# Champlain Valley Educator Development Center

**Collaborative Professional Learning to Support Vermont Schools** 

## Standards-Based Grading: Systems and Structures for Implementation 2 Day Workshop

Facilitated by: Andrew Jones & Gabe Hamilton

Target Audience: Teachers, Principals, & District Leaders

**Description:** This two-day workshop aims to develop a foundational knowledge of standards-based grading practices as it aligns with the state initiative around proficiency-based graduation requirements. The focus will be on implementing standards-based grading practices and how to develop the necessary structures to transition towards a proficiency-based system. Topics will include: proficiency scales, learning targets, assessment cycles, remediation, and gradebooks.

#### **Objectives:**

- To understand the essential components of standards-based grading practices
- To be aware of the implementation challenges of standards-based grading
- To understand and be able to apply different implementation tools
- To begin to develop a standards-based mindset
- To develop classroom resources for transitioning to a proficiency-based system

### About our instructors:

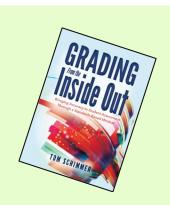
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Dates: October 4 & 5, 2016

#### Hours:

8:30 registration 9:00-3:30 light breakfast and lunch included)

Location:

Hampton Inn Conference Center, Colchester, VT

### Cost:

\$325 (includes book) Book: Schimmer: <u>Grading from the Inside</u> Out, 2016