

# NMEC

Northern Maine Education Collaborative

A Northern Maine Regional coalition of school systems, organizations, and individuals committed to supporting learner-centered proficiency-based education in Northern Maine school systems and committed to successful advocacy and promotion of the model with all stakeholders

**The NMEC Mission:  
"To lead the development,  
implementation and promotion  
of learner-centered proficiency based  
learning."**

**NMEC Desired Outcomes for 2013-2014:**

- **First Steps/First Year Awareness Plan in Place in NMEC Member Systems**
- **District and School Leadership Teams in Place in NMEC Member Systems**
- **PBE Awareness Sessions Offered Locally by NMEC Member Systems**
- **An Implementation Plan for a Proficiency-Based Diploma in NMEC Member Systems**

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**LEARN**

## NMEC CALENDAR - 2013-2014

- Sept. 12** 12:30 – 2:30 • **NMEC Board Member Orientation**  
*Aroostook Rm*
- **Development of the 2013-2014 NMEC Plan**
  - **Other NMEC Business**

### **Oct. 8**

- Allagash Rm* 9:00 – 12:00 • **Hot Topic: Teacher Evaluation**  
• Open to a total of 2-4 Administrators/Teacher Leaders/Other Reps from NMEC Member Systems
- Aroostook Rm* 1:00 – 2:30 • **After The Hot Topic: Team Work Time**  
• Optional Work Time for Hot Topic Participants
- Allagash Rm* 12:30 – 2:30 • **NMEC Board: Shared Leadership Teams for Proficiency Based Education (PBE)**  
• Open to Supt. plus 1 other rep from NMEC Systems

### **Oct. 9**

- Alumni Room* 9:00 – 2:30 • **Leadership Team Development Boot Camp**  
• How to develop shared leadership teams to lead the PBE work  
• What's Working with Teams Locally and Elsewhere  
• Open to the chair and 1-3 other members of local district leadership teams

### **Nov. 12**

- Allagash Rm* 9:00 – 12:00 • **Hot Topic: All About Standards**  
• Open to a total of 2-4 Administrators/Teacher Leaders/Other Reps from NMEC Member Systems
- Aroostook Rm* 1:00 – 2:30 • **After The Hot Topic: Team Work Time**  
• Optional Work Time for Hot Topic Participants
- Allagash Rm* 12:30 – 2:30 • **NMEC Board: Spreading The Word about PBE**  
• Initial and On-Going PBE Awareness at the Board, School, and Community Levels  
• Open to Supt. and 1 other rep from NMEC Systems

### **Nov. 13**

- Allagash Rm* 9:00 – 2:30 • **Leadership Team Development Boot Camp**  
• Understanding the Big Picture of PBE: Are We All On the Same Page?  
• How to Develop Initial and Ongoing PBE Awareness for Students, Community, Schools, and School Boards  
• Open to the chair and 1-3 other members of local district leadership teams

## NMEC CALENDAR – 2013-2014

### Jan. 14

- Allagash Rm* 9:00 – 12:00 • **Hot Topic - Teaching in a Standards Based System: Classroom Organization and Instruction**
- Open to a total of 2-4 Administrators/Teacher Leaders/Other Reps from NMEC Member Systems
- Aroostook Rm* 1:00 – 2:30 • **After The Hot Topic: Team Work Time**
- Optional Work Time for Hot Topic Participants
- Allagash Rm* 12:30 – 2:30 • **NMEC Board: Proficiency Based Diploma: Status of the Work in NMEC Member Systems and Elsewhere**
- Open to Supt. and 1 other rep from NMEC System

### Jan. 15

- Alumni Rm* 9:00 – 2:30 • **Proficiency-Based Diploma Boot Camp:**
- A Special Session for Local Leadership Team Reps, HS Principals, and HS Teacher Leaders (2-4 total per system)
  - Focus: Leading the Work on PB Diplomas
  - Sharing of Participant Systems' Best Practices
  - Learning About The Work Elsewhere
  - Team Time to Work on Local Planning

### Feb. 11

- Allagash Rm* 9:00 – 12:00 • **Hot Topic: Formative Assessment**
- Open to a total of 2-4 Administrators/Teacher Leaders/Other Reps from NMEC Member Systems
- Aroostook Rm* 1:00 – 2:30 • **After The Hot Topic: Team Work Time**
- Optional Work Time for Hot Topic Participants
- Allagash Rm* 12:30 – 2:30 • **NMEC Board: The Current State of Curricular Work in the County and Elsewhere**
- Open to Supt. and 1 other rep from NMEC Systems

### Feb. 12

- CC Room 118* 9:00 – 2:30 • **Leadership Team Development Boot Camp: Local Curricular Planning**
- Where did we/do we start?
  - Where are we now?
  - Where are we going next?
  - Best Practices, Models, Resources
  - Open to the chair and 1-3 other members of local district leadership teams

## NMEC CALENDAR – 2013-2014

### Mar. 11

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| <i>Allagash Rm</i>  | 9:00 – 12:00 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Hot Topic: Grading and Reporting Practices</b></li><li>• Open to a total of 2-4 Administrators/Teacher Leaders/Other Reps from NMEC Member</li></ul> |
| <i>Aroostook Rm</i> | 1:00 – 2:30  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>After The Hot Topic: Team Work Time</b></li><li>• Optional Work Time for Hot Topic Participants</li></ul>  |
| <i>Allagash Rm</i>  | 12:30 – 2:30 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>NMEC Board: A PD Roadmap for PBE</b></li><li>• Open to Supt. and 1 other rep from NMEC Systems</li></ul>   |

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| <i>Allagash Rm</i> | 9:00 – 2:30 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Leadership Team Development Boot Camp: PD Planning for PBE</b></li><li>• What are we doing now?</li><li>• Where are we going next?</li><li>• Best Practices, Models, Resources</li><li>• Open to the chair and 1-3 other members of local district leadership teams</li></ul> |
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### Apr. 9

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| <i>Allagash Rm</i>  | 9:00 – 12:00 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Hot Topic TBA</b></li><li>• Open to a total of 2-4 Administrators/Teacher Leaders/Other Reps from NMEC Member</li></ul>                                       |
| <i>Aroostook Rm</i> | 1:00 – 2:30  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>After The Hot Topic: Team Work Time</b></li><li>• Optional Work Time for Hot Topic Participants</li></ul>   |
| <i>Allagash Rm</i>  | 12:30-2:30   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>NMEC Board – The World Café and The Future Search – Models for Visioning and Planning</b></li><li>• Open to Supt. and 1 Other Rep from NMEC Systems</li></ul> |

### May 13

*Allagash Rm* TBA

### June 10

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