



HOST A 2013 NCSM LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

Mathematics Leadership At Work: Moving the Common Core State Standards from Vision to Action

NCSM is now accepting invitations to host its 2013 three-day NCSM Leadership Academy, *Mathematics Leadership at Work: Moving the Common Core State Standards from Vision to Action*. This Academy is extremely successful. The NCSM Leadership Academy, co-hosted by Atlanta Public Schools and GE Headquarters, sold out before the close of advance registration. We will need to restrict the number of these exciting summer academies, so we encourage you to apply to host early.

Why Host an NCSM Leadership Academy?

- To bring an NCSM national professional development experience to large numbers of mathematics education leaders in your district and surrounding area. (Minimize travel costs!)
- To engage all members of your local leadership team in a shared professional learning and planning experience.
- To negotiate dates that best suit your need (between June 10 and August 16, 2013).

Who Should Attend an NCSM Leadership Academy?

Mathematics specialists/coaches, teacher leaders, administrators, coordinators, mentors, directors, supervisors, department chairs, or anyone who influences and supports others in mathematics education will greatly benefit from this practical and inspired Academy. Teams are especially encouraged to attend as the Academy provides an extraordinary opportunity to collaborate on-site work and identify next steps for goals set for the 2013–2014 school year.

Leadership Academy Features.

- 8 hours of daily plenary and grade level breakouts—elementary, middle, and high school
- Rich and engaging content explicitly designed for mathematics education leaders
- Practical suggestions and specific next steps for site work
- Research-based strategies for getting results
- Materials, resources, and strategies to use in your setting
- Networking among leaders from other states and countries
- Continental breakfast and lunch each day of the Academy

Leadership Academy Focus.

- Implementation of the CCSS in your school, district, or region
 - Using research-informed best practices in teaching and learning, as described by the eight CCSS Mathematical Practices Standards
 - Understanding and integrating the CCSS Content Standards including domains, learning trajectories, grade-level and course sequencing, and course design, scope, and sequence
 - Using formative assessment cycles for learning including how to develop meaningful assessment cycles using high-quality summative assessments; and discussion sessions regarding the SBAC and the PARCC Assessment Consortia
- Strategies to support specialists and coaches and their work with teachers around the CCSS

Among the Responsibilities of the Host.

- Guarantee 30 paid attendees with paid registrations completed by May 15, 2013.
- Provide meeting space for at least 100 attendees.
- Work with NCSM to promote and guarantee 100 Academy attendees.
- Provide 3 hotel recommendations and logistical contacts to NCSM.

Next Steps.

If you are interested in hosting a 2013 NCSM Leadership Academy, please submit a proposal to us. Proposal forms can be found on the NCSM Website, mathedleadership.org. Proposals are due by June 30, 2012. Please email your proposal to Suzanne Mitchell, NCSM President, at suzmitch@comcast.net.

If you have any questions about hosting an NCSM Leadership Academy in your location, contact Suzanne Mitchell, NCSM President, at suzmitch@comcast.net or (501) 690-1518 and visit mathedleadership.org to learn more.