

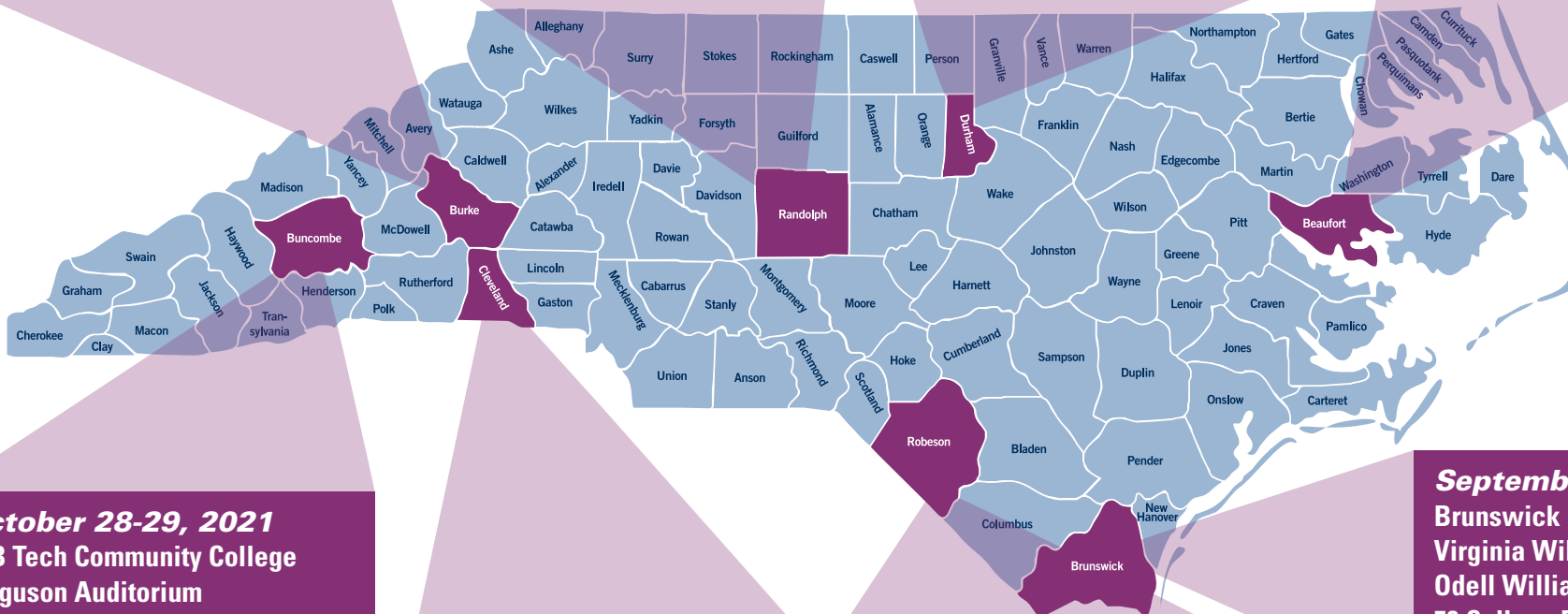
Fall 2021 NCStar Trainings

**September 30 –
October 1, 2021**
Olive Hill Resource Center
509 West Concord Street
Morganton, NC

October 7-8, 2021
Randolph Community College
Workforce Development &
Continuing Education Building
629 Industrial Park Avenue
Asheboro, NC

November 1-2, 2021
Durham Public Schools
Staff Development Center
2107 Hillandale Road
Durham, NC

October 6-7, 2021
Beaufort County Schools
Training Center
819 North Pierce Street
Washington, NC



October 28-29, 2021
A-B Tech Community College
Ferguson Auditorium
340 Victoria Road
Asheville, NC

October 21-22, 2021
Cleveland County Schools
Staff Development Center
400 W. Marion Street
Shelby, NC

October 14-15, 2021
Robeson Community College
AD Lewis Auditorium
5160 Fayetteville Rd
Lumberton, NC

September 23-24, 2021
Brunswick Community College
Virginia Williamson Center at
Odell Williamson Auditorium
50 College Rd NE
Bolivia, NC

Fall 2021 School Improvement Planning & NCStar Professional Development

[Register](#) here for a Statewide NCStar Training

Day 1: Set Your Course with NCStar

Intro to NCStar

Learn about school improvement using NCStar, including how to navigate the NCStar platform to assess, create, and monitor your research based effective practices. Participants will also have an opportunity to work in their own school's NCStar site.

Effective Use of the Success Cycle (Assess, Create, Monitor) in NCStar

Learn how to effectively use each component of the Success Cycle to create a robust school improvement plan that aligns an indicator's Initial Assessment, Fully Met box, and Action Steps. In addition to receiving tips for completing each part of the Success Cycle, participants will also have a hands-on opportunity to work with an indicator of their choice.

Day 2: Taking NCStar to the Next Level

Getting the Most out of Performance Measures in NCStar

Performance Measures are designed to provide an opportunity to accurately monitor progress towards achievement of a school improvement goal. Learn how to create performance measures that target different aspects of a school improvement goal. Participants will have a hands-on opportunity to create Performance Measures for one of their own school improvement goals.

School Improvement Team Best Practices

This professional learning series gives participants an opportunity to learn about best practices for School Improvement Teams.

- **What Makes an Effective SIT?** Learn about the building blocks of an effective School Improvement Team, including the critical role SIT Leaders play in moving the school achievement needle forward through an understanding of the best practices for team leaders.
- **Monitoring Your Plan Through Effective SIT Meetings:** Effective SIT meetings are critical for school improvement planning, monitoring, and success. Understand the key components that are essential in school improvement meeting best practices and learn strategies to monitor your plan by facilitating effective and participative meetings.
- **Effective Forms of Distributive Leadership in a School Improvement Team:** Is 10% of your School Improvement Team doing 90% of the work? Do you want to increase involvement of your entire staff in the school improvement process? Learn how teams, committees, and other forms of distributive leadership allow for deeper ownership of the School Improvement Plan as well as provide opportunities for a myriad of school personnel to lead the work.
- **Evaluating Your School Improvement Plan:** Evaluating your School Improvement Plan on a regular basis provides opportunities for reflection and adjustment as necessary. Learn about some best practices for evaluating your school improvement plan.