What is Math LeaDs?

Math LeaDs will work closely with the math specialists at the Regional Math Center at ISU and other Math LeaDs across eastern Idaho to develop leadership capacity within the math teaching community.

What is expected?

There are three components: Training, Projects, and Learning Community.

LeaDs Training: Participants will receive online and live training in math content and pedagogy, as well as effective professional development practices.

LeaDs Projects: There are 3 main projects that each Math LeaD will complete.

- 1. Design and implement a professional development plan for your school, district, or surrounding area.
- 2. Present at our Regional Math Conference in June.
- 3. Math Investigation: Investigate and study the math behind one standard of your choice. Create a short presentation to help other teachers better understand this standard. Design success criteria for this standard.

LeaDs Learning Community: Math LeaDs will collaborate each month to develop a professional learning community. They will also attend a 1 day reflection seminar in June with all Math LeaDs.

How much time can I expect to contribute?

This is a robust teacher leadership development opportunity. It is anticipated that you will contribute approximately 5+ hours per week.

Is there compensation?

Yes. Each Math LeaD can receive up to \$4000.

The professional learning and research projects are at no cost to you and we will offer a payment to each participant. The amount will depend on the extent of your participation in the training, projects and community, with an first year annual maximum of \$4000.

Will there be credit available?

Yes. You will have the opportunity to purchase 3-6 PD credits at \$55/credit from ISU.





Math LeaDs

Math Leadership Development

Application Due: Friday, June 18, 2021

Math LeaDs Application

Name	Email
District	School
Teaching years	Leadership years
Current Job title	
Current/Previous math teaching experienc	ce: (please circle) Elementary, MS, HS, Admin,
Admin name	Email

Essay Questions

Why do you want to participate?

How do you envision you might influence math teaching through PD in your school, district, or area?



Email completed application and nomination forms to: <u>angiegodfrey@isu.edu</u> This work is funded by the Idaho State Department of Education and the Idaho Math Initiative.

Statements

By checking the boxes below, I am agreeing that I understand:

- The expectations for this project are considered outside my current district contract requirements.
- This project is designed to develop my skills as a leader as well as increase leadership capacity within eastern Idaho.
- In order to receive the full stipend (up to \$4000) I need to complete all the required training, projects, and presentations, which will be approximately 150-200 hours over the course of the school year.
- I need to also submit/have submitted a nomination form from a school or district leader that has the authority to approve and support my plan (which could consist of occasional sub days).
- □ I am committing to this project for the entire school year.

Please check if applicable:

□ The IRMC-ISU has enough funding for approximately 10 Math LeaDs. If the stipend is not available, are you still interested in participating?

□ I am participating as a part of my current position (coach, mentor, etc). I will spend contract time working as a Math LeaD. I will not qualify for the stipend.

Signature: _____

* You will need to have your administrative supervisor complete the Nomination form. (click here)

