

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

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Fall 2026 Professional Development Workshops

William Paterson University is excited to provide professional development workshops to engage educators in areas of interest and grade level. Please join us to reinvigorate, reinforce, and restore your passion for and practices of the teaching profession.

The workshops offered support ***Empowered Classrooms: Strategies for Engagement, Ownership, and Impact; Thriving in the Modern Classroom: Strategies for Today's Dynamic Learning Environment; and Designing Engaging Learning Experiences for Every Student.*** You will find in this document workshops are first listed by date, modality, and then by theme.

Advanced registration is required. You may register using this [REGISTRATION LINK](#) or QR code.



Please enter the requested information and then click on the workshop(s) you plan to attend.

Workshops are conducted in person on the campus of William Paterson University or virtual workshops via Zoom.

Dates	In Person Paired Workshops	Time
Wednesday, October 14, 2026	Enhancing Student Engagement and a Positive Classroom Culture	1pm - 3pm
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Tuesday, October 6, 2026

Organized to Grow!

Description: This workshop will focus on classroom structures that empower students to take ownership of their learning. Participants will learn strategies to transform their classrooms into spaces that support student independence and academic success. Participants will be shown visual tools, labels, and structures that will empower students to self-manage materials and tasks, thereby reducing teacher workload.

Audience: K-5 Teachers

Theme: Empowered Classrooms: Strategies for Engagement, Ownership, and Impact

Presenter(s): Laura Avalone, Teacher, Newark Public Schools

Time: 5pm - 7pm

Modality: Virtual

Tuesday, October 6, 2026

More Than Decoration: Using Classroom Displays as Teaching Tools in Preschool

Description: Classroom walls and displays are far more than decoration. When designed intentionally, they become dynamic teaching tools that support children's learning every single day. This workshop invites preschool teachers to reimagine their classroom environments by exploring how displays can build vocabulary, reinforce concepts, celebrate children's work, and spark meaningful conversations. Participants will examine real examples of high-impact displays, practice creating interactive and print-rich environments, and reflect on how their current classroom setup supports, or may unintentionally limit, children's engagement and independence. Leave with fresh ideas and a practical plan for transforming your classroom walls into a learning environment that works as hard as you do.

Audience: PreK Teachers

Theme: Empowered Classrooms: Strategies for Engagement, Ownership, and Impact

Presenter(s): Amanda Colon, WP Professor in Residence

Time: 5pm-7pm

Modality: Virtual

Thursday, October 8, 2026

Strategies for Vocabulary Acquisition

Description: This professional development explores effective, research-based strategies for building students' vocabulary across all grade levels and content areas. Participants will learn practical techniques for explicitly teaching academic vocabulary, word-learning strategies, and meaningful word exposure through reading, discussion, and writing. The session emphasizes engaging instructional practices that promote long-term vocabulary retention and language development. Teachers will leave with ready-to-use strategies to strengthen comprehension, communication, and overall student achievement.

Audience: PreK Teachers, K-5 Teachers, 6-8 Teachers, 9-12 Teachers, Academic Support Staff

Theme: Thriving in the Modern Classroom: Strategies for Today's Dynamic Learning Environment

Presenter(s): Jonathan Raditch, Reading Specialist, Paterson Public Schools

Time: 5pm - 7pm

Modality: Virtual

Wednesday, October 14, 2026

Ready, Set, Thrive! Mastering Management, Routines, and a Culture of Joy in K-5 Classrooms

Description: Set yourself, and your students, up for success with this workshop, designed specifically for elementary educators. Participants will explore strategies for building strong routines and procedures, creating consistent systems of consequences and rewards, managing challenging behaviors, and fostering positive peer relationships. With these tools in hand, you will create a classroom environment where students feel motivated, supported, and excited to learn!

Audience: K-5 Teachers

Theme: Empowered Classrooms: Strategies for Engagement, Ownership, and Impact

Presenter(s): Hope Deller, Teacher, Weehawken Public Schools

Time: 10am - 12pm

Modality: In Person

Wednesday, October 14, 2026

Enhancing Student Engagement and a Positive Classroom Culture

Description: Workshop participants will discuss the difference between rules vs. responsibilities and ways and reasons to incorporate movement in a classroom as well as encouraging student discussion and interaction in every period.

Audience: K-5 Teachers

Theme: Empowered Classrooms: Strategies for Engagement, Ownership, and Impact

Presenter(s): Diane Kwitnicki, WP Professor in Residence and Clinical Supervisor

Time: 1pm - 3pm

Modality: In Person

Tuesday, October 20, 2026

Introduction to Learning Stations/Centers

Description: Learning stations (also known as centers or station rotation) are an engaging way to teach your students, and they're not just for primary grades! Stations allow your students to build independence on their way to learning new skills and concepts, while also allowing you to differentiate and spend time with students in small groups. In this workshop, you will learn how to structure your class for stations. We will talk through how to establish the routines and procedures that will make stations successful for you and your students.

Audience: PreK Teachers, K-5 Teachers, 6-8 Teachers, 9-12 Teachers, School Administration, Academic Support Staff
Theme: Designing Engaging Learning Experiences for Every Student

Presenter(s): Jean Schoenlank, WP Professor in Residence and Clinical Supervisor

Time: 10am - 12pm

Modality: In Person

Tuesday, October 20, 2026

The Intentional Classroom: Where Space, Structure, and Students Thrive

Description: This interactive workshop invites educators to rethink the classroom as a powerful tool for learning, behavior, and student well-being. Participants will explore how intentional design through furniture arrangement, organization systems, and calming elements can transform both instruction and classroom culture. Through real classroom examples, hands-on redesign activities, and practical strategies, teachers will learn how to create spaces that promote independence, reduce distractions, and support all learners. Walk away with actionable ideas to immediately improve function, flow, and focus in your classroom.

Audience: PreK Teachers, K-5 Teachers, 6-8 Teachers

Theme: Thriving in the Modern Classroom: Strategies for Today's Dynamic Learning Environment

Presenter(s): Dr. Adriana Battista, WP Professor in Residence and Clinical Supervisor

Time: 1pm - 3pm

Modality: In Person

Wednesday, October 21, 2026

A Targeted Approach to Enhancing Questioning and Discussion Within the Classroom

Description: The Danielson Framework for Teaching (2013) emphasized teacher performance as the primary indicator of effective instruction. In contrast, the updated Danielson Framework for Teaching (2022) shifts the focus toward student-centered learning, prioritizing student autonomy, ownership, and critical thinking.

In this workshop, participants will explore these key updates, in particular domain 3, and examine how instructional practices can evolve to better support active student engagement. Through intentional planning, teachers can create learning environments that promote meaningful questioning, rich academic discourse, and outcomes-driven instruction

Audience: K-5 Teachers, 6-8 Teachers, 9-12 Teachers, School Administration, Academic Support Staff

Theme: Empowered Classrooms: Strategies for Engagement, Ownership, and Impact

Presenter(s): Jason Hernandez, Supervisor of CTE, NJROTC, Health & Physical Education, Orange Public Schools

Time: 5pm-7pm

Modality: Virtual

Wednesday, October 28, 2026

Designing Engaging Learning Experiences in an AI-Infused Classroom

Description: Traditional assignments often rely on completion and reproduction, which can limit student engagement and are increasingly vulnerable in the age of AI. This workshop introduces a practical design framework that helps teachers create learning experiences where students think, create, and reflect in meaningful ways. Through real classroom examples, participants will see how to design tasks that promote engagement, ownership, and integrity without relying on policing or restriction. Teachers will leave with concrete strategies they can apply to their own lessons immediately.

Audience: 6-8 Teachers, 9-12 Teachers

Theme: Designing Engaging Learning Experiences for Every Student

Presenter(s): Christopher Miller, Teacher Leader, Somerset County Public Schools

Time: 10am - 12pm

Modality: In Person

Wednesday, October 28, 2026

Learner Diversity and Increasing MS/HS Curriculum Access

Description: Participants will review practical ways to implement content area curriculum while focusing on tiering, scaffolding and differentiating for student success.

Audience: 6-8 Teachers, 9-12 Teachers, Academic Support Staff

Theme: Thriving in the Modern Classroom: Strategies for Today's Dynamic Learning Environment

Presenter(s): Cathy Nalesnik, WP Clinical Supervisor

Time: 1pm - 3pm

Modality: In Person

Thursday, October 29, 2026

The Power of Positive Classroom Management and Strategies

Description: In order to maximize learning in your classroom, educators need a classroom management blueprint with strategies for students with challenging behaviors. It is imperative to not only begin the year, but consistently integrate it throughout the year with clear expectations and consistent routines, as well as cultivate a positive environment in the classroom. In this impactful workshop, participants will explore practical strategies and classroom management techniques to foster student engagement as students learn to take ownership of their behavior for maximum instructional impact. All will leave with a plan and strategies for effective classroom management where learners can thrive all year.

Audience: K-5 Teachers, 6-8 Teachers, 9-12 Teachers, School Administration, Academic Support Staff

Theme: Empowered Classrooms: Strategies for Engagement, Ownership, and Impact

Presenter(s): Tina Kern, WP Professor in Residence and Clinical Supervisor

Time: 5pm - 7pm

Modality: Virtual

Tuesday, November 10, 2026

Reading Levels, Rubrics, and Redesigning Assessments with AI

Description: AI is a tool for differentiation. This workshop explores how AI tools can be used for leveling and scaffolding readings to make them accessible to students on different levels. It also explores the creation of rubrics using AI, which can be used as student self-assessment tools and using AI for redesigning traditional assessments to focus on process over final product for measuring students' progress.

Audience: 6-8 Teachers, 9-12 Teachers, School Administration, Academic Support Staff

Theme: Designing Engaging Learning Experiences for Every Student

Presenter(s): Carol Bruzzano, WP Professor in Residence and Clinical Supervisor

Time: 5pm - 7pm

Modality: Virtual

Thursday, November 12, 2026

Make Time for Science by Integrating Children's Literature

Description: Elementary teachers usually struggle to find time to teach science in a time-limited day. By using children's books to engage students, areas such as reading, vocabulary, and comprehension can be addressed while connecting the book to science activities and investigations. The science standards reflect a three dimensional approach, including disciplinary core ideas, science and engineering practices, and cross cutting concepts.

Audience: K-5 Teachers

Theme: Designing Engaging Learning Experiences for Every Student

Presenter(s): Eva M. Ogens, WP Professor in Residence and Clinical Supervisor

Time: 10am - 12pm

Modality: In Person

Thursday, November 12, 2026

Roots & Wonder: A Hands-On Gardening Workshop for Pre-K Teachers

Description: Discover the power of dirt, seeds, and growing things! This interactive workshop equips Pre-K teachers with playful, low-cost gardening activities that nurture children's sense of wonder while building foundational skills across literacy, math, and science. Participants will get hands-on experience with simple planting techniques, nature-based sensory exploration, and strategies for integrating the garden into everyday learning. No green thumb required. Walk away with a toolkit of classroom-ready ideas that can be adapted for any setting, from a windowsill planter to a full outdoor garden bed.

Audience: PreK Teachers

Theme: Designing Engaging Learning Experiences for Every Student

Presenter(s): Amanda Colon and Gisela Ferrer, WP Professors in Residence

Time: 1pm - 3pm

Modality: In Person

Tuesday, November 17, 2026

Small Group, Big Impact: Designing Intentional Small Group Instruction in Pre-K

Description: Small group time is one of the most powerful, and often underutilized, instructional opportunities in the preschool day. This workshop helps experienced Pre-K teachers move beyond routine small group rotations and design targeted, intentional experiences that meet children exactly where they are. Participants will explore how to use observational data and formative assessment to plan small group lessons that are responsive, differentiated, and connected to meaningful learning goals. Walk away with a practical framework for planning, facilitating, and reflecting on small group instruction that maximizes every minute with your learners.

Audience: PreK Teachers

Theme: Designing Engaging Learning Experiences for Every Student

Presenter(s): Amanda Colon, WP Professor in Residence

Time: 5pm - 7pm

Modality: Virtual

Wednesday, November 18, 2026

The Heart of the Block: Strategic & Effective Small Group Instruction

Description: This workshop empowers educators to design data-driven, flexible grouping strategies that address unique student needs and accelerate learning. Participants will learn to focus on specific learning goals to plan activities, as well as focusing on high-impact instruction. By implementing these routines, teachers can meaningfully engage students in active, collaborative learning rather than passive instruction.

Audience: K-5 Teachers, 6-8 Teachers

Theme: Designing Engaging Learning Experiences for Every Student

Presenter(s): Jacqueline Tomczyk, Vice-Principal, Newark Public Schools

Time: 5pm-7pm

Modality: Virtual

Thursday, November 19, 2026

Bringing Math to Life Through Responsive Teaching

Description: Teachers will participate in various activities such as My Favorite Number, gallery walks, Would you rather, 3 Act math, etc. to engage students and to respond to student learning.

Audience: K-5 Teachers, 6-8 Teachers, Academic Support Staff

Theme: Designing Engaging Learning Experiences for Every Student

Presenter(s): Rosemarie Chromey, WP Clinical Supervisor and Adjunct Instructor

Time: 10am - 12pm

Modality: In Person

Thursday, November 19, 2026

Math Centers

Description: Discover a variety of math manipulatives and instructional resources designed to support the creation of engaging, adaptable math centers. These strategies can be customized to address diverse topics across grade levels and mathematical disciplines. Additionally, explore effective approaches to organizing student groups, allowing you to tailor instruction to meet the unique needs of your classroom.

Audience: K-5 Teachers, 6-8 Teachers, Academic Support Staff

Theme: Designing Engaging Learning Experiences for Every Student

Presenter(s): Maureen Lee, WP Professor in Residence and Clinical Supervisor

Time: 1pm - 3pm

Modality: In Person

Tuesday, November 24, 2026

Reaching all Students: Strategies for Increasing Engagement while Decreasing Behavior Issues

Description: Participants will explore strategies that simultaneously boost student engagement and reduce disruptive behaviors. This session highlights proactive approaches that help educators create classrooms where every student feels connected, supported, and motivated to learn. Attendees will also learn how to strengthen relationships to foster a thriving learning environment for all.

Audience: K-5 Teachers, 6-8 Teachers

Theme: Designing Engaging Learning Experiences for Every Student

Presenter(s): Christopher Camizzi, Vice-Principal, North Bergen Public Schools

Time: 5pm-7pm

Modality: In Person

Wednesday, December 02, 2026

From Observation to Documentation. Child Initiated Projects in Preschool Classrooms

Description: What kinds of things do young children find interesting? What kinds of experiences are meaningful to them. How can we observe and follow their leads to develop authentic and enriching curriculum? How do we document children's experiences to make learning visible? Are there ways to include parents in the classroom activities? These questions and more will be explored!

Audience: PreK Teachers

Theme: Designing Engaging Learning Experiences for Every Student

Presenter(s): Carolyn E. Tebbetts, WP Professor in Residence

Time: 5pm-7pm

Modality: Virtual

Thursday, December 03, 2026

The Power of Connection: Why Student-Teacher Relationships Matter

Description: The Power of Connection: Why Student–Teacher Relationships Matter is an engaging, research-based workshop that shows educators how meaningful relationships drive student engagement, motivation, behavior, and academic success. Participants will explore practical strategies for building trust, fostering emotional safety, and creating culturally responsive connections that make every learner feel seen and valued. Through real classroom examples and interactive reflection, educators will learn how connection transforms engagement and elevates their professional practice. This workshop empowers teachers to walk away with actionable tools they can use immediately to strengthen relationships and ignite student growth and impact.

Audience: K-5 Teachers, 6-8 Teachers, School Administration, Academic Support Staff

Theme: Empowered Classrooms: Strategies for Engagement, Ownership, and Impact

Presenter(s): Grace Alves, Teacher, Paterson Public Schools

Time: 5pm-7pm

Modality: Virtual

Wednesday, December 09, 2026

Engaging and Motivating Gifted Students to Create Learning Experiences for All Students

Description: How do we keep gifted students motivated and interested in school? This workshop will introduce instructional strategies in Gifted Education on how to motivate and differentiate instruction to keep students engaged and invested in the classroom. We will also review resources to be used in the classroom and create a connection at home with parents, caregivers and students.

Audience: K-5 Teachers, 6-8 Teachers, School Administration, Academic Support Staff

Theme: Designing Engaging Learning Experiences for Every Student

Presenter(s): Karen O'Ferrell, WP Professor in Residence

Time: 5pm-7pm

Modality: Virtual

Thursday, December 10, 2026

Empowered Classrooms: Strategies for Engagement, Ownership, and Impact

Description: Participants will gain insight into how language acquisition develops over time and how factors such as identity, peer relationships, and cultural adjustment can impact learning during the pubertal years vs younger age learners. Teachers will learn effective scaffolding techniques, communication strategies, and classroom practices that promote engagement, inclusion, and academic success for multilingual learners.

Audience: K-5 Teachers, 6-8 Teachers, 9-12 Teachers

Theme: Empowered Classrooms: Strategies for Engagement, Ownership, and Impact

Presenter(s): Margo Fidurska, ML Teacher and District Coordinator, East Rutherford Public Schools

Time: 10am - 12pm

Modality: In Person

Thursday, December 10, 2026

From Passive Reading to Active Thinking

Description: Are your students reading but not truly understanding the text? This workshop equips teachers with structured, research-based routines that actively engage students in making meaning. Teachers will explore comprehension practices such as questioning, determining the gist, and monitoring understanding to shift students from passive reading to active thinking. Learn how to design lessons that increase student talk, collaboration, and purposeful interaction with grade-level texts, so every student is engaged and thinking deeply.

Audience: 6-8 Teachers

Theme: Designing Engaging Learning Experiences for Every Student

Presenter(s): Janiki Watley, Supervisor of Language Arts, Paterson Public Schools & Felesha Armstrong, Vice-Principal, Paterson Public Schools

Time: 1pm - 3pm

Modality: In Person

Wednesday, December 16, 2026

Strategies for Struggling Middle School Readers

Description: This professional development provides educators with research-based strategies to support struggling middle school readers and increase reading achievement. Participants will explore instructional practices that strengthen fluency, vocabulary, comprehension, and reading stamina while meeting the diverse needs of adolescent learners. The session emphasizes practical, engaging techniques that can be implemented immediately across content areas. Teachers will leave with classroom-ready tools to build students' confidence, independence, and success as readers.

Audience: 6-8 Teachers, Academic Support Staff

Theme: Thriving in the Modern Classroom: Strategies for Today's Dynamic Learning Environment

Presenter(s): Jonathan Raditch, Reading Specialist, Paterson Public Schools

Time: 5pm-7pm

Modality: Virtual

Workshop at a Glance: By Date

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