Frequency Words, Comprehension and Fluency/Comprehension Packs.
- be instructed how to make and use individualized lesson plans that correlate to the needs and pace of each student.
- be instructed about ideas for recruiting mentors and how to train mentors with Role Play of a mentoring session
- be shown ideas to share information about their Mentoring Program to teachers, parents, administrators, school board, and community members.
- be instructed how to use the <u>www.M4RA.org</u> and <u>www.Readinga-z.com</u> websites.