

Transition to Teaching

Post-Secondary Schedule of Meetings

2026-2027

All meetings are mandatory for attendance to obtain credit for the program. Note: all participants must bring a laptop or mobile device to all meetings that are not virtual. Please make arrangements for the following dates/times/locations.

Date	Location	Time	Presenter
Meeting #1 Aug. 10-Aug. 27 Each Institution must schedule a 1-hour time with VCSU Program Director	VIRTUAL (Microsoft Teams)	Will schedule 1 hour per institution	Amber Aberle Will meet with all CTE Directors, Program Participants, and Program Mentors to discuss the following: *Program Requirements *Program Paperwork *Program Guides/Handbooks
Meeting #2 Sept. 4, 2026	VCSU Campus McCarthy Building Room TBD	9:30 – 3:30	Dave Bass Standards 1 and 2
Check-in Oct. 2- Oct. 30, 2026	VIRTUAL An email with questions will be sent on Friday, Oct. 2. Participants will need to respond by Friday, Oct. 30	15-30 minutes to complete	Email from Program Director Email with beginning year questions and check-in before meeting #2
ONLINE MODULE Oct. 2-Dec. 6, 2026	Book Study Textbook: Adult Learning 2 nd edition, books provided during September session	All items due by 11:59 PM CST Dec. 6	Amber Aberle Sections 1-3 of the textbook
Meeting #3 Nov. 13, 2026	VIRTUAL (Microsoft Teams)	9:30 – 3:30	Harmony Richman & Amber Aberle Amber-Learning Theories (morning) Harmony-Technology in Education(afternoon) (Standard 3)
Meeting #4 Jan. 22, 2027	VIRTUAL (Microsoft Teams)	9:30 – 3:30	Dave Hanson & Heather Peschel Student Similarities and Differences Best Practices in the Classroom for all (Standard 4)
ONLINE MODULE Feb. 5- April 4, 2027	Book Study Chapters 7-12	All items due by 11:59 PM CST April 4	Amber Aberle Finalize Learning Theories /Best Practices in the Classroom and Engaging Activities for the Classroom and more (Standards 1-6)
Meeting #5 March 19, 2027	ND CTE Building 806 N Washington St in Bismarck, ND 58501	9:30-3:30	Thomas Klapp Assess Student Performance, Self, Program (Standard 5)
Meeting #6 April 30, 2027	VCSU Campus McCarthy Building Room TBD	9:30 – 3:30	Dr. Amber Aberle, Thomas Klapp, Dave Bass, Dave Hanson, Heather Peschel, Harmony Richman, Exemplify The Role Of A Professional Educator (Standard 6)