



• What Does Proficiency-Based, Personalized Learning Look Like in Our Classrooms? •

Presenter: Wendy Cohen, M.Ed.

Course Overview: This course provides teachers, administrators and other educators with an opportunity for guided inquiry and facilitated discussion within the context of Vermont's Act 77. Participants in this course will carry out action research focused on growing their understanding of the principles and practices of proficiency-based, student-centered learning, with an end goal of implementing and/or embedding aspects of this learning in their work with students. Participants will improve their students' educational experience through increased understanding of personalization and proficiency-based instruction, as well as what it looks like to implement these practices in the classroom.

Class Dates: Each class meeting will be a 3-hour face-to-face session at Hartford Memorial Middle School. There will be additional online work between sessions.

1st meeting: Opening ceremonies (May 30)

2nd meeting: Sharing of work in progress and getting feedback (September 5)

3rd meeting: Sharing of work in progress and getting feedback (October 17)

4th meeting: Exhibition - closing ceremonies (December 5)

Wendy Cohen is Director of Professional Development Programs and Supports for the Vermont Higher Education Collaborative (VT-HEC). She teaches courses and facilitates professional development in the areas of proficiency-based learning, building & sustaining leadership, and creating collaborative learning culture. Wendy began her career in education as a middle school teacher at Hunt Middle School in Burlington, VT.

Dates: May 30, Sept 5, Oct 17, Dec 5 plus online work

Cost: \$1590/person for 3 graduate credits through
Castleton University

Place: Hartford Memorial Middle School

Time: 3:00 - 6:00 PM

[Register Now!](#)



Use our [website](#) for registration, and [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#) for additional news, resources, articles, etc.