

In Search of the Novel

Designed for Teachers of grades 6-12

8 week session



Register Online: www.emedia.scetv.org

Recertification: 20 Renewal Credits

Cost: \$50.00

The ***In Search of the Novel*** self paced course is designed around Annenberg/CPB Professional Development Workshops for teachers of English, grades six through twelve. While it explores fresh approaches to teaching the novel, it also confirms what English teachers know. Readers experience novels in various and individual ways since they bring their own lives to them. The course video lessons show unscripted documentary, with real situations and real people—novelists, teachers, and a wide variety of students, grades six through twelve, from many parts of the country. You will see them as they explore and investigate and probe. The videos feature innovative classroom activities, interviews with contemporary novelists, and ten of the most popular novels on school reading lists.

All class meetings will take place through distance learning. The instructor and participants will communicate via Moodle — the course platform on the Internet. Assignments and discussion forums will be facilitated in Moodle.

Course Requirements

Participants are required to:

1. Register online at www.emedia.scetv.org. Print registration form and mail with check for \$50.00 **payable to SCDE** (SC Department of Education).
Mail printed registration form and check to:
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P. O. Box 11000
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2. View the video lessons. The video lessons will be accessed online in Moodle.
3. Answer questions related to the video lessons via discussion forum in Moodle.
4. All assignments must be completed online by the ending date of the eight week session.

Questions? Contact Bonnie McMurray at mcmurray@scetv.org