



New England League
of Middle Schools

2012

Professional Development Activities For Teachers, School Leaders, and Guidance Counselors

Differentiated Instruction *Rick Wormeli*

February 2 & 3, 2012—Sturbridge Host Hotel, Sturbridge, MA

Engaging students in curriculum and tasks they find irrelevant is always a challenge. Differentiated instruction, however, offers clear avenues for students to find meaning in what and how they are taught, which is a key factor in human motivation. Join us for an intense two-day seminar on motivating young adolescents and the differentiation practices that engage them in meaningful work. Provided in the midst of a winter month when motivation fades, this is the perfect catalyst to re-ignite your students and your teaching for the rest of the year. Don't miss it!

31st Annual Conference

Keynotes: Jack Berckemeyer & Dedra Stafford

April 2 & 3, 2012—R.I. Convention Center, Providence, R.I.

**Some of the hot topics that will be addressed during the
conference:**

Literacy, Teaming, Advisory, Bullying Prevention, School Improvement & Leadership, Effective Math Instruction, Motivation & Student Engagement, Co-Teaching, Social Networking, Inclusion/DI, and more...

NELMS School Assessment Programs

NELMS offers middle level school assessment programs. Use these assessments to gauge the effectiveness of student learning and as planning tools to sustain practice or focus your school's growth!

Design your own Professional Development

School Based Professional Development (e.g., Teaming, Advisory, Scheduling, PLC's)

Support your school improvement strategies

On site consultation

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