

Workshops

These 3-hour events are ideal as part of a staff development day, evening meetings, weekend mornings, or as part of a larger event like a local conference.

- Designed for school and district leaders or for classroom teachers
- Topics developed based on local needs
- Provides practical tools and resources participants can implement immediately

Additional Information

The *Opportunity Group* consultants are available to discuss the workshop, seminar or symposium that will best meet your needs.

You might also want to review recent related online agendas available at <http://theopportunitygroup.org>.

For further information or to schedule a workshop, please contact us at oppgrp@gmail.com.



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Education & Mobile Initiatives— BYOD, 1:1, and More

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The Opportunity Group offers top quality professional development for preK-12 educators in formats designed to suit your needs while providing school administrators and classroom teachers with the information and strategies they need to bolster their skills as Digital Age leaders.

Formats

- Workshops: 3 hour sessions
- Seminars: 6-hour sessions (1 or 2 days)
- Symposia: 5 6-hour sessions (2 days initially, then 3 1 day sessions)

Workshops, seminars, and symposia require a minimum of 10 participants.

Symposia cohorts consist of 10-20 participants (1 consultant per cohort)

All trainings are hands-on, requiring the mobile device and a computer for synching. Sessions may be scheduled in a computer lab or as a bring-your-own-laptop (BYOL) and mobile device event.

Consultants are also available to provide 1-hour concurrent sessions for conferences or meetings.

Symposium for School/District Leaders

This 5-day professional development program specifically targets school and district administrators, providing support to participants throughout the school year. Working in cohorts of 10-20 members each, participants develop and implement individual professional growth plans based upon use of mobile technologies as administrative tools. These plans are based on individual areas of need, as identified through a self-assessment.

Weekly participation in an online professional learning network between face-to-face sessions encourages participants to keep their focus and sustain their plans over time.

Topics include...

- ICT Standards for Administrators, Teachers, and Students
- Mobile Technology Skills
- Visionary Leadership
- Creating and Supporting Mobile Learning Environments
- Digital Citizenship

Leadership Seminars

1 and 2 day sessions focused on

- Productivity apps
- Classroom management and policy issues
- Effective mobile instruction

Symposium for Classroom Teachers

This 5-day professional development program specifically targets classroom teachers, providing support to participants throughout the school year. Working in cohorts of 10-20 members each, participants develop, implement, assess, and revise mobile learning lessons using a variety of apps and online tools.

Weekly participation in an online professional learning network between face-to-face sessions encourages participants to keep their focus and create classroom-tested activities that reflect effective use of technology as a tool for teaching and learning.

Topics include...

- ICT Standards for Administrators, Teachers, and Students
- Mobile Technology Skills
- Effective Mobile Learning Environments
- Project-Based Learning
- Digital Citizenship

Leadership Seminars

1 and 2 day sessions focused on

- Education and productivity apps
- Classroom management and policy issues
- Planning mobile instruction