

**Dare to Summarize - How to Set  
the Groundwork for this  
Critical Skill, Grades 4-12**

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<b>Location:</b>	Online - Registrants will be emailed access information
<b>Time:</b>	3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
<b>Registration Fees:</b>	MUJC Members: \$60.00 Nonmembers with Subscription: \$60.00 Nonmembers: \$75.00

Summary writing is an area of major frustration for many educators. Attend this online inservice to acquire effective, proven tools and strategies to improve student comprehension of content-rich nonfiction text and build informative writing and research skills through the power of the Ten Percent Summary. This online interactive inservice will model engaging research-backed strategies for building summary skills with your students, starting tomorrow!

Participants will gain knowledge and skills in:

1. using short, leveled passages to model and practice finding central ideas before moving on to longer, more comprehensive passages;
2. using the Ten Percent Summary to build close reading skills, improve content knowledge/vocabulary, and identify central ideas in complex text;
3. establishing clear, focused criteria to guide instruction and assessment of student summaries.

This inservice is online from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.