#### ANNOUNCEMENT

### ACADEMIC INTERVENTION WORKSHOPS FEBRUARY - MARCH 2011

The Office of Education of the Direct Archdiocesan District is organizing a series of workshops aiming at offering in-service training to the teachers of the English program of studies of the Greek Orthodox parochial day schools in New York.

The workshops are funded by the New York State and are geared toward the low-achieving students. Teachers will be trained in learning intervention strategies in Language Arts and Math as well as familiarize themselves with the New York State exams and scoring them.

Following is a list of the dates, locations, and workshops offered:

#### Monday, February 28, 2011 – 9:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

(ELA) WORKSHOP: Early Intervention – Planning and Strategies for

**Reading and Writing in the Early Grades** 

**PRESENTER:** Prof. Roger Rooney

**GRADES:** 1 - 3

PLACE: St. Catherine / St. Demetrios Annex

(22-30 33 Street, Astoria, NY 11105)

### Tuesday, March 1, 2011 – 9:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

(ELA) WORKSHOP: Reading and Writing Strategies in All Content

**Area Classrooms** 

**PRESENTER:** Prof. Roger Rooney

GRADES: 5-12

PLACE: St. Demetrios High School Library

(30-03 30 Drive, Astoria, NY 11102)

### Wednesday, March 2, 2011 – 9:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

#### MATH WORKSHOPS -- GRADES 1 – 4

**AM:** Practice with Purpose: Designing Math Activities to Provide

**Practice with FUNdamentals** 

PM: Building the Bridge from Arithmetic to Algebra

**PRESENTER:** Prof. Mary Altieri

PLACE: St. Spyridon Parochial School

(120 Wadsworth Avenue, New York, NY 10033)

# Thursday, March 3, 2011 – 9:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

## MATH WORKSHOPS -- GRADES 5 - 8

AM: From Concrete to Abstract: Building the Bridge from

**Manipulative to Algorithms** 

PM: Games Thinkers Play

**PRESENTER:** Prof. Mary Altieri

PLACE: St. Spyridon Parochial School

(120 Wadsworth Avenue, New York, NY 10033)

# Friday, March 4, 2011 – 9:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

WORKSHOP: NEW YORK STATE EXAMS / SCORING

**PRESENTER:** Dr. Robert Bedford

**GRADES:** ALL

**PLACE:** Greek American Institute

(3573 Bruckner Blvd. Bronx, NY 10461)