

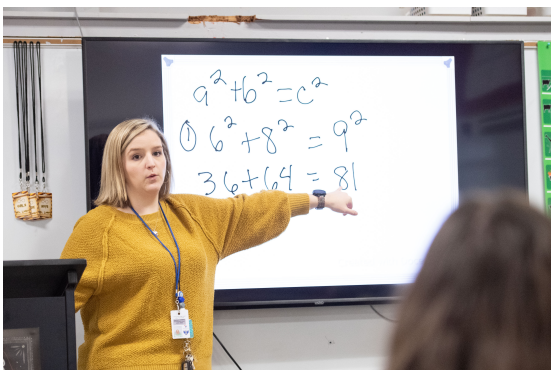


Lead Professional Educator Designation Pathway

NIET's training and support for teachers seeking the Lead Professional Educator Designation empowers participants to grow as teacher leaders, leverage instructional expertise, make data-driven decisions, and foster collaborative partnerships. Teachers attend and engage in four core teacher leadership-focused trainings, each divided into synchronous and asynchronous virtual sessions over the course of seven days, and individualized support from an NIET Specialist.

Spring Cohorts: TBD

Please email Amy Gayle, agayle@niet.org if you are interested in getting registered for the 2025 cohorts



Our session includes:

- Building Foundational Leadership Structures for Teachers
- Leveraging Instructional Expertise for Continuous Improvement
- Using High-Quality Data to Drive Decision Making
- Facilitating Growth for Others Through Collaborative Partnerships

Overview	
Who?	Individuals interested in earning Lead Professional Educator Designation to be considered an experienced mentor by Arkansas DESE
What?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 7 virtual sessions (synchronous/asynchronous)• Half-day individualized coaching and support visit per participant• Performance tasks between each training date
Cost?	\$2,000/participant

*Due to demand, there is a potential for additional cohort starts throughout the year.