



MCIEA QPA Institute

August 16 & August 17, 2017

8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Location: Best Western, Marlborough

Goals

- Get to know one another's schools and performance assessment practices. Build common language aligned with the QPA Framework and Guide.
- Explore a range of strategies to support the collaborative design of performance assessments.
- Develop practices for designing well aligned, accessible, cognitively complex performance assessment.

Norms for Collaboration

- Honor our learning and be respectful of the work of the teacher and student.
- Keep the conversation constructive; avoid judgmental language.
- Trust the process: participate open and actively.
- Foster equity of voice and shared air time.
- Don't skip the debrief process.

Day 1 Agenda

Time	Activity
8:00	Arrival/Registration
8:30	Opening <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome • Introductions & Connections • What is MCIEA?
9:15	Introduction to QPA Framework & Quality Criteria
9:30	In Focus: Cognitive Rigor
10:00	Stretch Break
10:15	Looking at Assessment Work Protocol (Tool 14) & Examining a Performance Assessment
11:45	Pre-Survey for QPA Evaluation
12:00	Lunch
12:45	Team Time: Reflection & Connection
1:15	Task Design Experience
2:45	Closing & Next Steps
3:00	Enjoy your Afternoon!

Day 2 Agenda

Time	Activity
8:00	Arrival/Registration
8:30	MCIEA Q & A: Governing Board, School Quality Measures, & QPA
9:00	In Focus: Exploring Culturally Responsive Assessment
10:15	Stretch Break
10:30	Performance Assessment Design: Tool 8 & Design Time
12:00	Lunch
12:45	Rubric Basics: Cookie Monster
1:45	Team Time: Year at a Glance
2:45	Closing & Next Steps
3:00	Enjoy your Afternoon!