

Strengthening Core Instruction: Early Literacy Curriculum-Based Professional Learning Summits



Save the Date!

Apply to join literacy leaders across the state for a series of three expert-led Early Literacy Curriculum-Based Professional Learning Summits during the 2026-27 school year, focused on strengthening core literacy instruction and expanding equitable access for all students. ODE will select a cohort of approximately 20 districts committed to using High-Quality Instructional Materials (HQIM) to ensure every student engages in meaningful, grade-level literacy learning.

The Goal: The Summits are designed to equip literacy leadership teams with the knowledge, tools, and collaborative space needed to strengthen core literacy instruction through HQIM implementation. Participants will also build a statewide community of leaders working to ensure consistent, equitable access to high-quality literacy experiences for every student.

Travel Stipends Available

Fill out the **interest form** to receive more information and a formal application in early August.

Email questions to
K12.Literacy@ode.oregon.gov.

Summit #1



October 16th, 2026

In Person

Tigard-Tualatin School
District, OR

Topics Include:

- Vision, systems, & routines that support high-quality HQIM implementation

Summit #2



January 2027

Virtual on Zoom

Topics Include:

- Curriculum-specific data & tools to support the implementation of 2 specific HQIM on Oregon's SBE-approved list

Summit #3



April 2027

In Person, Location TBD

Topics Include:

- PLCs & other teacher leadership structures to support lesson internalization and high-quality instruction
- Capacity-building efforts for instructional routines within HQIM

Stipends may be available to offset travel costs.