



DCL's Web 2.0 Learning Project (INTRO PAGE FROM OUR INTRANET)

Catch up to Web 2.0!

The Colorado State Library and its Continuing Education committee surveyed library systems through out Colorado to determine library staff training needs. The results of that survey indicated that many librarians in all sorts of libraries around the state wanted to improve their Web 2.0 skills. The Colorado Libraries Web 2.0 learning project was developed to address that need. The project's primary goal is to help all library workers "catch up" so that they may better assist customers in adapting to the rapidly changing aspects of the Web's interconnectivity and networking. Through narrative, videos, and practice activities, Colorado Libraries Web 2.0 is being rolled out in 2010. Douglas County Libraries is participating in this learning program.

DCL Plan:

- DCL's expectation is that all PSTs and librarians will complete the [Colorado Libraries Web 2.0](#) learning project by December 1, 2010.
- Each branch will have a DCL trainer contact who will help learners complete the program.
- The trainers will track the progress of each learner and keep department supervisors up to date on their progress and completion of the program.
- The DCL training department has adapted and customized parts of the state lessons to provide a more meaningful learning experience for our staff.
- Staff will follow this customized approach in a step by step manner via our Staff Exchange training pages.
- Staff are to work on the modules off desk during work unless approved by their supervisor.
- The training department will provide supervisors and staff with a log with designated time allowances for each lesson.

Preparation:

- Prior to the roll out of the Web 2.0 program this spring, an orientation webcast for supervisors and staff webinar will be offered.
- These sessions will provide specific instructions on how to navigate and complete the modules and exercises.
- Supervisors and staff can contact the trainers with questions and concerns.

Procedure:

Once staffers are ready to start, they will:

- Go to the DCL Staff Exchange to access the online directions page (or download instructions for printing) for the lesson they are starting.
- Watch the DCL Web 2.0 [Orientation webinar](#) and email their trainer contact that they are beginning the program.
- Go to the Colorado Libraries 2.0 site to complete the DCL version of each lesson.
- Email their contact trainer as directed.
- Complete DCL's Web 2.0 Zoomerang online evaluation after they complete the program.