



RIDE Rhode Island
Department
of Education



Scaling Up Proficiency Based Graduation

A Rhode Island Secondary School Network

Now accepting applications

*Working collaboratively to
innovate PBGR practice in
Rhode Island's schools*

*"Participating in this network
gave me a better understanding
of what other schools are doing,
and where they are in the PBGR
process. Feedback from other
schools was very helpful, lots of
great ideas."*

- 2014 Network Participant

What is the Scaling Up PBG Network?

Scaling Up PBG is a network of Rhode Island secondary schools that will participate in a powerful professional development experience, working collaboratively to develop and implement quality common performance assessments as part of the state's Graduation by Proficiency policy (PBGR). Scaling Up PBG is a partnership between the RIDE Office of Multiple Pathways and the Center for Collaborative Education's Quality Performance Assessment program.

Scaling Up PBG Goals

We are looking for schools with excellent and/or emerging practices to help drive PBGR work statewide. During the next 18 months (June 2015-December 2016), Scaling Up PBG will provide professional development opportunities for:

- Six high schools with strong capacity in implementing PBGR to become Demonstration Schools.
- Eleven high schools to deepen their existing practices in implementing PBGR to serve as Practicing Schools.
- All RI public secondary schools that self-select targeted professional development opportunities to strengthen their PBG efforts.

Scaling Up PBG will enable participating schools and educators to move their PBG work forward and deepen professional learning through collaboration and sharing of best practices.

How to apply

All Scaling Up PBG applications will be due electronically by June 1, 2015 at 5:00 p.m. For the complete application instructions, visit this [RIDE webpage](#).

In addition to applying to be part of the network, there will be opportunities for all RI educators to attend Scaling Up PBG webinars, school showcases and workshops. Keep an eye out for future announcements!

