



NORTHEAST OHIO SCIENCE SPECIALISTS (NEOSS) NETWORK

The NEOSS Network launched during the 2016-2017 school year, and consists of four full-day meetings spaced throughout the year (September, December, January, and March). Educators from throughout northern Ohio have attended these meetings.

This event is co-hosted by Bob Glavan (ESCNEO Mathematics and Science Curriculum Consultant and Instructional Coach) and Amy Roediger (Mentor High School Science Teacher and Instructional Coach).

The continuing focus of our meetings has been to highlight effective, inquiry-based Science teaching strategies. We are committed to providing professional development and collaboration centered around student engagement, best instructional practices in science, engineering and design, and meaningful classroom experiences.

Tentative agenda items for 2019-2020 (and beyond) include:

- exploring disciplinary literacy and visible learning in Science
- addressing Modeling Instruction in Earth/Space Science and Life Science
- designing and implementing Maker Spaces
- implementing phenomenon-based Science instruction
- transitioning to implementation of the revised Ohio Science Learning Standards
- hosting presentations by/at local and regional science institutions

Our meetings for the 2019-2020 school year are scheduled for 9/16/19, 12/11/19, 1/31/20, and 3/16/20.

