

Calendar of Events

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Paroquet Springs Conference Centre (Adam Shepherd meeting room)Â Â
395 Paroquet Springs Dr
Shepherdsville, KY 40165

09:00 AM - 04:00 PM EST

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EVENT DESCRIPTION:

The goal of mathematics education is to develop students' mathematical reasoning. This year-long, in-depth course provides teachers with information and materials to enable them to strengthen mathematics instruction by building from students' current funds of knowledge.

Participants will learn teaching strategies for helping students develop more sophisticated reasoning needed for middle grades mathematics with the goal of improving student access to grade level content. Activities will highlight important mathematical relationships and strategies middle grades students need for a strong foundation of mathematical thinking.

Each participant will receive the following materials:

- 1) The "24" Game - Fractions*
- 2) The "24" Game - Single Digits*
- 3) Cuisenaire Rods*
- 4) The book Developing Mathematical Reasoning*
- 5) The book Figuring Out Fluency in Mathematics Teaching and Learning*

SESSION DETAILS:

- 1) Tuesday, July 15, 2025; IN PERSON; 9:00 am - 4:00 pm Eastern*
- 2) Wednesday, July 16, 2025; IN PERSON; 9:00 am - 4:00 pm Eastern*
- 3) Wednesday, September 17, 2025; VIRTUAL; Noon - 3:00 pm Eastern (which is 11:00 am - 2:00 pm Central)*
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LOCATION: *In Bullitt County, KY (South of Louisville) at the Paroquet Springs Conference Centre (Adam Shepherd meeting room)*
395 Paroquet Springs Dr.
Shepherdsville, KY 40165
502-955-7009

COST: *\$100 per participant.*

Please note: Payment is due by July 15, 2025. Because participants may register during the 2024-2025 school year but use funds for the 2025-2026 school year, the date on the registration invoice can be changed to July 1, 2025. Anyone needing that change must contact the KCM at 859-572-7690 or kcm@nku.edu.

REGISTRATION CAP: 25 participants. Space is limited! The KCM will be unable to accept more than 25 participants for this PLE. Once this event is full, a waiting list will be added.

KCM CONTACT INFORMATION & MAILING ADDRESS:

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February 3, 2026

KCM Fluency Assessment Training - February 3, 2026 - VIRTUAL - Facilitated by Sumer Smith

Virtual via ZOOM: The ZOOM meeting link will be emailed by the facilitator to all registered participants

04:30 PM - 06:00 PM EST

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**For teachers outside of Kentucky and in another time zone, please determine what time 4:30 - 6:00 pm Eastern is where you live and teach. For assistance, please contact the KCM.*

FACILITATOR: KCM Regional Consultant Sumer Smith

PLEASE NOTE:

This free professional learning event is open to all elementary math educators who teach anywhere in the United States. The ZOOM meeting is a live and interactive session; it is NOT recorded to be watched at any other time. You must be able to attend during the 1.5 hours listed for this session. If you register for this session and then find you are no longer able to attend for any reason, please contact the KCM at 859-572-7690 or kcm@nku.edu to have your registration voided and your spot made available for another teacher. Thank you!

HERE IS A BRIEF OVERVIEW OF THE KCM's FLUENCY ASSESSMENT TRAINING:

The Kentucky Numeracy Project Fluency Assessment materials and online application are available to any elementary school math educator that has completed the free KCM Fluency Assessment Training course. In this virtual 90-minute session, participants will learn how to administer and score the assessments through the lens of the Kentucky Academic Standards.

Fluency Assessments are a free resource created by the Kentucky Center for Mathematics (KCM).

The assessments are aligned to the Kentucky Academic Standards for grades K-3.

Each assessment comes in 9 versions that can be used for progress monitoring.

Fluency assessments are administered using a one-on-one interview format.

Participants will gain access to the full suite of Fluency Assessments after completing the online training session and a practice assessment with an elementary-aged student.

The ZOOM meeting link for this session will be emailed only to each registered teacher; you must be registered to attend! The ZOOM meeting link should not be shared with anyone who is not registered. Attendance will be taken using the ZOOM meeting report.

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TIME: 11:30 am - 12:30 pm Eastern (which is 10:30 am - 11:30 am Central)

DATES: 7 Select WEDNESDAYS September 2025 through April 2026

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Marriott Griffin Gate
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08:00 AM - 03:30 PM EST
Kentucky Center for Mathematics, 859-572-7690
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LOCATION: Marriott Griffin Gate Hotel (1800 Newtown Pike, Lexington, KY 40511)

THEME: Voices in Math: Conversations That Count

COST:

\$200 per person EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION (Monday, September 1, 2025 through Friday, December 12, 2025 at 11:59 pm)

\$250 per person REGULAR REGISTRATION (Saturday, December 13, 2025, through Friday, February 20, 2026, at 11:59 pm)

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REGISTRATION CAP:

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KEYNOTE SPEAKERS:

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FOOD AND DRINK:

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March 12, 2026

KCM Fluency Assessment Training - March 12, 2026 - VIRTUAL - Facilitated by Sumer Smith
Virtual via ZOOM: The ZOOM meeting link will be emailed by the facilitator to all registered participants

03:30 PM - 05:00 PM EST

Kentucky Center for Mathematics (KCM), 859-572-7690

kcm@nku.edu

KCM Fluency Assessment Training - March 12, 2026 - VIRTUAL

DATE: Thursday, March 12, 2026

TIME: 3:30 - 5:00 pm Eastern (which is 2:30 - 4:00 pm Central)

**For teachers outside of Kentucky and in another time zone, please determine what time 3:30 - 5:00 pm Eastern is where you live and teach. For assistance, please contact the KCM.*

FACILITATOR: KCM Regional Consultant Sumer Smith

PLEASE NOTE:

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Kentucky Mathematics Coach Collegial Support (VIRTUAL) with Cindy Aossey & Dee Crescitelli

This cohort will virtually via ZOOM on select Friday afternoons from 2-3 pm ET

02:00 PM - 03:00 PM EST

Kentucky Center for Mathematics, 859-572-7690

kcm@nku.edu

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This is Year 2 for this online professional learning and support opportunity from the KCM for KENTUCKY K-12 Mathematics Coaches only. This group is for anyone working in Kentucky in a supportive role to teachers, which includes School Administrators. The KCM created this collegial support group so mathematics coaches throughout the Commonwealth could network and connect with each other. Together, this group will explore coaching resources and discuss ways to support teachers in their pedagogy and content knowledge grounded in Kentucky Academic Standards.

This 2025-2026 Collegial Support Group for Kentucky Math Coaches includes the following:

- 1. Seven 1-hour monthly ZOOM meetings on Friday afternoons where participants can interact with fellow KY math coaches and learn from KCM Leaders including Director Cindy Aossey and Faculty Associate Dee Crescitelli, along with other special guest speakers.*
- 2. Opportunities to connect and collaborate with KY math coaches to share ideas and experiences.*
- 3. Active participants will receive the book Rough Draft Math by Amanda Jansen.*
- 4. Because virtual is great but in-person is better, the KCM will hold a special, invitation-only, get-together session for this group at the 2026 KCM Conference in Lexington on March 9th or 10th.*

COST: FREE for Kentucky math coaches. (You must work as a math coach or administrator in a KY school or school district to join this group.)

LOCATION: Virtual ZOOM meetings

TIME: 2:00 - 3:00 pm Eastern (which is 1:00 - 2:00 pm Central)

DATES: 7 Select FRIDAYS - September 2025 through March 2026

- 1. September 19, 2025*
- 2. October 24, 2025*
- 3. November 21, 2025*
- 4. December 12, 2025*
- 5. January 16, 2026*
- 6. February 20, 2026*
- 7. March 27, 2026*

Kentucky math coaches may register at any time. You do not need to be able to attend every virtual ZOOM meeting to register and participate.

Help us spread the word! Please share this professional learning event with any Kentucky math coaches you know.

The monthly ZOOM meeting link will be emailed to all registered KY math coaches and school administrators by KCM Director Cindy Aossey or KCM Faculty Associate Dee Crescitelli. (cindy.aossey@outlook.com and crescited1@nku.edu) Those emails may go to your junk or spam folder so check there regularly after registering for this event.

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We hope you will take advantage of this wonderful professional learning opportunity designed specifically for Kentucky math coaches!

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11:30 AM - 12:30 PM EST

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LOCATION: Virtual ZOOM meetings

TIME: 11:30 am - 12:30 pm Eastern (which is 10:30 am - 11:30 am Central)

DATES: 7 Select WEDNESDAYS September 2025 through April 2026

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04:00 PM - 05:30 PM EST

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KCM Fluency Assessment Training - April 14, 2026 - VIRTUAL

DATE: Tuesday, April 14, 2026

TIME: 4:00 - 5:30 pm Eastern (which is 3:00 - 4:30 pm Central)

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April 25, 2026

2025-2026 Kentucky Math Teacher Leaders (KyMTL)

In person on 9/27/25 & 4/28/26 = Hotel in Lexington, KY. The monthly virtual meetings meet via ZOOM

09:00 AM - 03:00 PM EST

KyMTL Leader Facilitator Funda Gonulates, 859-572-7690

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This professional learning and support group was formed by the Kentucky Center for Mathematics (KCM) in 2020; and since that first year, the passionate members have advanced their careers and helped bring about positive changes in their classrooms, schools, and districts! (You can view the current and past KyMTLs on the the KCM website's KYMTL page under the LEADERS tab.) There is no cost for Kentucky teachers to participate in this group. Participants attend the monthly ZOOM meetings and in-person workshops facilitated by KCM Faculty Associate/NKU Education Associate Professor Funda Gonulates or other invited guest speakers who are leaders in mathematics education.

2025-2026 KyMTL MEETING SCHEDULE:

Saturday, September 27 (9:00 AM–3:00 PM ET)

In-person Kickoff in Lexington; location name & address will be provided to registered KyMTLs.

Overnight accommodations available if needed for the night before.

Registration deadline = September 10.

October Session Options:

Wednesday, October 22 (4:45–6:00 PM ET)

OR

Saturday, October 25 (8:00–9:15 AM ET)

November Session Options:

Wednesday, November 19 (4:45–6:00 PM ET)

OR

Saturday, November 22 (8:00–9:15 AM ET)

December Session Options:

Wednesday, December 10 (4:45–6:00 PM ET)

OR

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January Session Options:

Wednesday, January 14 (4:45–6:00 PM ET)

OR

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February Session Options:

Wednesday, February 18 (4:45–6:00 PM ET)

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Saturday, April 25 (9:00 AM–3:00 PM ET)

In-person End-of-Year Gathering in Lexington; location name & address will be provided

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