

## Professional Learning in RI: Reopening Schools 2020-21

RIDE continues to be committed to helping our schools and districts strengthen their professional learning systems and practices. For the start of the 2020-21 school year, RIDE has compiled the following no-cost options for professional learning in RI to support the return to school for educators and administrators. While many LEAs have already planned professional learning experiences for staff prior to the start of the school year, we hope the following offerings can enhance opportunities for educators, administrators, and staff to engage in the critical areas for safely reopening schools this fall.

- For questions about these professional learning offerings, please contact the provider directly.
- For questions about professional learning units (PLUs) for certification in RI, please email the appropriate contact in your LEA regarding the local approval process for PLUs.
- For any other professional learning-related questions, email [PL@ride.ri.gov](mailto:PL@ride.ri.gov).
- For more professional learning options, we encourage you to review the 50+ providers on RI's Educator Course Network (ECN) at [www.ecn-ri.org](http://www.ecn-ri.org). Many of these providers have a no-cost option below for your consideration.

<b>Health, Wellness, &amp; Community Engagement</b>			
The synchronous professional learning offerings in this section focus are designed for a variety of audiences including, but not limited to, teachers, support professionals, school staff, and administrators. Please follow the registration links to learn more about these opportunities.			
PL Provider	Topic & Description	Date(s)/Time(s)	Registration Link
<a href="#">RIDE</a>	Health & Safety Training on Best Practices	Multiple Sessions from Sept. 30 – Oct. 16, 2020	<a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfXad9n3M6yfbIT2A5iQYqRrRaysZ_EFhATLmBRPKo2lyOYiw/viewform">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfXad9n3M6yfbIT2A5iQYqRrRaysZ_EFhATLmBRPKo2lyOYiw/viewform</a>
	Professional Development for School Counselors	Multiple	<a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfSXya4cudkwozgpC9XVxezyX-QX00aMe0Hp4u7ErbEn5VEUA/viewform">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfSXya4cudkwozgpC9XVxezyX-QX00aMe0Hp4u7ErbEn5VEUA/viewform</a>
<a href="#">Center for Leadership &amp; Educational Equity (CLEE)</a>	<a href="#">Giving &amp; Receiving Feedback in a Professional Learning Community</a>	Oct. 19 & 22 4:00 – 5:00	<a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe3LVOQrXNSxco4eUFIIZryHXvhvwT46r38I8qv6uGbeuHgCQ/viewform?usp=send_f_orm">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe3LVOQrXNSxco4eUFIIZryHXvhvwT46r38I8qv6uGbeuHgCQ/viewform?usp=send_f_orm</a>
	<a href="#">Integrating Data Routines into Adult Collaboration</a>	Nov. 16 & 19 4:00 – 5:00	
<a href="#">Rethink Ed</a>	Extra Mile Training Sessions (Various Topics)	Various	<a href="https://go.rethinkfirst.com/ExtraMileTrainingSeries">https://go.rethinkfirst.com/ExtraMileTrainingSeries</a>
<a href="#">SHRI Yoga</a>	Live online yoga classes for educators	Various	<a href="https://shriyoga.org/index.html">https://shriyoga.org/index.html</a>
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<a href="#">RIDE</a>	Mental Health Resources	All Staff	<a href="https://www.ride.ri.gov/StudentsFamilies/HealthSafety/MentalHealthResourcesforCOVID-19.aspx#43661916-resources-for-educators--school-mental-health-professionals">https://www.ride.ri.gov/StudentsFamilies/HealthSafety/MentalHealthResourcesforCOVID-19.aspx#43661916-resources-for-educators--school-mental-health-professionals</a>

<a href="#">Transforming Education</a>	SEL Tools & Toolkits for Educators	All Staff	<a href="https://www.transformingeducation.org/resources/for-educators/">https://www.transformingeducation.org/resources/for-educators/</a>
<a href="#">Rethink Ed</a>	Trauma Toolkit for Adults	All Staff	<a href="https://go.rethinkfirst.com/TraumaToolkit">https://go.rethinkfirst.com/TraumaToolkit</a>
<a href="#">CASEL</a>	Reunite, Renew, and Thrive: SEL Roadmap for Reopening Schools	All Staff	<a href="https://casel.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/07/SEL-ROADMAP.pdf">https://casel.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/07/SEL-ROADMAP.pdf</a>
<a href="#">Youth Restoration Project RI</a>	Resources for Restorative Justice Practices	All Staff	<a href="https://yrpofri.org/resources-on-restorative-justice-restorative-practices/">https://yrpofri.org/resources-on-restorative-justice-restorative-practices/</a>
<a href="#">BRIDGE-RI</a>	A variety of online courses that focus on MTSS	Educators, Interventionists, Administrators	<a href="https://docs.google.com/document/d/1BygdyeAzHoX7BjQ93z9_m6nqH40YuBzESTMmv1yUYuo/edit">https://docs.google.com/document/d/1BygdyeAzHoX7BjQ93z9_m6nqH40YuBzESTMmv1yUYuo/edit</a>
<a href="#">Nat'l Center for Innovation &amp; System Improvement (NCISI)</a>	A variety of course offerings on multiple topics, including trauma-informed services	Educators, Interventionists, Administrators	<a href="https://ncisi.fedcap.org/training/upcoming">https://ncisi.fedcap.org/training/upcoming</a>
<a href="#">Facing History and Ourselves</a>	Back to School: Attending to Students' Social-Emotional Needs in the New Normal	All staff	<a href="https://event.on24.com/eventRegistration/EventLobbyServlet?target=reg30.jsp&amp;referrer=&amp;eventid=2439030&amp;sessionid=1&amp;key=BF4DE5FC5510B082F3F33604CEE269E1&amp;regTag=&amp;sourcepage=register">https://event.on24.com/eventRegistration/EventLobbyServlet?target=reg30.jsp&amp;referrer=&amp;eventid=2439030&amp;sessionid=1&amp;key=BF4DE5FC5510B082F3F33604CEE269E1&amp;regTag=&amp;sourcepage=register</a>

### Instructional Core & Distance Learning

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PL Provider	Topic & Description	Date(s)/Time(s)	Registration Link
<a href="#">RI Association Of School Principals (RIASP)</a>	Principals Instructional Learning Network: Leading Distance Learning with Eric Sheninger	Series Begins October 7, 2020 4:30-6:00	<a href="http://www.riasp.org/event-3954427">http://www.riasp.org/event-3954427</a>
<a href="#">Achievement Network (ANET)</a>	Literacy: Strong Vertical Alignment	Flexible	<a href="https://docs.google.com/document/d/1orYtuTuHSzPq5wnYZG0rr1RE8ySQM5iF5QewME54I8Y/edit#">https://docs.google.com/document/d/1orYtuTuHSzPq5wnYZG0rr1RE8ySQM5iF5QewME54I8Y/edit#</a>
	Leveraging High Quality (Math) Tasks in a Virtual Setting	Flexible	<a href="https://docs.google.com/document/d/1oSHSr-jeV1E4unxkyi6P76MQw--T41qsLfxKZeJO4_E/edit#">https://docs.google.com/document/d/1oSHSr-jeV1E4unxkyi6P76MQw--T41qsLfxKZeJO4_E/edit#</a>
	Supporting Math & Instructional Recovery and Unfinished Learning	Week of Oct. 19 (Flexible)	<a href="https://docs.google.com/document/d/1kkdpjD5QgxR2ftJ006M1kasTqY6_frcPrijKFsw_9s/edit">https://docs.google.com/document/d/1kkdpjD5QgxR2ftJ006M1kasTqY6_frcPrijKFsw_9s/edit</a>
<a href="#">RI Art Education</a>	Various Art Education Offerings (see registration link)	Offerings aligned with <a href="#">Statewide PD Days</a>	<a href="https://docs.google.com/document/d/1kBgIR_OC0syXPON4bB0CF3_DJSHfWWPIDm4bcnTIJQ0/edit?invite=CP-E-aYF&amp;ts=5f45179b">https://docs.google.com/document/d/1kBgIR_OC0syXPON4bB0CF3_DJSHfWWPIDm4bcnTIJQ0/edit?invite=CP-E-aYF&amp;ts=5f45179b</a>

<a href="#">Association (RIAEA)</a>			
<a href="#">RI Dept. of Environmental Mgmt. (RIDEM)</a>	RIDEM Division of Fish & Wildlife: "Rhody Critter Kits" Educator Workshops	Nov. 4, 2020 5:30 – 8 PM	<a href="https://forms.gle/uzdyoigKet9PTT6a8">https://forms.gle/uzdyoigKet9PTT6a8</a>
		Nov. 12, 2020 5:30 – 8 PM	
		Nov. 14, 2020 10:00 – 12:30	
<a href="#">Sullivan University</a>	Educators' Day Event for HS Teachers & Counselors	Nov. 6, 2020 9:00 – 2:00	<a href="https://www.sullivan.edu/educators-day">https://www.sullivan.edu/educators-day</a>
<a href="#">WIDA/RIDE</a>	Scaffolding Learning Through Language	Oct. 19, Nov. 2 & 16, 2020 1:00 – 2:30	<a href="http://www.eride.ri.gov/workshopreg/ViewWorkshop.aspx?workshopid=1766">http://www.eride.ri.gov/workshopreg/ViewWorkshop.aspx?workshopid=1766</a>
<a href="#">Center for Leadership &amp; Educational Equity (CLEE)</a>	<a href="#">Analyzing Student Work to Drive Improvement in the Instructional Core</a>	Dec. 14 & 17 4:00 – 5:00	<a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe3LVOQrXNSxco4eUfIIzryHXvhvwT46r38I8qv6uGbeuHgCQ/viewform">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe3LVOQrXNSxco4eUfIIzryHXvhvwT46r38I8qv6uGbeuHgCQ/viewform</a>
<a href="#">Council for Exceptional Children (CEC)</a>	Multiple Virtual Sessions on High-Leverage Practices	Various	<a href="https://www.cec.sped.org/Professional-Development/Webinars">https://www.cec.sped.org/Professional-Development/Webinars</a>
<a href="#">NextGen Personal Finance</a>	Live Facilitated PD on a Variety of Financial Topics	Various	<a href="https://www.ngpf.org/pd/virtual-pd/">https://www.ngpf.org/pd/virtual-pd/</a>
<a href="#">Facing History and Ourselves</a>	Election 2020: Teaching in Unpredictable Times	Oct. 1, 2020 5:00 – 6:00 PM	<a href="https://www.facinghistory.org/calendar/web2020nat34-election-2020-teaching-unpredictable-times">https://www.facinghistory.org/calendar/web2020nat34-election-2020-teaching-unpredictable-times</a>
	Conversations on Equity & Justice: The Struggle for Racial Justice and Voting	Oct. 7, 2020 7:00 – 8:00 PM	<a href="https://www.facinghistory.org/calendar/c2020nat12-facing-history-now-conversations-equity-and-justice-struggle-racial-justice-and">https://www.facinghistory.org/calendar/c2020nat12-facing-history-now-conversations-equity-and-justice-struggle-racial-justice-and</a>
	Navigating our Democracy: A Forum on Promoting Democratic Ideals in the Classroom	Oct. 21, 2020 3:00 – 4:30	<a href="https://www.facinghistory.org/calendar/w2020bo36-navigating-our-democracy-forum-promoting-democratic-ideals-classroom">https://www.facinghistory.org/calendar/w2020bo36-navigating-our-democracy-forum-promoting-democratic-ideals-classroom</a>
<a href="#">RI Historical Society</a>	National History Day Teacher Workshop w/ Dr. Thalia Wood	October 1, 2020 4:00 – 5:00	<a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdcd82NDmeixPeV3ckivFKbuQ1nHU7nhyBp4BNfabTvGKpvg/viewform">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdcd82NDmeixPeV3ckivFKbuQ1nHU7nhyBp4BNfabTvGKpvg/viewform</a>
<a href="#">nXu Education</a>	Cultivate & (Re)Claim Your Purpose: Experiential Online Educator Workshop	October 19, 2020 1:00 – 3:00	<a href="https://zoom.us/meeting/register/tJloce2urz8pH9GKOyD1t4rPIhDEguHsSpl">https://zoom.us/meeting/register/tJloce2urz8pH9GKOyD1t4rPIhDEguHsSpl</a>

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<a href="#">RIDE</a>	Various resources to support structured literacy implementation	Teachers, Specialists, Administrators	<a href="https://www.ride.ri.gov/InstructionAssessment/Literacy/StructuredLiteracy.aspx">https://www.ride.ri.gov/InstructionAssessment/Literacy/StructuredLiteracy.aspx</a>
	Various resources to support dyslexia, dysgraphia, and dyscalculia		<a href="https://www.ride.ri.gov/InstructionAssessment/Literacy/Dyslexia,Dysgraphia,DyscalculiaResources.aspx">https://www.ride.ri.gov/InstructionAssessment/Literacy/Dyslexia,Dysgraphia,DyscalculiaResources.aspx</a>
<a href="#">RI PBS</a>	Various media resources for educators	Teachers, Specialists	<a href="https://ri.pbslearningmedia.org/">https://ri.pbslearningmedia.org/</a>
<a href="#">CC4ES</a>	Six Modules on Environmental Awareness & Sustainability	Community Members	<a href="https://cc4es.org/how-to-navigate-six-modules/">https://cc4es.org/how-to-navigate-six-modules/</a>
<a href="#">Center for Assessment</a>	Classroom Assessment Learning Modules	Teachers, Administrators	<a href="https://www.nciea.org/classroom-assessment-learning-modules">https://www.nciea.org/classroom-assessment-learning-modules</a>
<a href="#">SchoolKit</a>	Unfinished Learning 3-part Webinar Series	Teachers, Instructional Leaders, Admins.	<a href="http://schoolkitgroup.com/video-unfinished-learning-webinars/">http://schoolkitgroup.com/video-unfinished-learning-webinars/</a>
<a href="#">Voyager Sopris</a>	How the Right Assessment Can Help Identify Learning Loss Webinar	Teachers, Instructional Leaders, Admins.	<a href="https://www.voyagersopris.com/webinar-series/how-the-right-district-assessment-can-help-identify-learning-loss">https://www.voyagersopris.com/webinar-series/how-the-right-district-assessment-can-help-identify-learning-loss</a>
<a href="#">Amplify</a>	Various resources to support literacy instruction	Teachers, Literacy Specialists, Administrators	<a href="#">The Science of Reading Podcast Episodes &amp; Amplify Literacy Hub</a>
<a href="#">Mass Insight</a>	Transitioning to Distance Learning: Developing your Course for Online & Hybrid Instruction	Aug. 17 – Sept. 15, 2020 (Async. Course)	<a href="https://www.eventbrite.com/e/transitioning-to-distance-learning-developing-your-course-for-online-hybrid-instruction-tickets-106388867968">https://www.eventbrite.com/e/transitioning-to-distance-learning-developing-your-course-for-online-hybrid-instruction-tickets-106388867968</a>
<a href="#">WIDA</a>	WIDA Self-Paced eWorkshops	All Educators	<a href="https://www.ride.ri.gov/Portals/0/Uploads/Documents/OSCAS/English-Learner-Pages/uploads%202020-21/Self-Paced%20eWorkshops%20Flyer%202020-21.pdf?ver=2020-08-03-092540-257">https://www.ride.ri.gov/Portals/0/Uploads/Documents/OSCAS/English-Learner-Pages/uploads%202020-21/Self-Paced%20eWorkshops%20Flyer%202020-21.pdf?ver=2020-08-03-092540-257</a>
	Supporting Multilingual Learners during COVID-19: Micro Offerings		<a href="https://grow.wida.us/courses/270">https://grow.wida.us/courses/270</a>
<a href="#">Bridge Education Group</a>	Bridge TEFL/TESOL Micro-credentials (six free async. courses)	Teachers	<a href="https://bridge.edu/tefl/courses/micro">https://bridge.edu/tefl/courses/micro</a>
<a href="#">Fostering Quality Schools</a>	Strategic Planning: Key Steps for Returning to School (4-part series)	Administrators, Educators	<a href="https://www.fosteringqualityschools.com/covid-19-student-learning-recovery/">https://www.fosteringqualityschools.com/covid-19-student-learning-recovery/</a>

<a href="#">Solution Tree</a>	Various Virtual Professional Learning Free Resources	Teachers, Administrators	<a href="https://www.solutiontree.com/free-resources">https://www.solutiontree.com/free-resources</a>
<a href="#">AIM Institute for Learning &amp; Research</a>	The Role of Resiliency in the Classroom Webinar	Teachers, Interventionists	<a href="https://institute.aimpa.org/programs-research/research-to-practice-symposium">https://institute.aimpa.org/programs-research/research-to-practice-symposium</a>
<a href="#">NCTM</a>	100 Days of Professional Learning Webinar Series	Math Teachers, Interventionists, Administrators	<a href="https://www.nctm.org/online-learning/">https://www.nctm.org/online-learning/</a>
<a href="#">Achieve the Core</a>	Delivering Virtual Mini Assessments Webinar	Teachers, Instructional Leaders, Administrators	<a href="https://achievethecore.org/page/3257/delivering-virtual-mini-assessments-2020-special-edition-march-webinar">https://achievethecore.org/page/3257/delivering-virtual-mini-assessments-2020-special-edition-march-webinar</a>
	Foundational Skills Mini-Course	Literacy Teachers, Administrators	<a href="https://achievethecore.org/page/3141/foundational-skills-mini-course-module-1-foundational-nuts-and-bolts">https://achievethecore.org/page/3141/foundational-skills-mini-course-module-1-foundational-nuts-and-bolts</a>
<a href="#">RI Math Project</a>	Virtual/Distance Learning Supports	Teachers, Administrators	<a href="https://sites.google.com/view/rimathproject/virtual-learning-supports?authuser=0">https://sites.google.com/view/rimathproject/virtual-learning-supports?authuser=0</a>
<a href="#">Lexia</a>	Developing Scalable & Sustaining Remote Learning Plans Using Familiar Frameworks	Teachers, Interventionists, Administrators	<a href="https://www.lexialearning.com/go/national_livewebinar_remot_elearning_071420_if?destination=node/915971">https://www.lexialearning.com/go/national_livewebinar_remot_elearning_071420_if?destination=node/915971</a>
<a href="#">CAST Professional Learning</a>	Facilitated, self-paced online courses on the Universal Design for Learning (UDL) Framework	Teachers, Interventionists, Administrators	<a href="http://castprofessionallearning.org/online-courses/">http://castprofessionallearning.org/online-courses/</a>
<a href="#">IRIS Center</a>	Self-paced instructional modules that focus on supports for differently-abled students	Teachers, Interventionists, Administrators	<a href="https://iris.peabody.vanderbilt.edu/pd-hours/school-district-platform/available-modules/">https://iris.peabody.vanderbilt.edu/pd-hours/school-district-platform/available-modules/</a>
<a href="#">High-Leverage Practices in Special Education</a>	Digital PD Guide for school and district leaders on high-leverage special education practices	School Leaders & Directors	<a href="https://highleveragepractices.org/a-professional-development-guide-for-school-leaders/">https://highleveragepractices.org/a-professional-development-guide-for-school-leaders/</a>
<a href="#">Autism Focused Intervention Resources &amp; Modules (AFIRM)</a>	Training Modules for supporting students who are on the Autism Spectrum	Teachers, Support Staff, Administrators	<a href="https://afirm.fpg.unc.edu/afirm-modules">https://afirm.fpg.unc.edu/afirm-modules</a>

RIDE will work to update this document and provide additional opportunities for the fall 2020 statewide PD days for RI educators to access in a similar format.