English Mira Costa High School Common Core Professional Development

October 5, 2015 8:00-3:00

Agenda

8:00-8:30: Welcome and Keynote in the MCHS Auditorium

8:30-10:00 Summer Reading Program Evaluation and Revision

10:00-12:00Grade Norming

- Individually evaluate student essays using a common rubric
- In small groups, compare evaluations and attempt to reach consensus on a score for each essay
- Share out group scores and rationale. Discuss.
- Open forum: look at other samples of student writing that teachers have brought in and discuss assessment

12:00-1:00 Lunch

1:00-2:00 Grade Norming (continued)

2:00-3:00

- Discuss implementation of the Writing Manual
- Collaboration Time: Launch Google Calendar for sign ups
- Survey