

Introduction to Grant Writing Workshops

SGMS aims to have final dates for all workshops by September 30, 2008. These workshops are for those new to the grant application writing arena. They are one-day workshops covering not only the basics of grant writing but also the preparatory work necessary to prepare successful grant applications. The workshops start with sign-in and networking from 8:30 am to 9:00 am. Most workshops conclude between 3:00 pm and 4:00 pm. **Seating is limited to the first 75 registrants.**

Region	Workshop Dates
Kinder	October 16, 2008
Thibodeaux	November 19, 2008
Shreveport	January 13, 14, or 15, 2009
Hammond	February 3, 4, or 5, 2009
Monroe	March 4, 2009
Eunice-LSUE	April 16, 2009
Lafayette	April 22, 23, or 24, 2009
Alexandria	May 19, 2009
Natchitoches	June 2, 2009
Northeast LA- Location to be announced	June 16, 17, or 18, 2009

The Introduction to Grant Writing Workshop shows how to:

- Review your group's funding needs
- Register to apply for federal grant funds
- Locate funding sources
- Understand how grant funding works
- Organize and write your grant application

It is SGMS' goal to help Louisiana's entities be more successful in their grant applications!!!!

To register for one of these FREE workshops, send an email to SGMS@la.gov, call (225) 342-7412, or visit our website at <http://www.doa.louisiana.gov/cdbg/SGMScalendar.htm>. Please include the name of attendee, organization name, contact phone number, and return email address.