

The **Maine Department of Education** is sponsoring a series of workshops related to Alternate Assessment during the 2010-11 school year. The workshops are designed for special education teachers and directors, educational technicians, administrators, and/or any educational professional responsible for planning and implementing a PAAP.

Day 1: Introduction to the PAAP

Full Day Session

Sign-in: 8:00am-8:30am

Meeting: 8:30am-3:30pm

Presque Isle: Hampton Inn, Monday, October 25

Bangor: Hilton Garden Inn, Wednesday, October 27

Augusta: Calumet Club, Friday, October 29

Portland: Ramada Saco, Wednesday, November 3

For those new to the PAAP process or those who have not attended a PAAP workshop in the last two years, this introductory level training is designed to provide the basic information and tools necessary to design and implement instruction and assessment leading to the submission of a scorable 2011 PAAP. All registered participants will receive the 2010-11 PAAP Administration Handbook.

Day 2: PAAP Updates (please choose ONE session)

Session #1

Sign-in: 8:00am-8:30am

Meeting: 8:30am-11:30am

Session #2

Sign-in: 12:00pm-12:30pm

Meeting: 12:30pm-3:30pm

Presque Isle: Hampton Inn, Tuesday, October 26

Bangor: Hilton Garden Inn, Thursday, October 28

Augusta: Calumet Club, Monday, November 1

Portland: Ramada Saco, Thursday, November 4

This workshop is designed for those who have attended PAAP trainings in the past two years. Do not sign up for this training if you will be attending *Session #1: Introduction to the PAAP*. This workshop will inform attendees of PAAP AGLs, test blueprint, task bank access, etc. All registered participants will receive a copy of the 2010-11 PAAP Administration Handbook.

Please note: Participants attending the UPDATES session will only be required to attend **ONE** half day session. Lunch is not included.

Pre-Registration is required. Please register early since seating at each site is limited. To access the online registration, please visit <http://iregister.measuredprogress.org> and complete the online registration **no later than October 15, 2010.**

Confirmation of your registration is automatic, unless we contact you.

If you experience any difficulties while registering online, please contact **Michelle Couture at Measured Progress: 1-800-431-8901 ext: 2252** or couture.michelle@measuredprogress.org for assistance.

Please remember to bring a sweater or sweatshirt, as the room temperature tends to fluctuate during the day.