



THE OFFICE OF BILINGUAL EDUCATION AND WORLD LANGUAGES

ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNER (ELL) LEADERSHIP COUNCIL

WHAT IS THE ELL LEADERSHIP COUNCIL?

The English Language Learner (ELL) Leadership Council is a group of approximately 90 Superintendent Designees from New York State (NYS) who meet regularly to discuss issues and best practices related to ELLs. The ELL Leadership Council meets twice a month, designated to include one (1) business meeting and one (1) professional learning opportunity.

WHY IS IT ESSENTIAL YOU JOIN THE ELL LEADERSHIP COUNCIL?

Joining the ELL Leadership Council is essential to ensuring your school district meets its obligations under CR Part 154, which mandates strategic plans to address the needs of English Language Learners (ELLs). Members collaborate to shape grade-appropriate, linguistically and academically rigorous instruction aligned with the Next Generation Learning Standards and the New York State Blueprint for ELL and ML Success, fostering equity, inclusion, and the success of ELL students.

BENEFITS OF JOINING

- Increase access to the eight (8) Regional Bilingual Education Resource Networks (RBERNs) for support.
- Network and collaborate with ELL District Leaders throughout NYS.
- Receive technical assistance with compliance and best practices.
- Improve pedagogical and compliance outcomes by attending Professional Learning opportunities that include but are not limited to:
 - Identification and placement
 - Leadership
 - Quality programs and instruction
 - Assessment and data informed planning
 - Staff qualifications



AT A GLANCE

MEETINGS

- Twice a month
- One (1) hour long

BENEFITS

- NYSED Business Updates
- Professional Learning Opportunities

INTERESTED?

Complete the [Interest Form](#)
or email us for more information.