

Office of Teaching and Learning

System Leader Regional Collaborations 2025-2026

Overview

LDOE will host regional sessions with system leaders in 2025–2026 to support continuous improvement, strengthen collaboration, and build system coherence. These sessions will focus on improving academic outcomes through the statewide teaching and learning strategy.

Learning Pathways

System leaders may register for the appropriate learning pathway based on their professional role. Pathway descriptions are provided below. Participants should plan to attend all sessions within their selected pathway in the same location throughout the year. Each system is asked to have representation in each pathway.

Pathway	Intended Audience	Description
Instructional Coherence	Supervisors of Instruction, PD Directors, SPED Directors	<p>Instructionally focused system leaders will explore and develop unit and lesson preparation and planning models to leverage teacher collaboration and ensure HQIM access for all students.</p> <p>Through real-world scenarios and collaborative discussion, attendees will leave with actionable steps for ensuring instructional coherence.</p>
Leadership Capacity Building	Principal Supervisors/Evaluators	<p>Principal supervisors will engage in learning to strengthen principal support through the effective implementation of the School Leadership Support Plan. Principal supervisors will engage in targeted professional learning to refine coaching practices and deepen the use of the Louisiana Leader Rubric as a framework for effective school leadership.</p> <p>With clear guidance, practical tools, and aligned support structures, system leaders will be equipped to support school leaders in implementing intentional teacher collaboration while refining system leader and school leader coaching practices.</p>
System Coherence	Superintendents, CAOs, Assistant Superintendents	<p>Superintendents and their CAOs will engage in collaborative learning focused on setting system level expectations on lesson preparation and teacher collaboration.</p> <p>Participants will also develop how central office staff can build capacity in system and school leaders to support these areas.</p>

Pathway	Intended Audience	Description
Attendance	Child Welfare and Attendance Supervisors, Student Services Leaders	System leaders will learn about key elements of the Department's comprehensive, targeted attendance strategy that supports consistent school attendance resulting in improved academic outcomes for all students. Session topics will include attendance data analysis, goal setting, progress monitoring, and best practices for improvement.
High School Opportunities	Career and Technical Education Supervisors	System leaders will engage in a hands-on planning session focused on strengthening career readiness opportunities that lead to meaningful post-secondary outcomes for students. Topics will include expanding dual enrollment offerings, increasing industry-based credential attainment, developing work-based learning experiences, and aligning programs to regional workforce needs. Participants will collaborate to assess current practices and identify next steps to enhance CTE programs in their systems.
Business Managers Collaboration	Business Managers	Business Managers and lead business officials will share in collaborative discussions regarding budgets, financial reporting, and strategic financial initiatives to safeguard assets and provide resources to maximize student learning.

Schedule

These half day afternoon collaborations will be held from 1 to 4:30 pm, with the exception of the **High School Opportunities** pathway which will meet from 9 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Cohort	Session 1	Session 2	Location
Monroe	September 23, 2025	January 27, 2026	University of Louisiana Monroe, Bayou Pointe, 1 Warhawk Way, Monroe, LA
Shreveport	September 24, 2025	January 28, 2026	Hilton Garden Inn, Bossier City, 2015 Old Minden Rd, Bossier City, LA
Lafayette	October 2, 2025	January 23, 2026	University of Louisiana at Lafayette, Student Union, 620 McKinley Street, Lafayette, LA
Baton Rouge	October 1, 2025	January 22, 2026	Cook Hotel & Conference Center, 3838 W. Lakeshore Dr, Baton Rouge, LA
New Orleans Business Managers only	September 30, 2025	January 21, 2026	Pontchartrain Convention & Civic Center, 4545 Williams Blvd . Kenner, LA

Registration

System leaders should complete an individual registration using this [registration link](#) or by scanning the QR code.

