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**Online Learning Leadership  
Network 2011-2012**

***Are you exploring the possibilities of online learning in your district?***

Join a supportive community of colleagues to share ideas and resources, participate in collaborative problem-solving, and develop strategies to implement online learning opportunities in your setting. Network with other district leaders and teams, and engage in focused small group conversations around special interest topics. The Online Learning Leadership Network includes four full-day face-to-face meetings during the school year, as well as ongoing access to a virtual learning community. A community of learners is organic and dynamic; session topics and activities will be designed in response to participants' needs and interests.

**Sessions will be grounded in several thematic strands, including:**

- Curriculum sources
- Learning management systems, platforms, and venues
- Student support and special populations
- Using data: attendance, tracking, assessment, accountability
- Instructional practice: strategies for effective online teaching
- Instructional models and design

**FACILITATORS:**

- Jon Voss, Supervisor of Academic Programs, Intermediate District 287
- Scott Schwister, Technology Integration Specialist, Northeast Metro 916

**Participant Outcomes:**

- Context Increased understanding of the landscape of online learning in Minnesota, from policy and infrastructure to implications of emerging technologies and learning models
- Connections Build collaborative relationships with colleagues, facilitators, and presenters
- Capacity Increase your team member

**Audience:**

- District or school leaders interested in developing or expanding an online learning program. District or school teams are encouraged.

~ Cost and registration information on reverse ~

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# Online Learning Leadership Network 2011–2012

**COST:** COST (lunch included): \$295.00 for all four dates includes continental breakfast, lunch and materials. If the registrant is unavailable to attend a session, he or she may send an alternate.

## DATES & TIMES

November 30, 2011 @916 ■ March 28, 2012 @287  
January 25, 2012 @287 ■ May 30, 2012 @ 916

9:00am–12:00 pm Facilitated Session: presenters, special-interest topic break outs, participant sharing  
12:00–1:00 pm Lunch (included in your registration fee) and networking  
1:00–3:30 pm Self-Directed: Collaborative work time for teams as desired (Ongoing access to a virtual community will be available in addition to face-to-face meetings)

## LOCATIONS:

Intermediate District 287  
District Service Center  
1820 Xenium Lane North  
Plymouth MN 55441

Northeast Metro 916  
Capitol View Center  
70 W. County Road B2  
Little Canada, MN 55117

*We will not require you to register for each event for the 2011–2012 season, however if you are registered for the network, you will be automatically included in the lunch count for EVERY meeting. We apologize; we are not able to provide refunds for a missed meeting. If you are unable to attend, you may send an alternate in your place and respectfully request you notify us of the change.*

**CREDITS:** 6 Hours of Continuing Education Units and Administrative Renewal Units

**REGISTER ONLINE** at <http://www.prepcenter.org>. All members of each team must register individually.

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE:** November 25, 2011

If you have difficulty with online registration, contact the PREP Center at 763-550-7221. For non-credit card payment: After you register online, please forward a check payable to Intermediate District 287 or a purchase order so we may invoice your district (P.O. number can be entered online at time of registration to save time and postage. Teams may be registered on one P.O.) Send check or purchase order to:

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Grants & Research Office  
Intermediate District 287  
1820 North Xenium Lane  
Plymouth, MN 55441  
(Phone: 763-550-7221) (FAX: 763-550-7199)

***Important: Please include your name, site, and "OLLN" on all registration paperwork.***

## CANCELLATION POLICY:

If, after registering, you find you cannot attend, we encourage you to send a substitute. Cancellations will not be accepted after November 28, 2011.

**QUESTIONS:** Contact Karen Johnson, Education Program Director, SOCRATES Online, Email [kmjohnson@projectsocrates.org](mailto:kmjohnson@projectsocrates.org)

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