

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

OCTOBER, 2022

CONSORTIUM GOAL ONE

Facilitate professional development, which supports the effective implementation of: 1. The Alberta Education Business Plan 2. Jurisdiction and school educational plans 3. Regional School Council priorities

During October, NRLC held Advisory meetings with the NRLC Regional Stakeholders Committee as well as the Literacy and First Nation, Metis and Unit committees. The NRLC Annual Learning Plan has been shared with the regional advisory committee as well as the ARPDC Provincial Advisory Committee. Also in October, NRLC hosted 2 evening parent sessions: An Evening with Shelly Moore and The Role School Council Plays in your School's Assurance Plan, in partnership with ASCA.

CONSORTIUM GOAL TWO

Facilitate professional development, which supports the effective implementation of curricula, including instruction, assessment, resources and student learner outcomes

It has been a busy fall with a return to many face to face learning opportunities across the zone. While virtual and asynchronous learning are still in demand, live face to face learning makes up about 40% of our programming to date.

From October 1 - 30, 2022 the NRLC hosted **27** sessions, with **241.5** learning hours, and **842** participants.

CONSORTIUM GOAL THREE

Coordinate, broker, and act as a referral centre to assist stakeholders to identify available professional development resources.

NRLC is currently offering 8 e-courses, created by NRLC/ARPDC staff as asynchronous session resources open to participation across the province. Of these e-courses, 5 are focused on New Curriculum. We have had 113 participants engage in our e-courses, 106 of which were for New Curriculum.

CONSORTIUM GOAL FOUR

Deliver professional development based on the identified and emerging needs of educational stakeholders.

October's Zone 1 collaborative programming was comprised of **15** learning opportunities including:

- An Evening with Shelley Moore Grande Prairie, Designing for Diversity Coaching Series, Planning with the New ELAL -Multi-grade , The New ELAL Curriculum - Grade Five, The ELAL Curriculum K - 6 and Violence Threat Risk Assessment Level 1 Training - (GPPSD)
- Designing for Diversity Zone 1 North Cohort Coaching Series - (HFCRD)
- HPSD Moving Forward with K-3 New Curriculum (CARC) and The Learning Memory: Cognitive and Metacognitive Science Series,

- The Role of School Council in Your School's Assurance Plan (ASCA)
- ELAL Curriculum 2022-2023 Understanding and Planning with the New ELAL Curriculum (PRSD)
- Layers of Literacy, Introduction to Pragmatic Organization Dynamic Display (PODD) - Two Day Workshop, Augmentative and Alternative Communication (AAC) Supports - Parent Information Session (FVSD)
- Formation-en-ligne-enseignement-la-methode-les-alphas - Asynchronous eCourse (FLRC)

CONSORTIUM GOAL FIVE

Promote and support the development of professional development leadership capacity.

October saw the completion of The Assurance Framework series with a total of 37 participants. The follow-up series Refocusing on Instructional Leadership continues in November with 77 registered participants.

CONSORTIUM GOAL SIX

Provide educational stakeholders with access to professional development at a reasonable cost.

The NRLC 2022-23 budget has been submitted to the CASS Board for approval and has been shared with the NRLC Regional Stakeholders Committee.