

Teacher Training Week Program, Summer 2026, at Shekinah

Time	Tuesday, July 28	Wednesday, July 29	Thursday, July 30	Friday, July 31
7:30 - 8:30	Breakfast <i>(is provided)</i>	Breakfast <i>(is provided)</i>	Breakfast <i>(is provided)</i>	Breakfast <i>(is provided)</i>
8:30 – 9:00	Principal – Jonathan Klassen 2 opening songs Devotional by a Student	Principal opens meeting 2 opening songs Devotional by a Student	Principal opens meeting 2 opening songs Devotional by a Student	Principal opens meeting 2 opening songs Devotional by a Student
9:00 - 9:45	Meaningful Connections with Students – <i>Sherri Steiner</i> ----- Teaching Financial Stewardship – <i>Paul Zehr</i>	Cooperative Relationships with Co-Teachers – <i>Sherri Steiner</i> ----- Teaching Financial Stewardship – <i>Paul Zehr</i>	Positive Dialogue with Parents – <i>Ellen Martin</i> ----- Teaching Financial Stewardship – <i>Paul Zehr</i>	Transparent Communication with the Board – <i>Ellen Martin</i> ----- Teaching Financial Stewardship – <i>Paul Zehr</i>
9:50 – 10:30	Mennonite History – <i>Eldon Ruth</i>	Mennonite History – <i>Eldon Ruth</i>	Mennonite History – <i>Eldon Ruth</i>	Mennonite History – <i>Eldon Ruth</i>
10:30 – 11:00	Break	Break	Break	Break
11:00 - 11:50	Bible Reading & Open Discussion	Bible Reading & Open Discussion	Bible Reading & Open Discussion	Bible Reading & Open Discussion
11:50 - 1:00	Lunch <i>(is provided)</i>	Lunch <i>(is provided)</i>	Lunch <i>(is provided)</i>	Lunch <i>(is provided)</i>
1:00 - 1:45	Hands-on Teaching: Math – <i>Andrea Nolt (lower grades)</i> ----- Poetry – <i>Eric Martin</i>	Hands-on Teaching: Reading – <i>Andrea Nolt (lower grades)</i> ----- Poetry – <i>Eric Martin</i>	Hands-on Teaching: Music / Memory – <i>Andrea Nolt (lower grades)</i> ----- Poetry – <i>Eric Martin</i>	Hands-on Teaching: Phonics / Spelling – <i>Andrea Nolt (lower grades)</i> ----- Poetry – <i>Eric Martin</i>
1:50 - 2:30	Methods of Bible Study - TBD	Methods of Bible Study - TBD	Methods of Bible Study - TBD	Methods of Bible Study - TBD
2:30 – 3:00	Break	Break	Break	Break
3:00 - 3:50	Teaching Techniques – <i>Eldon Ruth</i>	Teaching Techniques – <i>Eldon Ruth</i>	Teaching Techniques – <i>Eldon Ruth</i>	Teaching Techniques – <i>Eldon Ruth</i>
4:00 - 4:50	Chorus – <i>Eric Martin</i>	Chorus – <i>Eric Martin</i>	Chorus – <i>Eric Martin</i>	Chorus – <i>Eric Martin</i> ----- <i>closing comments & dismissal</i>
5:30 - 6:30	Supper <i>(is provided)</i>	Supper <i>(is provided)</i>	Supper <i>(is provided)</i>	
6:45 - 7:45	Devotional – <i>TBD</i> ----- Passing on Stewardship Amidst Prosperity - <i>Paul Zehr</i>	Devotional – <i>TBD</i> ----- Passing on Stewardship Amidst Prosperity - <i>Paul Zehr</i>	Devotional – <i>TBD</i> ----- Passing on Stewardship Amidst Prosperity - <i>Paul Zehr</i>	

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Principal – Jonathan Klassen

For general questions about the Teacher Training Week, please contact the Principal:
Jonathan Klassen | 226-751-5585 | jonkandkendra@gmail.com

Lodging

If you require lodging, please contact Orvie Bearinger at 519-261-1225 to arrange it.

Conduct and Dress Code

We seek an atmosphere of dignity worthy of the Lord's blessing. As an arm of the church, our schools and teachers need to model its faith and practice.

For the brethren, we require plain dress shirts and pants with a modest fit.

For the sisters, we require dresses and sweaters to fit modestly.

Footwear is to be in the dress category.