

Voices Rising

Assimilation and the American Experience
A Teaching American History grant

Compensation

Monetary

Teachers who successfully complete the *Voices Rising* project, as determined by the Teacher Learning Center Directors, will be paid \$1350.00 in June 2007.

PDPs

As required by the federal government, evaluation data based on student interaction with the American history lesson is mandatory; therefore, each teacher must pilot test his/her lesson in the spring of 2007, and must implement the lesson fully the following school year in order to earn all PDPs. Teachers developing lessons for grade levels other than their own must assist a teacher in the grade level for which they designed their lesson regarding appropriate implementation. Implementation includes completing surveys and providing necessary data, as needed by, the project evaluator. PDPs will be awarded at the successful completion of the *Voices Rising* project as follows:

Summer Institute	35 PDPs
Content Seminars	Up to 24 PDPs
Lesson Development Workshops	Up to 27 PDPs
Lesson Implementation & follow-up	15 PDPS
Unit Implementation and follow-up	Between 45 - 75 PDPs, depending upon the number of lessons in each unit

Credits

Information about the process of earning three graduate credits from Suffolk University is pending and will be disseminated as soon as it becomes available.