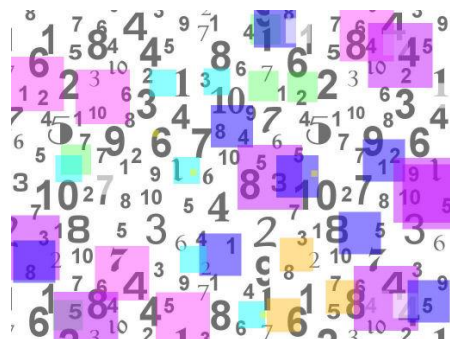


The Western Massachusetts Mathematics Partnership Spring 2017 Professional Learning Communities



Making Sense of Measurement and Data

Work on math with local math educators
in grade-band and vertically integrated groups.
Sessions will be co-facilitated by a team representative of all
grade bands (elementary, secondary, and higher education).

**Together we will make sense of measurement and data
problems to answer Essential Questions like these:**

- What is fair?
- What is significant?
- What is typical?
- What are the chances?

You'll receive:

- A stipend of \$150 for full completion of the PLC cycle
- A certificate of completion with up to 15 hours documented for PDPs
- Great math learning

Apply by January 20 at:

<https://www.fivecolleges.edu/partnership/math-plc-form>

Eligibility: You are eligible to participate in the spring PLC if your district/school has agreed to contribute a per teacher cost-share. See your curriculum director.

Questions: Contact Marla Solomon msolomon@fivecolleges.edu.

WMMP Professional Learning Communities Spring 2017

Details:

All PLC's will meet 4:30-7:30 pm. A light dinner will be served.

We will determine locations based on demand.

Make your choices when you apply by January 20 at:

Please choose only locations you are willing to travel to.

Location choices and dates:

Holyoke (Dean Tech HS):

Wednesdays Feb 8, March 8, April 5,
May 3

Amherst (Amherst College):

Thursdays Feb 9, March 9, April 6,
May 4

Backup location **South Hadley**

(PVPA): Will be either Wednesdays
or Thursdays if there is more interest
than one of the other two locations

Final locations will be announced.

Co-facilitators:

Joe Agron, Pioneer Valley Performing
Arts Charter School (PVPA), South
Hadley

Tara Brandt, Westfield Public Schools

Monica Larssen, Willam N. DeBerry
Elementary School, Springfield

Claudine Margolis, PVPA, South
Hadley

Yusra Naqvi, Amherst College

Jim Wright, Westfield State University

What's special about WMMP PLCs? We

Do math together

Analyze student work

Explore the math practice standards to address differentiated student
needs

Focus on algebraic thinking across the grades from K to college

Collaborate on strategies and lessons

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We will confirm your participation and location by February 1.

Questions?

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