

## AOE Residents as Teachers - Journal Club

Each resident must participate in at least one journal club devoted to a topic specifically related to Teaching and Learning. If the journal club meeting is NOT being facilitated by the AOE, the article or topic must be approved in order to receive credit for this program.

The AOE will sponsor at least two journal club sessions per year (one in the Fall and one in the Spring). In addition, the AOE will sponsor at least one online journal club meeting per year.

The face-to-face meetings will be scheduled for after 5:00 pm, although if enough interest is expressed it may be scheduled at lunch with lunch provided. These meetings will be 50 minutes in length. An article will be provided to the group no later than 3 days prior to the session. It is expected that each person would have read the article prior to the start of the session and that each person at the session will contribute to the discussion.

The online journal club session will be an asynchronous session. For this activity, the article will be provided no later than 3 days prior to the start of the session. Upon "opening" the discussion, the facilitator will post a discussion question and then facilitate the asynchronous discussion over a period of 5 days. At the end of the 5 day period the facilitator will contact anyone who contributed at least one post to note whether the participant will receive credit for participating. Credit will be awarded to anyone who provides at least 3 comments containing either new ideas or elaborations on previous statements. That is, credit will be given to those who contribute, but not to those who simply agree with a previous contribution.

In addition to the AOE-sponsored journal clubs, this component of the program may be fulfilled either by facilitating a journal club with at least 3 individuals in attendance or by participating in a journal club session on any topic directly related to teaching and learning in which at least 3 individuals are present.