

# PGS Portal Community of Practice

## Year At-A-Glance



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| Date and Link  | Topic  |
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| August 20, 2025<br>at 10:00 a.m.<br><a href="#">Click here to join!</a>    | <b>Setting Up for Success</b><br><br>This session will address both district administrator setup for observer assignments and an initial observation tool orientation for school administrators.   |
| September 17, 2025<br>at 10:00 a.m.<br><a href="#">Click here to join!</a> | <b>Informal Observation Deep Dive</b><br><br>This session will provide administrator training on PGS Portal goal-setting, scripting, and feedback tools for informal observations while offering a chance to share best practices.   |
| October 22, 2025<br>at 10:00 a.m.<br><a href="#">Click here to join!</a>   | <b>Strengthening Practice: Informal Observations</b><br><br>This session will offer a chance for administrators to debrief lessons learned from recent informal observations and discuss any challenges or ideas for ongoing PGS Portal improvement.   |
| November 19, 2025<br>at 10:00 a.m.<br><a href="#">Click here to join!</a>  | <b>Spotlighting Practice: Informal Observations</b><br><br>This session will provide administrators with an opportunity to share insights gained from recent informal observations, exchange best practices, and share resources used alongside the PGS Portal. Participants will also have the chance to discuss any challenges they've encountered to foster continuous enhancement of the system. |
| December 10, 2025<br>at 10:00 a.m.<br><a href="#">Click here to join!</a>  | <b>Midyear Reflections and Transitions</b><br><br>This session will offer a chance to step back and reflect on any PGS-related goals for the new year as well as answering any PGS Designee questions related to midyear staffing shifts.  |

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| <p>January 21, 2026<br/>at 10:00 a.m.</p> <p><a href="#">Click here to join!</a></p>  | <p><b>Data-Aligned Professional Development</b></p> <p>This session will provide an overview of the PGS Portal data dashboard, helping participants analyze trends in district setup and PGS data across standards. Participants will be able to review current PGS data, identify needs, and plan targeted, PGS-aligned professional development opportunities to support teachers and staff.</p> |
| <p>February 25, 2026<br/>at 10:00 a.m.</p> <p><a href="#">Click here to join!</a></p> | <p><b>Formal Observation Deep Dive</b></p> <p>This session will provide administrator training on PGS Portal goal setting, scripting, and feedback tools for formal observations while giving participants the chance to share their own best practices.</p>   |
| <p>March 25, 2026<br/>at 10:00 a.m.</p> <p><a href="#">Click here to join!</a></p>    | <p><b>Strengthening Practice: Formal Observations</b></p> <p>This session will offer a chance for administrators to debrief lessons learned from recent formal observations and discuss any challenges or ideas for ongoing PGS Portal improvement.</p>  |
| <p>April 15, 2026<br/>at 10:00 a.m.</p> <p><a href="#">Click here to join!</a></p>    | <p><b>Setting Up for Summative Score Submission</b></p> <p>This session will address considerations for summative scoring based on observation evidence and feedback collected throughout the year.</p>  |
| <p>May 20, 2026<br/>at 10:00 a.m.</p> <p><a href="#">Click here to join!</a></p>      | <p><b>Summative Score Submission and Summer PD Planning</b></p> <p>This session will address considerations for summative scoring based on observation evidence and feedback collected throughout the year as well as offering space to begin planning for summer PD opportunities.</p>  |

