



SMCAA Leaders in Curriculum Cohort



Annual Learning Calendar

AUGUST

Foundations & Alignment

- Competency-Based Education
- Standards-Referenced Curriculum
- Vertical Alignment Needs
- High-Quality Instruction

SEPTEMBER

High-Quality Curriculum

- CBE-Aligned Units
- Success Criteria
- Durable Skills Focus
- Curriculum Templates

OCTOBER

Collaboration & Leadership

- Working with Principals
- Cross-Role Collaboration
- Trust-Based Observations
- Instructional Leadership

NOVEMBER

Assessment & Data

- Benchmark Data
- Common Assessments
- Data-Driven Decisions
- Impact on Learning

DECEMBER

Implementation Fidelity

- Fidelity Checks
- Tier 1 & Tier 2 Alignment
- Mid-Year Review
- Instruction Monitoring

JANUARY

AI & Technology

- AI in Curriculum Work
- Ethical AI Use
- Student Tech Integration
- Efficiency Tools

FEBRUARY

Real-World Learning

- Authentic Experiences
- Resource Evaluation
- Global Best Practices
- Career Connections

MARCH

Vertical Alignment

- K-4 Math Alignment
- Standards Coherence
- Vertical Articulation
- Curriculum Mapping

APRIL

Board & Policy

- Presenting to the Board
- Legislative Updates
- Communicating Impact
- Policy Shifts

MAY

Year-End Reflection

- Curriculum Review
- Teacher Feedback
- Impact Analysis
- Planning Ahead

JUNE

Planning Ahead

- Curriculum Updates
- PD for August
- Pacing Guides
- Goals for Next Year

Second Thursday of the Month • 9:30 AM – 11:30 AM