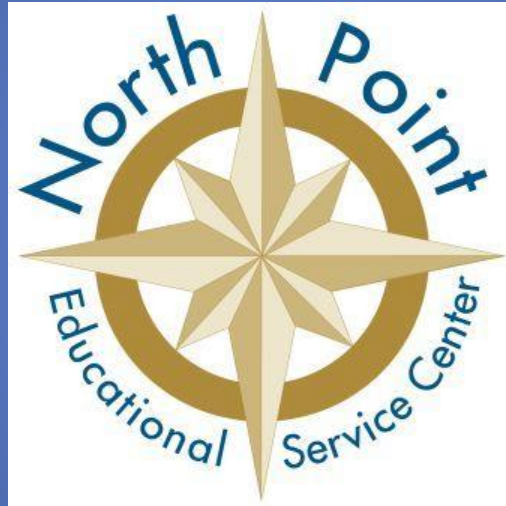


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# Professional Learning Opportunities

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# INSTRUCTION

## 4 Cornerstones for a Successful Year – Series 1

**Description:** The content for this two-day professional learning workshop is based on the work of Silver, Perini, and Bout. It was awarded the “Teachers’ Choice Award” in 2017 by Learning Magazine. Participants will leave Series 1 with proven strategies (4 Cornerstones) which are non-negotiable for a truly successful learning environment while at the same time enhancing a culture of teaching and learning. During the two days of Series 1 (held August 14 and October 8), participants will learn all of the strategies for the 4 Cornerstones. Teachers may register later for Series 2 (to be held in January and March 2020) to share the impact of the strategies and learn additional techniques and resources.

**Presenter:** NPESC’s, Kathryn Hott

**Location:** NOECA (219 Howard Drive, Sandusky, OH)

**Dates:** Wednesday, August 14 & Tuesday, October 8, 2019

**Time:** 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM (Registration begins at 8:30 AM)

**Audience:** Any new K-12 Classroom Teacher, Intervention Specialist, Special Area Teacher or any returning teacher who needs a refresher on classroom management and establishing a learning environment.

**Cost:** This event is FREE for staff from North Point client districts. The cost for staff from non-client districts is \$25 payable to North Point ESC. Lunch will be provided.

**Other:** 5.5 contact hours will be provided. Bring an electronic device to access online resources.

**Register online:** <https://forms.gle/oUTpGkhLtM3s2FQK6>

Registration will be limited to 40 people per session



# INSTRUCTION

## Creating SOLE (Self Organized Learning Environments) 101

**Description:** A Self-Organized Learning Environment, or SOLE, can exist anywhere there is a computer, internet connection, and students who are ready to learn. Within a SOLE, students are given the freedom to learn collaboratively using the internet. SOLE sessions are characterized by discovery, sharing, spontaneity and limited teacher intervention. Every SOLE session activates the learners' creativity, requires critical thinking, and refines communication skills. You will get access to free tools to implement SOLE in your classroom and find out how to earn free CEUs.

**Presenter:** NPESC's, Andrea Smith

**Dates & Location:** Participants should choose **one date** to attend from the following options:

- September 12, 2019 at Graytown (1661 N. Walker St., Graytown)
- October 18, 2019 at NOECA (219 Howard Drive, Sandusky)

**Time:** 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM (Registration begins at 8:30 AM)

**Audience:** K-12 Classroom Teachers, Intervention Specialists, Administrators

**Cost:** This event is FREE for staff from North Point client districts. The cost for staff from non-client districts is \$25 payable to North Point ESC. Lunch will be provided.

**Other:** 5.5 contact hours will be provided. Bring an electronic device to access online resources.

**Register online:** <https://forms.gle/pmwkVVyTgrdoTYMu5>

Registration will be limited to 35 people per session



# INSTRUCTION

## Join us for a Special Day with Sugata Mitra

**Description:** If you're a teacher in Ohio, you don't want to miss this. Sugata Mitra has become synonymous with the future of education. In 2013 he won the TEDx prize for his ideas. His videos have been watched by over 10 million people, making him one of the most viewed videos on TED.

His story is as simple as it is beautiful. In early 1999, he and some colleagues snuck a computer into the opening of a wall near his office in Kalkaji, New Delhi. It was a slum, with desperately poor people struggling to survive. The computer was available to anyone who passed by. Users had online access, but no instructions were given.

What happened next astonished Sugata and his team. Children came running out of the nearest slum and glued themselves to the computer. They couldn't get enough. They began to click and explore. They began to learn how to use this strange thing.

When working in groups, children do not need to be "taught" how to use computers. They can teach themselves. Their ability to do so seems to be independent of educational background, literacy level, social or economic status, ethnicity and place of origin, gender, geographic location (i.e., city, town or village, or intelligence).

Sugata Mitra, promoter of the self-organized learning environment (SOLE) concept, challenges teachers to become the ultimate facilitators of learning and to re-imagine our classrooms as spaces for discovery where students are given the tools to take control of the learning environment.

Join us as we welcome Sugata Mitra, Dr. Jeffrey McClellan, and expert practitioners as they share how SOLE and the StartSOLE platform are changing the face of education in Ohio and around the world.

**Location:** Kalahari's Convention Center; Sandusky, OH

**Date:** Wednesday, September 18, 2019

**Time:** 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM (Registration begins at 8:30 AM)

**Audience:** K-12 Educators and Administrators

**Cost:** Lunch will be provided for all participants. *This training is FREE for staff from North Point ESC's client districts.* The registration cost for staff from non-client districts is \$150 per participant payable to NPESC. *A "No Show" charge of \$75 will be billed to educators from NPESC's client districts who do not attend and/or send notice of cancellation of registration to Andrea Smith ([asmith@npesc.org](mailto:asmith@npesc.org)) by September 4, 2019.*



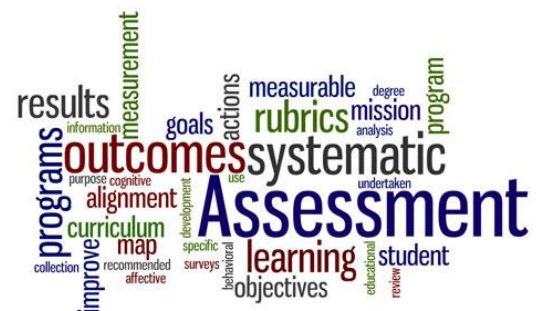
**Register online:** <https://forms.gle/kRTsyhRuS7eu1ECy5> Register by Sept. 4, 2019 Registration will be limited to 300 participants.

**Other:** 5.5 contact hours will be provided at the conclusion of each day.

# INSTRUCTION

## Thoughtful Assessment: To Prepare, Present and Enhance Learning

- Description: This workshop is based on the work of Boutz, Silver, Jackson and Perini and will provide participants with classroom-ready techniques proven to:
- Establish Learning Targets
  - Check for Understanding
  - Provide Effective Feedback
  - Use Writing as an Assessment Tool
  - Differentiate Assessment Practices
  - Build Self-Assessment and Goal-Setting Practices
- Presenter: Kathryn Hott, NPESC
- Location: NOECA (219 Howard Drive, Sandusky, OH)
- Dates: **Choose one date based on your level:**
- Wednesday, October 23, 2019 for Middle – High School (6-12)
  - Tuesday, October 29, 2019 for Elem – Middle School (K-6)
- Time: 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM (Registration begins at 8:30 AM)
- Audience: K-12 Teachers, Intervention Specialists, and Special Area Teachers. Space is limited to 40 participants.
- Cost: This event is FREE for staff from North Point client districts and NPESC. The cost for staff from non-client districts is \$25 payable to North Point ESC. Lunch will be provided.
- Other: 5.5 contact hours will be provided. Bring an electronic device to access online resources.
- Register online: <https://forms.gle/BxVxtM65DEhqVVv76>





# PARAPROFESSIONALS

## Strategies for Paraprofessionals in the Inclusive Setting

- Description:** Skilled Paraprofessionals play a critical role in supporting the success of students with special needs in K-12 **inclusive classrooms**. This workshop provides many strategies, tools and support that will help paraprofessionals promote student learning, foster student independence and increase positive student engagement in general education classrooms. Additionally, participants in this training will have time to share ideas, talk with others and brainstorm what is working with students.
- Presenter:** NPESC's, Kathryn Hott
- Location:** NOECA (219 Howard Drive, Sandusky, OH)
- Date:** Wednesday, September 25, 2019
- Time:** 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM (Registration begins at 8:30 AM)
- Audience:** Any paraprofessional working in an inclusive classroom.
- Cost:** This event is FREE for staff from North Point client districts. The cost for staff from non-client districts is \$25 payable to North Point ESC. Lunch will be provided.
- Other:** 5.5 contact hours will be provided.
- Register online:** <https://forms.gle/txEgDZRQyMtAsR7x5>  
Registration will be limited to 40 people per session



# PBIS

## PBIS Train the Trainer Workshop Series

- Description: Upon completion of this train the trainer series, participants will be certified to train building and district staff on all elements of PBIS (Positive Behavior Intervention Supports). **House Bill 318 requires all PK-3 buildings to adopt and implement PBIS by November of 2021.** It is recommended that districts send teams of 3 to 5 members that represent a good cross section of the district to this training. Participants must attend all three days to become certified trainers.
- Presenters: NPESC's Lonny Rivera & Dennis Doughty and other ESC consultants from Wood and Hancock Counties
- Location: The Chapel (4444 Galloway Road, Sandusky, OH)
- Dates: Thursday, September 26, 2019,  
Thursday, November 7, 2019, and  
Thursday, February 27, 2020
- Time: 8:30 AM – 3:30 PM (Registration begins at 8:00 AM)
- Audience: PreK-12 Teachers, Intervention Specialists, Special Area Teachers and Administrators. Space is limited to 80 participants.
- Cost: This event is FREE for staff from North Point client districts. Lunch will be provided.
- Other: 19.5 contact hours will be provided at the conclusion of the third day of training for full workshop participation. Bring an electronic device to access online resources.
- Register online: <https://forms.gle/KEVVmwiCWRnLt3dk6>





# LITERACY

## Literacy Leaders' Series

- Description:** North Point ESC, Lorain County ESC and State Support Team Region 2 have designed a four-part series to support districts' ongoing efforts to enhance literacy teaching and learning Pre-K through 12<sup>th</sup> grade. This series will assist you in understanding the State Plan for Literacy as well as how to write a comprehensive literacy improvement plan that truly makes a difference!
- As a district team, you will examine the Multi-Tiered System of Support for students using Effective Innovation. This comprehensive, four-part series will focus on incorporating instruction, assessment and decision-making within a tiered model of delivery by developing a cohesive system aligned to Ohio's Strategic Plan as well as the Ohio's Plan to Raise Literacy Achievement.
- Your team will be given explicit guidance and materials including: PowerPoint presentation and activities to do with your staff and strategies for building readiness and the adolescent reader. The goal of this four-day series is to integrate existing approaches currently in place in your classrooms into a cohesive system.  
*Teams are strongly encouraged to attend all four days of the series.*
- Presenters:** Consultants from NPESC, SST 2, and ESC of Lorain County
- Dates & Locations:** September 26, 2019 – The Chapel (4444 Galloway Rd, Sandusky)  
October 24, 2019 – NOECA (219 Howard Dr. Sandusky)  
January 23, 2020 – ESC of Lorain County (1855 Lake Ave, Elyria)  
March 24, 2020 - ESC of Lorain County (1855 Lake Ave, Elyria)
- Time:** 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM (Registration begins at 8:30 AM)
- Suggested Team:** Curriculum Director, Special Education Director, Principals, Related Services Specialist(s), Teacher Leader(s)
- Cost:** This event is FREE for staff. Lunch will be on your own.
- Other:** 5.5 contact hours will be provided. Bring an electronic device to access online resources.
- Register online:** STARS – Use “Region 2” as Keyword Search

# GIFTED

## Increasing Student Engagement with Choice, Creativity, Complexity and Curiosity

**Description:** This interactive session is one part Choose Your Own Adventure and one-part professional development, where you are in the driver's seat! Together we will explore a menu of instructional strategies designed to meaningfully engage your students in the learning process. Your choices and interests will guide us through a series of technology infused creativity activities designed to pique and develop students' curiosity. Regardless of the choices, everyone will leave with access to all of the resources!

***This workshop meets the requirement of high quality professional development aligned to the revised Gifted Operating Standards.***

*This session will meet the following gifted competencies: (a) "The ability to differentiate instruction based on a student's readiness, knowledge, and skill level, including using accelerated content, complexity, depth, challenge, creativity and abstractness." (c) "The ability to provide an extension or replacement of the general education curricula, to modify the learning process through strategies such as curriculum compacting and to select alternative assignments and projects based on individual student needs."*



**Presenter:** National Gifted expert, Dr. Brian Housand

**Location:** Kalahari's Convention Center; Sandusky, OH

**Date:** Wednesday, September 25, 2019

**Time:** 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM (Registration begins at 8:30 AM)

**Audience:** Classroom Teachers, Gifted Intervention Specialists, Special Area Teachers, Building and Central Office Administrators

**Cost:** Lunch will be provided for all participants. *This training is FREE for staff from North Point ESC's client districts.* The registration cost for staff from non-client districts is \$75 per participant payable to NPESC. *A "no show/cancellation" fee of \$25 will be billed to participants who do not attend and do not notify us before September 18, 2019.*

**Register online:** <https://forms.gle/zdngSqJoinsjKXY37>  
Register by Sept. 4, 2019  
Registration will be limited to 150 participants.

**Other:** 5.5 contact hours will be provided at the conclusion of each day.

# GIFTED

## 360° of Assessment

**Description:** Everything is an assessment. When it comes to finding gaps for gifties, you do have to trade in your net for a magnifying glass but if you don't look up from time to time you miss the big picture. I'll use SOLE as an example, pointing out all hard and soft skills you can assess from the process. Stop teaching and start coaching. Rubrics without feedback are just checklists. I will share how I use clipboards and standards trackers. Many additional methods of assessment used in my classroom will be shared.

***This workshop meets the requirement of high quality professional development aligned to the revised Gifted Operating Standards.***

*This session will meet the following gifted competencies: (f) "The ability to use data from a variety of sources to measure and monitor the growth of students who are gifted." (g) "The ability to select, use and interpret technically sound formal and informal assessments for the purpose of academic decision making."*

**Presenter:** Brandi Goodwin, NPESC's Coordinator of Gifted Services

**Location:** NOECA (219 Howard Dr., Sandusky)

**Date:** Wednesday, October 30, 2019

**Time:** 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM (Registration begins at 8:30 AM)

**Audience:** Classroom Teachers, Gifted Intervention Specialists, Special Area Teachers, Building and Central Office Administrators

**Cost:** This event is FREE for staff from North Point client districts and NPESC. The cost for staff from non-client districts is \$25 payable to North Point ESC. Lunch will be provided.

**Other:** 5.5 contact hours will be provided. Bring an electronic device to access online resources.

**Register online:** <https://forms.gle/hDEMko6WU5Xptwiv9>



# GIFTED

## Who Gets to be Gifted?

Description: In this session, participants will learn about underrepresented populations as well as social-emotional issues that students identified as gifted may face. Participants will engage in an interactive exploration of what this means in their own schools and will take away some strategies to help improve outcomes for these diverse learners.

***This workshop meets the requirement of high quality professional development aligned to the revised Gifted Operating Standards.***

*This session will meet the following gifted competencies: (d) "The ability to understand the social and emotional needs of students who are gifted and to address the impact of those needs on students learning." (e) "The ability to recognize and respond to characteristics and needs of students from traditionally underrepresented populations who are gifted and create safe and culturally responsive learning environments."*

Presenter: Brenda Gift, Ed.S, Director of Student Services & Special Services, ESC of Lake Erie West

Location: The Chapel, (4444 Galloway Road, Sandusky)

Date: Friday, November 15, 2019

Time: 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM (Registration begins at 8:30 AM)

Audience: Classroom Teachers, Gifted Intervention Specialists, Special Area Teachers, Building and Central Office Administrators

Cost: This event is FREE for staff from North Point client districts and NPESC. The cost for staff from non-client districts is \$25 payable to North Point ESC. Lunch will be provided.

Other: 5.5 contact hours will be provided. Bring an electronic device to access online resources.

Register online: <https://forms.gle/iBDNaz7Ppro7xouYA>



# GIFTED

## How to Diagnose Underachievement in our Gifted Students

**Description:** Some children are born with gifts but for one reason or another, choose not to develop them. Some of these reasons might be peers, social and emotional issues, home life, fear of standing out, or too much pressure to live up to the expectations. When these gifts go unused some students risk losing their ability to use them. Why do some children choose not to use their gifts? What can be done to identify these students who are not using their gifts? What can be done to help them? Like most things, there is no one answer. We will look at ten causes of underachievement amongst gifted students, figure out how to diagnose these causes, and talk about and develop strategies that can be used to combat them.

*This workshop meets the requirement of high quality professional development aligned to the revised Gifted Operating Standards.*

*This session will meet the following gifted competencies: (d) "The ability to understand the social and emotional needs of students who are gifted and to address the impact of those needs on students learning."*

**Presenter:** Todd Stanley, The Gifted Guy, <https://www.thegiftedguy.com/>  
**Location:** The Chapel, (4444 Galloway Road, Sandusky)  
**Date:** Thursday, December 12, 2019  
**Time:** 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM (Registration begins at 8:30 AM)  
**Audience:** Classroom Teachers, Gifted Intervention Specialists, Special Area Teachers, Building and Central Office Administrators  
**Cost:** This event is FREE for staff from North Point client districts and NPESC. The cost for staff from non-client districts is \$25 payable to North Point ESC. Lunch will be provided.  
**Other:** 5.5 contact hours will be provided. Bring an electronic device to access online resources.  
**Register online:** <https://forms.gle/ditV8KF3CinSBFp16>



# GIFTED

## Seeing Differentiation Differently

**Description:** Teachers often think of differentiating instruction as a customized lesson for each student in the classroom. The truth is, that madness was never meant to be differentiation's legacy. In this workshop, we'll define what differentiated instruction actually is, problem-solve barriers, and learn about some tried-and-true strategies that will help you design lessons that meet the needs for all learners.

***This workshop meets the requirement of high quality professional development aligned to the revised Gifted Operating Standards.***

*This session will meet the following gifted competencies: (a) "The ability to differentiate instruction based on a student's readiness, knowledge, and skill level, including using accelerated content, complexity, depth, challenge, creativity and abstractness." (c) "The ability to provide an extension or replacement of the general education curricula, to modify the learning process through strategies such as curriculum compacting and to select alternative assignments and projects based on individual student needs."*

**Presenter:** Brandi Goodwin, NPESC's Coordinator of Gifted Services

**Location:** NOECA (219 Howard Dr., Sandusky)

**Date:** Monday, February 3, 2020

**Time:** 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM (Registration begins at 8:30 AM)

**Audience:** Classroom Teachers, Gifted Intervention Specialists, Special Area Teachers, Building and Central Office Administrators

**Cost:** This event is FREE for staff from North Point client districts and NPESC. The cost for staff from non-client districts is \$25 payable to North Point ESC. Lunch will be provided.

**Other:** 5.5 contact hours will be provided. Bring an electronic device to access online resources.

**Register online:** <https://forms.gle/EA52drnZ73fP1LGi6>





# GIFTED

## Meaningful Assessment

**Description:** You never want to get on a plane where the pilot learned to fly from worksheets. You know it's true. It's time to stop flying by the seat of our worksheets! Let's get together and discuss ways to change our thinking and get our students where they need to be with more meaningful assessments. We'll look at flipped instruction, rubrics, exit techniques, and other strategies for using critiques and feedback to adjust the instructional process for all learners – especially gifted students. Plus, you'll learn how to use SOLE to get a whole lot more bang for your buck!

***This workshop meets the requirement of high quality professional development aligned to the revised Gifted Operating Standards.***

*This session will meet the following gifted competencies: (f) "The ability to use data from a variety of sources to measure and monitor the growth of students who are gifted." (g) "The ability to select, use and interpret technically sound formal and informal assessments for the purpose of academic decision making."*

**Presenter:** Brandi Goodwin, NPESC's Coordinator of Gifted Services

**Location:** NOECA (219 Howard Dr., Sandusky)

**Date:** Wednesday, April 1, 2020

**Time:** 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM (Registration begins at 8:30 AM)

**Audience:** Classroom Teachers, Gifted Intervention Specialists, Special Area Teachers, Building and Central Office Administrators

**Cost:** This event is FREE for staff from North Point client districts and NPESC. The cost for staff from non-client districts is \$25 payable to North Point ESC. Lunch will be provided.

**Other:** 5.5 contact hours will be provided. Bring an electronic device to access online resources.

**Register online:** <https://forms.gle/Y2Ck5Lk4wATvYkNz6>



# SPECIAL EDUCATION

## **Special Education: Professional Learning & Networking for Leaders**

**Description:** The day will include important updates regarding compliance and IEP/ETR development as well as shared best practices. The intent is to provide information to stakeholders that will be able to take content back to their districts to build internal capacity.

**Learning Objectives:**

- Access necessary updates for Special Education.
- Identify any changes to Ohio's Required Forms and expectation in document development to share with their staff.
- Gain clarification and/or discuss best practices in local decision making around Special Education.

**Presenter:** Jamie Tischer, SST 2 and NPESC Directors

**Location:** NOECA (219 Howard Drive, Sandusky, OH)

**Date:** Tuesday, October 22, 2019

**Time:** 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM (Registration begins at 8:30 AM)

**Audience:** Special Education Directors, Intervention Specialists, Building Principals, or other Central Office Administrators with a desire to attend this “Train the Trainer” session focused on Special Education topics. Space is limited to 40 participants.

**Cost:** This event is FREE for staff North Point client districts and NPESC. The cost for staff from non-client districts is \$25 payable to North Point ESC. Lunch will be provided.

**Other:** 5.5 contact hours will be provided. Bring an electronic device to access online resources.

**Register online:** <https://forms.gle/Hym2DaAr2sLEZVbh8>



# TECHNOLOGY INTEGRATION

## Boost Engagement with Interactive Lessons and Student Creation

- Description:** Explore how resources such as Hyperdocs, PearDeck, Nearpod, Flipgrid, Book Creator, Seesaw, and more can get your students excited about the content, and also provide you with meaningful feedback and data. Learn how these resources can also empower students to be creators of content rather than just consumers.
- Presenter:** Christine Danhoff, Technology Integration Specialist, Genoa Area Local Schools
- Location:** NOECA (219 Howard Drive, Sandusky, OH)
- Date:** Friday, October 25, 2019
- Time:** 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM (Registration begins at 8:30 AM)
- Audience:** K-12 Teachers, Intervention Specialists, Special Area Teachers and Administrators. Space is limited to 40 participants.
- Cost:** This event is FREE for staff North Point client districts and NPESC. The cost for staff from non-client districts is \$25 payable to North Point ESC. Lunch will be provided.
- Other:** 5.5 contact hours will be provided. Bring an electronic device to access online resources.
- Register online:** <https://forms.gle/g2YwnRnZEPaovyqv9>



# TECHNOLOGY INTEGRATION

## Level Up with Gamification in the Classroom!

- Description:** Students and adults love games! Why not bring the element of gaming into your classroom for student engagement and critical thinking? Learn how to level up your classroom by integrating Breakout EDU, Goosechase EDU, as well as other resources such as GimKit, and MORE in this fun, interactive, and engaging workshop! Test your wits and experience all that gaming has to offer for your students!
- Presenter:** Christine Danhoff, Technology Integration Specialist, Genoa Area Local Schools
- Location:** NOECA (219 Howard Drive, Sandusky, OH)
- Date:** Wednesday, November 13, 2019
- Time:** 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM (Registration begins at 8:30 AM)
- Audience:** K-12 Teachers, Intervention Specialists, Special Area Teachers and Administrators. Space is limited to 40 participants.
- Cost:** This event is FREE for staff North Point client districts and NPESC. The cost for staff from non-client districts is \$25 payable to North Point ESC. Lunch will be provided.
- Other:** 5.5 contact hours will be provided. Bring an electronic device to access online resources.
- Register online:** <https://forms.gle/fNWxkaVfcQ2Xtwvk9>



# REGIONAL NETWORKS

North Point Educational Service Center is committed to hosting a variety of regional networks to promote collaboration and the discussion of relevant educational topics and practices.

Our networks for the 2019-20 school year include:

- Superintendents
- Curriculum Leaders
- High School Principals
- Middle School Principals
- Elementary Principals
- Assistant Principals
- Special Education Supervisors
- Secondary School Counselors
- Elementary School Counselors
- Technology Integrators
- Library/Media Specialists
- Career Coaches
- School Resource Officers
- PT's & OT's
- SLP's
- Social Workers
- New Administrators



[Click here for a complete listing of all Regional Network meetings and dates](#)

# On-Site Professional Development: Educational Consultants 2019-2020

North Point Educational Service Center will again offer a comprehensive suite of professional learning opportunities throughout the region focused on leadership, curriculum, assessment, and instruction for the 2019-20 school year.

In addition to regional learning opportunities, we are happy to work with you to provide customized on-site professional development to meet your district's unique needs.

Some of the ways our NPESC team of educational consultants can support our client districts include:

- OTES, OPES, OSCES, or eTPES
- Focus 3/Improving Culture
- Value Added Data Analysis
- Rigor/Relevance Framework
- Creating Culture for Innovation
- Future Ready Framework
- Leadership
- Language Arts/ LA Coaching
- Curriculum Mapping
- Literacy Instruction
- Assessment Literacy

The following fee structure is based on our consultant's daily rate and whether the request is coming from a client district. (*Non-client districts should contact Andrea Smith directly to further discuss your needs and costs.*)

**Each client district will get one day of on-site professional development or coaching from an NPESC Educational Consultant for free for the 2019-20 school year.**

On-site professional development sessions will be billed at the following rate:

Customized Half Day Session (Up to 3 hours) = \$225

Customized Full Day Session (Up to 6 hours) = \$450

\*\*This cost includes travel expenses.

**Please contact Andrea Smith,  
NPESC Regional Director to  
further discuss your  
district/building's needs at  
419-627-3947.**



# About our Educational Consultants:

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## **Andrea Smith**

Andrea serves as Assistant Superintendent for NPESC. She has experience with high quality instruction, literacy, assessment, data analysis, leadership and state & federal projects. Additionally, she has served as both a building principal and a Director of Curriculum & Instruction.

***Areas of expertise include: OTES, OSCES, Leadership, State Standards & Assessments, Strategic Planning & Change, SOLE (Self Organized Learning Environments), Depth of Knowledge and Literacy Instruction.***

## **Kathryn Hott**

Kathryn serves as Grant Coordinator for NPESC. She has an extensive background of experience having served in various positions including central office, building administration, and teaching. Most recently, Kathy has served as a Superintendent of an area school district.

***Areas of expertise include: OPES, OSCES, Value Added Data Analysis, Curriculum Mapping and Development, Grant Writing, Focus 3/Culture Development, ELA Instruction & Assessment, and Leadership.***

## **Dr. Lonny Rivera**

Lonny serves as Director of Innovation for NPESC. He has an extensive background of experience having served in various positions including Ohio Department of Education, central office, building administration, and teaching. Most recently, Lonny served as Interim State Superintendent for ODE.

***Areas of expertise include: Leadership, Rigor & Relevance Framework, Creating a Culture for Change and Innovation, Focus 3/Culture Development and Future Ready Framework.***

## **Dennis Doughty**

Denny serves as the Mentor for new Administrative Personnel or for those individuals needing specific or additional guidance for NPESC member schools. Denny has extensive experience as a building administrator and as a superintendent. His experiences include maintenance, transportation and special education supervision.

***Areas of expertise/experience include: School Finance, Administration at both District & Building Levels along with Labor Contract Negotiations.***

