

Join the Region III EAC
Midwest and Plains Equity Assistance Center

2023 Learning Network Cohort

Recruiting and Retaining
A Culturally Sustaining and Diverse Workforce



Is your school community struggling to recruit and retain high quality, diverse, and critically conscious educators? Are you battling an educator shortage in your school community? Pressing time constraints preventing you from diving deep into research-based strategies on recruitment and retention? The MAP Center's 2023 Learning Network Cohort is for you!

The [Learning Network Cohort](#) is an intentional learning community that provides shared learning and networking opportunities, research based, practitioner-friendly resources, and technical assistance for cohort members related to a common topic of interest or shared goals. **The 2023 LNC's focus area is recruiting and retaining a diverse, critically conscious workforce.** As a part of the Learning Network Cohort, cohort members participate **in two virtual, live shared professional learning and networking experiences**, as well as **e-resources**, and **access to individualized technical assistance** by request.

- **Shared Learning & Networking**
 - Virtual events include online learning, cohort networking, discussions with subject matter experts, and an equity tool showcase.
- **Research-Based, Practitioner Friendly Resources**
 - Members gain access to a password-protected document sharing site that is populated with resources and research every six weeks.
- **Technical Assistance**
 - Members who belong to local or state education agencies have access to a Technical Assistance Specialist who lives and works in your region and may request a further support for their organization related to the topics of the LNC.

Please make a request for Learning Network Cohort membership [HERE](#) and receive upcoming event registration password and access to customized equity-based resources!