Join the VEA’s NBCT PLF Community of Support

The NBCT PLF Community of Support is for NBCTs who serve as Professional Learning Facilitators in support of National Board candidates and advocate for National Board Certification in Virginia. Participation is optional and open to NBCTs who are PLFs affiliated with the Virginia Education Association or our National Board Affiliate Network Partners, SEVA NBCT Regional Network and Virginia NBCT Network. We hope this forum provides opportunities for meaningful relationship and community building as well as ongoing growth and support. There are two ways to engage with the NBCT PLF Community of Support.

EdCommunities offers an asynchronous space for discussion, support, and community building. To join, follow these instructions.

- **If you already have an EdCommunities account**, sign in to EdCommunities on NEA360 and request to join “VEA NBCT PLF Community of Support.” You can find this by searching Groups.
- **If you do not have an EdCommunities account**, set up your account:
  Use this link to access NEA 360 and select “Register for Access.”
  Next, complete the registration form. Once you have established your EdCommunities account, request to join “VEA NBCT PLF Community of Support.”

Once you are admitted to the group, you can post comments or questions, respond to peers, and share resources.

Live Chats via Zoom will be offered bi-monthly to provide an opportunity for virtual face-to-face conversation with other NBCT PLFs in our Community of Support. Gather to share ideas, discuss challenges, and stay current on the latest from NBPTS and our work to support National Board Certification. Sessions for 2022-2023 are schedule for the following dates and may be subject to change. Any necessary changes to the schedule will be shared with our Affiliate Network partners and posted on EdCommunities. Simply click the link below to join the meeting.

- **Monday, October 17 @ 6:30 p.m.**
- **Monday, December 12 @ 6:30 p.m.**
- **Monday, February 13 @ 6:30 p.m.**
- **Monday, April 24 @ 6:30 p.m.**

Questions? Want to learn about VEA’s support for National Board Certification?

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