

**Title of Session:** Alt/Correctional Ed Forum - LINCS Special Collection

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**BJ:** Welcome to tonight's Alt/Correctional Ed discussion

**BJ:** the topic tonight is the LINCS special collection

**BJ:** we usually start all discussions in Tapped In with brief introductions

**BJ:** I'm an art teacher in a juvenile correctional facility in Pennsylvania

**MichelleDP:** I am a teacher for Courtland High School in Spotsylvania County and I teach Special Education.

**JudyMi:** I teach adult women (special educ), state corrections near Erie, PA

**BJ:** great, thanks!

**MichelleDP:** I teach some young women who have experienced correctional centers.

**BJ:** Michelle is primarily interested in sped resources, Judy, so we may focus on that. Did you have anything in particular that you want see?

**BJ** nods to Michelle

**JudyMi:** I am an empty vessel or sponge.

**BJ** grins...ok, let's jump in the pool!

**BJ:** the first thing I'm going to do is take you to the CEA webpage

**MichelleDP:** Yes I would like some resources.

**BJ** . o O ( CEA = Correctional Education Association )

**BJ:** click on this link: [www.ceanational.org](http://www.ceanational.org)

**JudyMi:** OK, I'll try to stay with you, but frequently I take detours accidentally and end up in Zulu

**BJ** nods to Judy.

**BJ:** when you click on a hyperlink it opens a new window

**BJ:** did you both get the CEA homepage?

**JayR** joined the room.

**JudyMi:** Yes

**BJ** hugs Jay. Hi!

**JudyMi:** added to favorite, I think

**JayR** hugs BJ

**BJ:** are you here to join the discussion, Jay or did you leave your hat?

**JayR:** Yes

**BJ** . o O ( and umbrella )

**MichelleDP:** Yes, I opened it.

**JayR:** that too

**BJ:** cool. We're looking at [www.ceanational.org](http://www.ceanational.org)

**BJ:** not directly related to this discussion, but a good resource for you are the special interest groups listed on the left menu

**JayR:** Excellent

**BJ:** these are email groups (listservs)

**JudyMi:** Thanks

**BJ:** one for every flavor  
**BJ . o O** ( there is a sped group )  
**BJ:** and a juvenile group  
**BJ:** and the general CEA group  
**BJ:** scroll down to LINCS Special Collection and click on that, please  
**JudyMi:** Computer won't click on ceanational.org.  
**JayR:** Very good  
**BJ:** Judy, hold down ctrl as you click  
**BJ . o O** ( and check to see if you have any webpages minimized )  
**BJ:** do you still have the cea page?  
**BJ:** click on LINCS special collections  
**BJ . o O** ( on the menu on the left )  
**JudyMi:** Did it  
**BJ:** and enter parenting in the search box  
**JudyMi:** Ok  
**BJ:** check any of the boxes you want in the results and then view summaries  
**BJ . o O** ( we're searching in the Correctional Ed Special Collection right now )  
**JudyMi:** Did it  
**JayR:** Great job, BJ, I gotta go!  
**JayR** left the room (signed off).  
**BJ:** let's go back to the search page...press the back button  
**BJ:** and enter CHILDREN  
**BJ:** that gives you some more resources  
**BJ:** you with me?  
**JudyMi:** Cool, I'm w/ u, not in Zulu!  
**BJ** cheers for Judy...must be the new computer  
**JudyMi:** YES!  
**BJ:** how about you, Michelle?  
**MichelleDP:** Do I just open that link myself or from here, my first experience with this  
**BJ:** you open it yourself.  
**BJ:** you should have an active webpage for LINCS  
**BJ:** let me know when you're ready so we can continue  
**JudyMi:** I'm ready  
**MichelleDP:** Yes I have it now  
**BJ:** now go to the red circle Lincs Search in the top left of the screen  
**BJ:** and choose materials search  
**BJ:** and enter CHILDREN in the search  
**MichelleDP:** Ok did that  
**JudyMi:** OK  
**BJ:** you should get over a 1000 results!  
**BJ:** Michelle, try entering special education in the search box  
**BJ:** the Lincs Search searches ALL the LINCS Special Collections, not just Corrections  
**MichelleDP:** Yes 1307 records  
**BJ:** all the resources in LINCS are reliable sources that are carefully screened  
**BJ:** did you try special education, Michelle?  
**MichelleDP:** Thanks for sharing that with me BJ

**BJ** . o O ( as the search words )

**BJ** . o O ( some of those sites might come in handy for the JJETS courses, Judy )

**JudyMi**: Thanks so cool

**BJ** . o O ( hmmm...Math in Motion is a dead link )

**JudyMi**: FYI, I'm going to be implementing a literacy tutoring program at our institution this fall , so also very helpful!

**BJ**: great, Judy! Yes, you should find a lot here.

**MichelleDP**: Ok

**BJ**: questions?

**JudyMi**: No great!

**BJ**: ok...let me see if I have any sped urls for Michelle

**MichelleDP**: thanks BJ

**BJ**: I'm just going to give you my backflip folder...it's mostly arts, but there is a special needs folder

**DavidWe** joined the room.

**BJ**: [www.backflip.com/members/bjberquist](http://www.backflip.com/members/bjberquist)

**BJ** waves to David

**DavidWe** waves silently

**JudyMi**: waves also to David

**BJ**: there's also a folder for correctional ed

**DavidWe**: Hi, Judy

**BJ**: are you familiar with backflip?

**JudyMi**: No

**BJ** . o O ( it's a free online bookmark service. It allows you to access your bookmarks from any computer )

**BJ** . o O ( so you don't have to worry about a computer crash wiping out all your bookmarks )

**MichelleDP**: I am going to sign off but, I do understand how to find the sites and thanks so much for inviting me.

**BJ**: you can have the bookmarks public so anyone can see them or private so only you can access them

**BJ**: thanks for joining the discussion, Michelle

**BJ**: hope the resources will be useful to you

**JudyMi**: Is bookmark different than favorites?

**BJ**: they're the same thing...

**JudyMi**: Thanks

**MichelleDP**: Thanks for sharing.

**BJ**: but favorites are stored on your computer

**BJ**: and you can only access them from your computer

**JudyMi**: OK

**BJ**: that enough to think about for one evening, Judy?

**JudyMi**: Anything else tonight? I appreciate all of this.

**BJ**: the school counselors group is meeting next Thursday

**JudyMi**: Ok

**BJ**: the topic on the calendar is neurofeedback...should be interesting

**BJ:** and if you would like to get a refresher on Tapped In, please join any of the tips and tricks sessions

**BJ:** you remember how to access the calendar?

**JudyMi:** Thanks

**JudyMi:** Not sure

**BJ:** click on the TAPPED IN tab at the top of your screen

**BJ:** then click on calendar

**JudyMi:** To welcome site?

**BJ:** yes, now see the subtab calendar?

**JudyMi:** Yes, I'm slow, but. . .

**BJ:** you're doing a wonderful job, Judy!

**BJ:** do you have the calendar page?

**JudyMi:** thanks to you!!!!!!

**JudyMi:** Yes, looking at it.

**BJ:** at the top of the calendar page is a link to set the calendar to your time zone

**BJ:** once you do that you'll see all the times in the interface in your time

**BJ:** There is also an Alternative/Correctional Ed group that you might want to join.

**BJ:** the group room is a resource room

**JudyMi:** Where?

**BJ:** click on SEARCH in the top right of your screen

**BJ:** then click on the subtab GROUPS

**BJ:** enter Alt/Correctional Ed

**BJ:** when you get a match, click on the group name next to the green i

**BJ:** at the top of the page is a place to JOIN THIS GROUP

**BJ:** once you've joined the group the group name will be added to your favorite places menu and you can enter the group room

**BJ:** . o O ( works the same as the JJET group )

**JudyMi:** Thanks, did it

**BJ:** smiles happily. Yeppers!

**JudyMi )**

**BJ:** ok...I think I'm about on brain overload

**BJ:** so I'm going to say goodnight

**JudyMi:** Yep, triple pain meds knocking me out thanks again

**BJ:** any time you log in and have a question and see me here, please let me know

**JudyMi:** Good night nice people Thanks BJ

**BJ:** waves goodnight to Judy