

Professional Learning Workshop

New York City Department of Education

Title: Understanding the Unit Storyline & Coherence (Grade-Specific, K-5)

Session Description: Teachers participating in these sessions will receive a deep dive into the content, coherence and story line of unit 2. In this 3-hour session, participants will begin with a reflection of their experiences with the Amplify Science curriculum. Participants will engage in authentic student learning experiences that support them with understanding what students will learn in the unit. They will understand how to leverage embedded program resources and routines in order to gauge student understanding throughout the unit and support all learners with figuring out the unit phenomena.

Recommended Audience: Teachers who have attended an orientation training

Session Outcomes:

Participants will be able to:

- Understand the unit 2 storyline
- Plan for using Amplify Science @Home Resources utilizing coherence as a design principle
- Collaboratively problem-solve with colleagues

Agenda:

- Welcome
- Unit storyline
 - Anchor phenomenon
 - Storyline summary
 - Break
 - Model activity
 - Evidence source analysis
- Remote and hybrid resources
 - Reviewing the resources
 - Collaborative planning
- Reflection and closing