



Principal Collaboration Event Overview November 2017

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Principal Collaboration Events provide principals across Louisiana with access to high-quality tools, resources and professional development to help them effectively lead in 2017-2018.

Dates & Locations

Date	Time	City	Address
Thursday, November 9	12:00-4:00	Bossier	Bossier Parish School for Technology & Innovative Learning 1020 Innovation Drive Bossier City, LA 71111
Monday, November 13	12:00-4:00	Baton Rouge	Claiborne Building 1201 North Third St. Baton Rouge, LA 70802
Wednesday, November 15	12:00-4:00	Lafayette	Bayou Church 2234 Kaliste Saloom Rd Lafayette, LA 70508
Thursday, November 16	12:00-4:00	Harvey	Jefferson Parish School Board Building 501 Manhattan Blvd. Harvey, LA 70058

Agenda

12:00 -12:30pm Sign-In
 12:30 - 1:30pm Session Rotation 1
 1:40 - 2:40pm Session Rotation 2
 2:50 - 3:50pm Session Rotation 3



Topics Covered

The sessions at Principal Collaborations are specifically designed for school principals. The Department will lead sessions in the following areas:

- Accountability and Assessment
- Special Education
- ELL
- ELA/Math/ Science/ Social Studies
- Curriculum and Professional Development

Classroom teachers should not attend the Principal Collaborations.

Registration

Please contact your Network point of contact immediately if you are interested in attending this event.

- **Participants must [register](#) through WisdomWhere by Friday, November 3.**
- Registration requires a code that will be provided by your network team. Please contact DistrictSupport@la.gov if you are unsure of your network's contact information.
- Participants will *not* register for specific [sessions](#) in advance.
- [Locations](#) and sessions at each location are filled on a first come, first served basis. Please register as soon as possible to secure a spot.

Preparation

All participants should **bring a fully charged laptop computer** with them to the event and [download session materials in advance](#) (available Monday, November 6).

Food and Travel

All travel expenses associated with attending Principal Collaboration Events are the responsibility of principals and their districts. The LDOE will not reimburse participants, their schools or their districts for the cost of substitute teachers, mileage, rental cars, hotels, or food.

Food will *not* be provided at the Principal Collaboration events.

[Bossier area hotel and food options](#)
[Baton Rouge Hotel and Food Options](#)
[Lafayette area hotel and food options](#)
[Harvey Hotel and Food Options](#)

Contact Us

Please contact your Network support team or DistrictSupport@la.gov with questions about this event.

Sessions

Principals will have the opportunity to choose **three** sessions. All sessions are filled on a first come, first served basis.

Session Topics	Session Title	Session Description	Recommended Audience
Accountability	Previewing Louisiana's New Principal and Superintendent Reporting System	This winter, school systems and supervisors will be able to dive into their results in a new, interactive reporting system. The new system will replace Principals and Superintendent profiles, and will also include workforce and post-secondary outcome data. In this session, participants will preview the system and learn how to use it to get the information needed for district planning.	All
Accountability: ESSA	Transitioning to ESSA: Key Changes for Louisiana Accountability	This session will provide an update on ESSA accountability policies following BESE approval at the October meeting.	Accountability Supervisors
Instruction: Educational Technology	Using Educational Technology to Move Further Faster	Join this session to learn about the importance of providing a 21st century learning environment that effectively utilizes technology to its fullest extent. It all begins with devices and bandwidth. Participants will explore strategies to create this environment and start planning to transform classrooms.	All
Instruction: PreK-3	PreK-3 Guidebook for Site and System Leaders	In this session, participants will be introduced to the guidebook and examine five strategies that promote quality and continuity of practices across the PreK-3 continuum and help children acquire a solid foundation for later school success.	Principals
Instruction: Social Studies	Content and Claims: Using the social studies rubric to set high expectations for students	In this session, participants will explore the details of the LEAP 2025 content/claims rubric . They will practice scoring authentic student responses and provide rationale for the score in a dynamic group discussion.	Principals (grades 3-11)

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Instruction: ELL	Overview of EL Guidebook	Attendees in this session will examine the recommended research based strategies that enhance the English Language programs described in the English Learner Guidebook.	Principals serving ELL populations
Instruction: Foreign Language	Multi-lingualism to enhance Academic Achievement	Participants in this session will learn to integrate World Language instruction in K-8 schools to enhance academic achievement. Attendees will also complete a survey to identify existing access to WL and develop a plan of action to increase effective implementation K-8 classrooms.	Principals (grades K-8)
Instruction: Special Education	Overview of SPED Guidebook	In this session site and system leaders will use the Special Education Guidebook to identify the key strategies for creating a successful special education program and will self-assess their current strengths and weaknesses in implementing each strategy. They will also consider the key actions in improving their special education systems.	All
Instruction: Special Education	UDL and Assistive Technology: Teaching that fits the needs of everyone	This session will address the importance of incorporating Universal Design for Learning Strategies and Assistive Technology into all classrooms to increase all student outcomes. This session will provide in-depth examples of UDL and AT using the ELA Guidebooks .	All
Instruction: Math	Putting the Curriculum Implementation Scale Into Action in Math	We want to improve your implementation of a high quality math curriculum? Join us to learn the essential components of an effective implementation plan, analyze the tools and resources available by LDE, and collaborate with your colleagues on strategies that push schools up the Curriculum Implementation Scale .	All
Instruction: Science	Louisiana Student Standards for Science: Identifying High-Quality Science Curricula	What does curriculum aligned to the new science standards look like? Join us to analyze and practice using the instructional materials rubric . Participants will leave this session with a concrete understanding of what high quality science instructional materials should look like.	All

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Principal Support: TAP and the Principal Fellowship	TAP and Principal Fellowship Opportunities for Principals	For this session, participants have an opportunity to engage in a panel discussion with their peers currently taking part in TAP and Principal Fellowship . After the discussion, panel members will host small group discussions to talk more in depth about how these programs have led to changes in their schools.	All
Assessment	Assessment Resources: Understanding Assessment Guide Updates, and Accessing and Using Annotated Student Responses	In this session, participants will be updated on minor test structure changes to the ELA and Social Studies assessments. Participants will also learn how teachers can best use annotated student work to understand the assessment expectations for student writing in social studies, ELA, and math.	Principals (grades 3-11)
Assessment: Math LEAP 360	Integrating Results: Using the LEAP 360 Reports in Math	Participants in this session will walk through the Math LEAP 360 Results Report focusing on what the reports do and do not indicate about students. Attendees will use the real data to identify trends of weakness and next steps in classroom instruction.	Principals (grades 3-10)
Assessment: ELA LEAP 360	Integrating Results: Using the LEAP 360 Reports in ELA	Attendees in this session will walk through the ELA LEAP 360 Results Report focusing on what the reports do and do not indicate about students. Attendees will use the real data to identify trends of weakness and next steps in classroom instruction.	Principals (grades 3-10)
Assessment: LEAP 2025	LEAP 2025 High School Practice Tests	During this session, participants will learn and apply best practices for administering the LEAP 2025 high school practice tests .	Principals (grades 8-11)
Assessment: ELPT	Overview of ELPT Assessment Guide	In this session, ELL Principals will take an accompanied walk through the new ELPT Assessment Guide. We will review the contents of the guide and analyze the new format and approach of the ELPT by comparing it to ELDA.	Principals serving ELL populations

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Assessment: Science	Science Field Test	Participants will have the opportunity to learn about science field testing for Spring 2018, in particular (1) the connection between the instructional vision and assessment vision for the new LSS for Science , and (2) how multi-dimensional alignment and set-based design support the shifts in instruction required by the LSS for Science.	Principals (grades 3-11)
Talent	Content Leader and Mentor Teacher Training	Mentor Teachers and Content Leaders both provide an exciting opportunity to grow your local leadership pipeline while also creating a cadre of educators who have the knowledge, skills, and resources to coach and support other teachers within their schools and districts. Attend this session to get a sneak peek at the training Mentor Teachers and Content Leaders will receive and discuss ways to maximize the impact of these talented educators within your schools and districts.	All
Student Opportunities: High School Updates	High School Policy Updates	In this session, participants will explore recently approved high school courses including options for 2017-2018 graduates with credit in AP Physics I. Participants will also learn of funding opportunities available to subsidize low income AP exam fees.	HS Principals
Student Opportunities: High School Updates	Financial Aid Planning and Supplemental Course Updates	Participants in this session will be informed about the new FAFSA completion policy for the senior class of 2018. Resources for financial aid planning and assistance will be discussed. The upcoming deadlines, dates for spring registration, and procedures for reallocation will be shared.	Principals (grade 12)