



National Boards Candidate Support Schedule 2021-2022 Cycle

Kickoff to NBCT Certification

August 24, 2021

**Location: Morgan County Educator Resource Center
235 AL Hwy 67, Decatur, AL 35603
4:30-6:30 PM**

**NORTH COHORT
Section #411140 (Register [HERE](#))**

August 24, 2021

**Location: Cullman City Board of Education
301 1st St NE, Cullman, AL 35055
4:30-6:30 PM**

**SOUTH COHORT
Section #411141 (Register [HERE](#))**

This course offers detailed instructions on application procedures, an overview of the process, helpful resources, grant information, and tips to prepare you for National Board certification.

Component 4 Instructions and Planning

September 21, 2021

**Location: Morgan County Educator Resource Center
235 AL Hwy 67, Decatur, AL 35603
4:30-6:30 PM**

**NORTH COHORT
Section #411142 (Register [HERE](#))**

September 23, 2021

**Location: Cullman City Board of Education
301 1st St NE, Cullman, AL 35055
4:30-6:30 PM**

**SOUTH COHORT
Section #411144 (Register [HERE](#))**

Component 4 is The Effective and Reflective Practitioner component. Collaborate with colleagues to design, plan, and reflect on lesson and assessment ideas. This component is a classroom-based portfolio entry that includes analysis of student assessments, professional learning, students' needs, and collaboration with community to be reflected on in your writing.

Component 3 Instructions and Planning

October 26, 2021

**Location: Morgan County Educator Resource Center
235 AL Hwy 67, Decatur, AL 35603
4:30-6:30 PM**

**NORTH COHORT
Section #411145 (Register [HERE](#))**

October 19, 2021

**Location: Cullman City Board of Education
301 1st St NE, Cullman, AL 35055
4:30-6:30 PM**

**SOUTH COHORT
Section #411146 (Register [HERE](#))**

Component 3 is The Teaching Practice and Learning environment. Collaborate with colleagues to design, plan, and reflect lesson ideas. This component is a classroom-based portfolio entry that includes a video of your interactions with students to be analyzed and reflected on in your writing.

Component 2 Instructions and Planning

November 16, 2021

**Location: Morgan County Educator Resource Center
235 AL Hwy 67, Decatur, AL 35603
4:30-6:30 PM**

**NORTH COHORT
Section #411147 (Register [HERE](#))**

November 16, 2021

**Location: Cullman City Board of Education
301 1st St NE, Cullman, AL 35055
4:30-6:30 PM**

**SOUTH COHORT
Section #411148 (Register [HERE](#))**

Component 2 is Differentiation in Instruction. Candidates will collect student work samples that exhibit a student's growth over time and how your instructional choices lead to that growth. Candidates will review student samples and discuss next-steps of instruction to facilitate student growth.

How to Write for National Boards

December 7, 2020

**Location: Cullman High School-Tillman Hall
510 13th St. NE, Cullman, AL 35055
4:30-6:30 PM**

**NORTH AND SOUTH COHORT
Section #411149 (Register [HERE](#))**

The portfolio entry directions for each certificate area require you to describe, analyze, and reflect on your teaching practice. This session is designed to help candidates practice this kind of thinking and writing before you begin working on the written commentary portion or other written components of the portfolio.

Component 1-Assessment Center Exercises

January 11, 2022

**Location: Morgan County Educator Resource Center
235 AL Hwy 67, Decatur, AL 35603
4:30-6:30 PM**

**NORTH COHORT
Section #411152 (Register [HERE](#))**

January 11, 2022

**Location: Cullman City Board of Education
301 1st St NE, Cullman, AL 35055
4:30-6:30 PM**

**SOUTH COHORT
Section #411153 (Register [HERE](#))**

Are you ready to start preparing for the assessment center exercises, but you don't know where to start? Discover the endless tutorials and resources that exist both in print and on-line. This class will explore these resources and mentally prepare you for the Assessment Center experience. Q and A session for Comps 1-4 before final reviews begin. Technology tips on how to format files and videos.

Q and A Session/Technology Tips

February 8, 2022

**Location: Morgan County Educator Resource Center
235 AL Hwy 67, Decatur, AL 35603
4:30-6:30 PM**

**NORTH COHORT
Section #411150 (Register [HERE](#))**

February 8, 2022

**Location: Cullman City Board of Education
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**SOUTH COHORT
Section #411151 (Register [HERE](#))**

Q and A session for Comps 1-4 before final reviews begin. Technology tips on how to format files and videos

Candidate Support (Final Review)

March – May 2022

NBCT Candidates will be placed in a small group of 3-5 candidates and a current NBCT teacher for individual support.

Writing Retreat

April 23-24, 2021

Location: TBD

8:00-3:30 PM