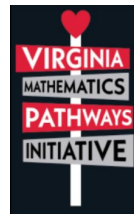


Community Informational Sessions

Exciting Mathematics Pathways



Families of children enrolled in public schools in the Commonwealth of Virginia and community members are invited to attend a series of informational sessions on the Virginia Mathematics Pathways Initiative (VMPI). VMPI is a joint initiative between the Virginia Department of Education, the State Council of Higher Education in Virginia, and the Virginia Community College System. The initiative seeks to redefine mathematics course options for students in the Commonwealth in order to ensure that the mathematics in which students are engaging is relevant to their postsecondary aspirations.

The committee is hosting a series of informational sessions meant to talk about VMPI, with Virginia families, students and community members. These sessions will provide the opportunity to answer questions about the initiative.

Attached is an [infographic](#) that will also provide more information about the initiative. You can also access a [video](#) which will explain the basics of VMPI in about 25 minutes. Additional details can be found on the [VMPI website](#).

All sessions will be live streamed on the VDOE YouTube channel at:
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCrbxl9wHScrWKWIEoUWNIfQ>

The session dates and focus topics are:

Tuesday, March 23, 2021, Why Change Mathematics Instruction?
Tuesday, April 13, 2021, How does VMPI affect VA children's futures?
Tuesday, April 27, 2021, Essential Concepts in grades 8 - 10
Tuesday, May 25, 2021, Advanced Pathways in grades 11 - 12

Each session will begin at 6:30 pm starting with a 20 minute presentation from members of the VMPI planning committees.

Those wishing to submit questions can do so at this [link](#).

Each session will be recorded and shared on the [VMPI Website](#).