

## Building Capacity for Florida’s ABE and GED® Preparation Programs

**Time:** 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. (Registration – 9:00 – 9:30 a.m.)

**Location:** DOC Regional Training Center, 2301 Meeting Place Orlando, FL

**Presenters:** Bonnie Goonen and June Rall

### Morning Agenda

9:00 – 9:30 a.m.	Registration
9:30 – 9:40 a.m.	Welcome and Introductions
	<b>Session I – What’s New with TABE 11 and 12?</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Overview of Test Structure</li> <li>• Resources to Get Started</li> <li>• Integrating the Standards into the Classroom</li> <li>• Tools for the Classroom</li> </ul>
9:40 – 11:00 a.m.	
11:00 – 11:15 a.m.	Break
	<b>Session II – There Has to Be a Better Way – Teaching Grammar and Structure in Context</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Purpose and Expectations of Session</li> <li>• Conventions of Standard English – What’s Assessed?</li> <li>• The Research Says – Contextualizing Instructional Approaches to Grammar and Sentence Structure</li> <li>• Strategies and Activities for the Correctional Classroom</li> </ul>
11:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.	
12:15 – 1:15 p.m.	Lunch

### Afternoon Agenda

	<b>Session III – A Quick Update</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GEDTS: Changes You’ve Been Asking for . . .             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ RLA Test Screen</li> <li>○ Updated Score Reports and Prototypes</li> <li>○ Usability Studies and More . . .</li> </ul> </li> <li>• IPDAE: Webinars on Reading Strategies and More . . .</li> </ul>
1:15 – 1:45 p.m.	
	<b>Session IV – Math Grab Bag</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Purpose and Expectations of Session</li> <li>• Introduction of Selected Skills, e.g., percent change, exponents and roots, use of number lines, the incredible 0</li> <li>• Strategies and Activities for the Classroom</li> <li>• Modifications for the Correctional Setting</li> </ul>
1:45 – 3:15 p.m.	
3:15 – 3:30 p.m.	Summing It Up: Questions and Answers Evaluations