



## Winter Teaching Institute

MCC's Department of Education and the Teaching & Creativity Center hosted the 4th annual Winter Teaching Institute at Damon City Campus on January 6th. With over 90 faculty members in attendance, it was a great event to learn new ideas, share techniques, and challenge ourselves for the upcoming semester. Adjunct and full-time faculty members attended 3 workshops during the event.

### Creating a Collaborative Learning Classroom

*Ilene Benz (Visual and Performing Arts)*

### Motivating Online Students and Elevating Engagement For Student Success

*Larry Dugan (Instructional Technologies)*

### Getting Them Out of Their Seats: Student Presentations in the Classroom

*Rick Costanza (Education)*

### Promote Student Thinking and Learning with Rubrics

*Laura Bond (Mathematics) & Angelique Johnston (English/Philosophy)*

### A Positive Start to Your Semester: Building Class Community

*Barb Ellis (Health Professions) & Neeta Primo (Teaching & Creativity Center)*



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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### BRIGHTON CAMPUS

Responding to Common Classroom Issues

Feb. 4 – 12-12:50pm, 12-201

Blackboard Tips & Tricks

Feb. 11 – 12-12:50pm, 12-201

Civility: Fostering, Responding, and Reacting—In and Out of the Classroom  
Feb. 25 – 2-2:50pm, 12-201

### DAMON CITY CAMPUS

Helping Students Become Self-Directed Learners

Feb. 4 – 12-12:50pm, 5091

Managing Stress In and Out of the Classroom

Feb. 11– 12-12:50pm, 5267

### CONFERENCES

Leveraging Open Educational Resources for Student Success - March 6

Teaching & Learning Conference - June 12

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<http://web.monroec.edu/TCC/>*