



Friday Forum Network—2018-2019

For District Gifted and Talented Coordinators and Directors Or Other Interested Educators

About Friday Forum:

Participants meet four times per year to discuss current issues in gifted education:

- Critical topics identified by network members such as acceleration, identification, response to intervention, and affective needs
- Gifted program evaluation
- State funding and legislation for identification, staff development, program design
- Minnesota Department of Education's vision and direction

Meeting Dates & Sites:

September 28, 2018—1 to 3pm

Metro ECSU, 2 Pine Tree Drive, Arden Hills,
MN 55112; 612-638-1500; www.metroecs.org

November 30, 2018—1 to 3pm

Bloomington Educational Services Center
(Room 610), 1350 West 106th Street,
Bloomington, MN 55431

January 11, 2019—1 to 3pm

Metro ECSU

April 12, 2019—1 to 3pm

Bloomington Educational Services Center
(Room 610)

Participation Fee:

Metro ECSU member districts: \$60 for all four network meetings; Non-member districts: \$90 for all four network meetings

Registration: Register online at <http://metroecs.org/myquickreg.com/register/event/>

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