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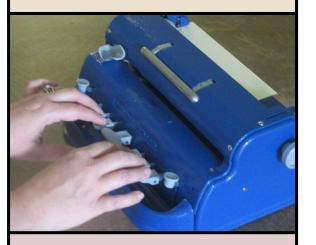
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Unified English Braille for Vision Professionals



An Online Class May 29, 2017-**August 25, 2017**

Earn Two Optional **Graduate Credits**

Purpose: To prepare vision professionals for the implementation of Unified English Braille into their teaching and transcribing.

Class Content:

The entire UEB code book will be covered in 12 sessions.

Each session consists of a video approximately 30 to 60 minutes in length, optional drill practice and a graded homework assignment of 50 items.

Participants should aim to complete one session a week.

Session topics are listed on the WCBVI website along with further details, links and forms at www.wcbvi.k12.wi.us.

Objectives:

- Accurately transcribe representative samples of print text into UEB and UEB into print.
- Cite rule references to demonstrate ability to locate and apply rules.

Requirements:

- Strong foundation in braille
- High-speed Internet access
- Braille translation program Perky Duck, a free download
- Adobe Reader, a free download
- MS Word 2007 or later

Further Information:

- Optional Credits: Graduate credits through Viterbo University (2 credits = \$220.00) Be sure to register with WCBVI and Viterbo University.
- **Texts:** The Rules of Unified English Braille, 2013 and UEB Guidelines for Technical Material, available at http://www.iceb.org/ueb.
- All participants receive a certificate of completion when all twelve sessions have been successfully accomplished.

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When: May 29, 2017 to August 25, 2017

Target Audience: Vision teachers, paraprofessionals, transcribers and proofreaders in Wisconsin. Out of state inquiries, please contact the presenter.

Registration: Available online. Open until May 21, 2017 at 10:00 p.m.

Cost: Free; \$220 credit option.

About the Presenter:

Julie Sumwalt joined WCBVI in 2008. She is the Outreach Braille Specialist, certified in Literary Braille/UEB, Formats and Nemeth.

She has presented many trainings on UEB for transcribers and vision professionals. She joined the National Braille Association (NBA) Board of Directors in 2016 and chairs the NBA UEB Committee.