

National Consortium for Teaching about Asia Seminar:
Teaching About China, Japan, and Korea

A 30-hour seminar for teachers and librarians

*Tuesdays, 1/26, 2/2, 2/9, 2/23, 3/2, 3/9, 3/16, 3/23, 3/30, 4/6 from
4:00-7:00 p.m. at Fall River, UMass Dartmouth Building*

139 South Main St., Fall River

Sponsored by the Five College Center for East Asian Studies

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- Open to Rhode Island and Massachusetts teachers of geography, social studies, history, art and English/language arts. Librarians are also encouraged to attend.
- The seminar provides you with both the **content** and **resources** needed to incorporate **East Asia** into your curricula.

Benefits Received:

- \$500 personal stipend over two years
- \$500 worth of teaching material for you and your school
- Certificate of completion.
- Optional graduate credit available for additional cost.
- Eligibility to apply for a subsidized study-tour to East Asia (pending funding).

Requirements:

- Currently teach a course where adequate time can be devoted to the teaching of East Asia.
- Intent to teach for at least two more years.
- Written support of your school administrator stating the school's willingness to retain the study of East Asia in the curriculum (see application).
- Attend all sessions in their entirety and complete readings and assignments. A mandatory afternoon follow-up session will be held in the 2010-2011 school year. If you need to miss a session you must make-up the time or lose the benefits.
- Develop an Implementation Plan for incorporating material presented during the seminar into your classroom and oversee the selection and placement of a minigrant to your school.

Enrollment limited to the first 25 qualified applicants. Apply now!

Questions? Email: walshcm@gmail.com

**Hosted by UMass Dartmouth @ Fall River
Facilitated by Chris Walsh, Seminar Leader
Application Form –2009-2010**

To be completed by the Applicant:

Name:
Home address:
Home phone:
Email:
School name & address:
School phone:
Subject(s) & grade level(s) taught:

Statement:

Please attach a one-page statement describing how the seminar fits into your teaching assignment and what you hope to gain from participation in the seminar itself. Please indicate whether you previously participated in an NCTA seminar.

Agreement:

If accepted, I agree to participate in a 30-hour seminar, prepare an implementation plan, complete a mini-grant order form, and attend a follow-up session in 2011. I understand that the stipends and mini-grant are contingent upon completion of program requirements.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

To be completed by school administrator:

I support the participation of _____ in the NCTA Seminar. This teacher currently teaches a course in which significant time may be devoted to the study of East Asia. This course is part of the school curriculum, and it is our intention to retain East Asia as a topic in this course.

Signature _____
Printed
Name: _____ Position: _____
Phone #: _____ Email: _____

*Return to: Chris Walsh, RI NCTA, 15 Rosemary Lane, Jamestown, RI 02835 or
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