Sample Schedule

Socratic Teaching Workshop, full day

- 8:30 9:00: Breakfast (optional), provided
- 9:00 9:15: Introductory Remarks
- 9:15 9:45 Introduction to Socratic Practice
- 9:45 10:45: Immersion in Socratic discussion Text to be provided in-workshop
- 10:45 11:00: Break and coffee, provided
- 11:00 11:30: Socratic discussion debrief, meta-comments, and Q&A
- 11:30 12:00: Introduction to Liberal Study Guides' teaching materials
- 12:00 12:30: Lunch, provided
- 12:30 1:30: Inner Circle/Outer Circle Discussion Demonstration of a tool for using Socratic practice in larger classrooms, using Uncle Tom's Cabin Study Guide, Chapters 1 – 5, available on LiberalStudiesGuides.ca
- 1:30 1:45: Break and refreshments, provided
- 1:45 2:30:Evaluating Socratic learning
Using assignments to prepare for, get the most out of, and evaluate Socratic discussion
- 2:30 2:50: Debrief on Socratic discussion and practice with Q&A
- 2:50 3:00: Concluding remarks