

Join a community of learners focused on strengthening science teaching practices with hands-on experience and support!

Reap the benefits of an investment in the Cereal City Science program through curriculum-based professional learning.





The Cereal City Science (CCS) Teacher Cohort Program is designed to help districts get the most out of their investment in the CCS program by providing ongoing and evolving curriculum support for teachers that teach CCS units. The goal of the program is to maximize teacher use of the curriculum by deepening their understanding and application of instructional strategies and opportunities that are available within each CCS unit.

Through three online, after school workshops (per unit), teachers will have the opportunity to enhance their knowledge and understanding of three-dimensional, phenomenon-based science teaching and learning in a supportive and collaborative space. Sessions will delve into topics such as, multiple literacy integration (mathematics, ELA, technology), Science Talk, modeling, question formulation technique (QFT), learning progressions, and assessment. Teachers and facilitators will participate in science and engineering practices, share student artifacts, develop and share best teaching practices, and troubleshoot based on teacher needs.

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2021-22 Cohort Training - Grades 3-5

Deadline to register for training is one week prior to the first scheduled series session date.

Cohort Unit Training - What you'll need:

Teacher Guide

- If you do not already have a teacher guide, you will need to place an order for one.
- To order, send a district PO to twells@bcamsc.org.

Laptop

- You will need access to a computer or laptop
- The training will be held using Zoom-an invitation will be sent to you two days prior to your session.
- The CCS online component will be used. Additionally, there may be opportunities to explore
 ways to integrate computer science standards for some units through free, web-based
 programs such as SageModeler and ArcGIS.

Cancellation Policy

- Cancellations must be made 24 hours prior to the start of the first scheduled series session date.
- If you do not cancel and do not attend, you will be charged the predetermined rate for the workshop.

Cereal City Science reserves the right to cancel any Cohort Training if the minimum enrollment (3) has not been met. Maximum enrollment per series is 15 participants.

Sessions take place online after school from 4pm to 5:30pm.

Cohort Series	Title	Session Dates (2021-22)	
5PNG	Structure and Properties of Matter	Dec. 2, Jan. 11, Feb. 9	
4PNG	Energy and Waves	Dec. 9, Jan. 18, Feb. 15	
3PNG	Forces and Interactions	Dec. 16, Jan. 25, Feb. 22	
5LNG	Matter and Energy in an Ecosystem	Mar. 8, Apr. 5, May 3	
4LNG	Structure, Function, and Information Processing	Mar. 15, Apr. 12, May 10	
3LNG	Life Cycles and Survival in an Ecosystem	Mar. 22, Apr. 19, May 17	

For questions regarding Teacher Cohort Training, please contact Sandy Erwin at (269) 213-3908 or serwin@bcamsc.org.



Cereal City Science Teacher Cohort Training Registration Form

District:	Building:
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You must have your principal's signature for this form to be valid. Please keep a copy for your records. The deadline to register is one week prior to the first scheduled training session. We reserve the right to cancel training if the minimum enrollment is not met.

Please make sure that the email is readable as that is how the participant will be invited to the training.

Fax or email to BCAMSC Attn: In-service (269) 965-9540 or cindy@bcamsc.org

Principal's Signature: Date:

Cohort Series	In-Service Date	Participant	Email Address	Phone	Have Current/ Updated Teacher Guide