



PBL School Leader Network

Phase 1 Workshop Schedule

The PBL School Leadership Network (SLN) includes in-person and online workshops, online implementation support, and access to online tools and resources; all workshop materials; and the ongoing opportunities to network with leaders from across the region. This professional learning is focused on building and strengthening the capacity of school leaders to create the conditions for high-quality PBL. In a series of eight 6- hour workshops, school leaders will work together to craft a vision for PBL for their schools, create and implement a school-wide action plan, design professional development, examine ways to rethink school structures to support PBL, learn and apply change leadership strategies, and collect evidence of student success in PBL.

In-person workshops will be held in a central location (TBD) relative in close proximity to SLN participants. Below is an outline of workshops, calls and assignments. In-person workshops will require travel and accommodations and are denoted with a ❖ symbol in the chart below.

SERVICE	DATE AND TIME
<p>Online Intake Call An online call with each SLN principal and the PBLWorks facilitator to learn about the school context and the vision for the work.</p>	<p>October 3rd 2:00-3:00 PM</p>
<p>❖ Leader Launch (In Person)</p> <p>Location: (TBD)</p> <p>The Leader Launch is an intensive dive into PBL Leadership. Participants in this professional development will participate in a Project Slice, share their current reality as it relates to PBL, develop a compelling vision for PBL to communicate to their staff and school community and create an action plan for initial PBL implementation.</p>	<p>Thurs and Fri October 19, 20th 8:30 AM-3:30 PM</p>
<p>Online Implementation Call A 60-minute online call with SLN principals and the PBLWorks facilitator. The question driving the sessions is “What leadership actions did I/we take to create the conditions necessary to support teachers and students with the implementation of high-quality project based learning in our school?” Leaders will connect about what is working, glean insight from their colleagues to address implementation challenges, and receive support in collecting artifacts from their PBL Journey in preparation for the Leader Presentation of Learning. <i>Focus: Ongoing reflection and coaching around implementing new learning and deepening PBL implementation.</i></p>	<p>Thurs, November 2 12:00 - 1:00 PM</p>
<p>Online Culture Workshop The PBL Leadership Culture workshop explores the elements of culture important to equitable access to Gold Standard PBL. Participants will be challenged to adopt/live/ breathe the values of PBL while establishing and nurturing a culture necessary to support a PBL approach to teaching and learning.</p>	<p>Tuesday, November 28 8:30 AM -3:30 PM</p>
<p>Online Implementation Call A 60-minute online call with SLN principals and the PBLWorks facilitator. The question driving the sessions is “What leadership actions did I/we take to create the conditions necessary to support teachers and students with the implementation of high-quality project based learning in our school?” Leaders will connect about what is working, glean insight from their colleagues to address</p>	<p>Tues, January 16th 12:00 - 1:00 PM</p>

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<p>Online Infrastructure Workshop Designed for principals exclusively, this workshop supports participants to diagnose the structural conditions in their school for PBL while grounding them in the inevitable issues related to master scheduling, resources, and adult learning structures.</p>	<p>Mon, February 26th 8:30 AM-3:30 PM</p>
<p>Online Implementation Call A 60-minute online call with SLN principals and the PBLWorks facilitator. The question driving the sessions is “What leadership actions did I/we take to create the conditions necessary to support teachers and students with the implementation of high-quality project based learning in our school?” Leaders will connect about what is working, glean insight from their colleagues to address implementation challenges, and receive support in collecting artifacts from their PBL Journey in preparation for the Leader Presentation of Learning.</p>	<p>Tues March 25th 12:00 - 1:00 PM</p>
<p>Online Learning Walks The Leadership Learning Walk is a one-day experience for 3-4 principals to share their own PBL leadership practices and the shifts the school has made as well as an opportunity for each leader to learn from the work colleagues have accomplished. The cohort will share best practices and challenges across and between schools in order to raise expectations for Gold Standard PBL. This learning walk opportunity looks specifically at the leadership practices and the school, not at teacher practices.</p>	<p>Friday April 5nd 8:30 AM - 3:30 PM</p>
<p>Online Implementation Call A 60-minute online call with SLN principals and the PBLWorks facilitator. The question driving the sessions is “What leadership actions did I/we take to create the conditions necessary to support teachers and students with the implementation of high-quality project based learning in our school?” Leaders will connect about what is working, glean insight from their colleagues to address implementation challenges, and receive support in collecting artifacts from their PBL Journey in preparation for the Leader Presentation of Learning. <i>Focus: Ongoing reflection and coaching around implementing new learning and deepening PBL implementation.</i></p>	<p>Tues April 16th 12:00 - 1:00 PM</p>

<p>Online Capacity Building Workshop</p> <p>Participants in this professional development experience Gold Standard PBL Design and Teaching Practices. Throughout the experience, facilitators guide participants in structured reflection on how to best support teachers in Gold Standard PBL.</p>	<p>Thurs May 16th</p> <p>8:30 AM-3:30 PM</p>
<p>Online Implementation Call</p> <p>A 60-minute online call with SLN principals and the PBLWorks facilitator. The question driving the sessions is “What leadership actions did I/we take to create the conditions necessary to support teachers and students with the implementation of high-quality project based learning in our school?” Leaders will connect about what is working, glean insight from their colleagues to address implementation challenges, and receive support in collecting artifacts from their PBL Journey in preparation for the Leader Presentation of Learning. <i>Focus: Ongoing reflection and coaching around implementing new learning and deepening PBL implementation.</i></p>	<p>Friday May 31st</p> <p>12:00 - 1:00 PM</p>
<p>❖ Presentations of Learning & Continuous Improvement (In Person) Location TBD</p> <p>The <i>PBL Leader Presentation of Learning Workshop</i> is an opportunity for school leadership teams to showcase, share, and celebrate their PBL journey. The product will highlight the work, the successes, and the challenges - both that have been overcome and that continue to exist.</p> <p>The <i>Continuous Improvement Workshop</i> supports leadership teams in analyzing initial PBL implementation data. Leadership teams will identify key areas for improvement, set an improvement goal, design a short cycle of inquiry, and develop a plan for PBL implementation in Phase 2.</p>	<p>Thurs and Fri June 6th and 7th</p> <p>8:30-3:30 PM</p>