

Meeting 1: Schedule

Time: 2.5 hours

Objective: To introduce components and structure of the course and to introduce Reading Histories

Strategy: Conduct a Reading History

Time	Activity	Grouping	Materials
PART 1 60 min.	Creating a Community		
40 min.	Introduction to Red courses: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Getting started • Overview of course • Overview of in-person meetings • Roles and responsibilities 	Large group	Teacher Handbook
20 min.	Introduction of Scholastic staff and participating teachers: Character Card and Three Words activities	Large group	Name tags Chart paper Markers Videos Overhead projector
10 min.	Break		
PART 2 30 min.	Reflection and Read Aloud		
15 min.	Reflection: Establishing Expectations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have each participant spend three minutes thinking about course expectations • Record on index card • Report back to large group • Keep cards for last meeting 	Individual/ Large group	Index cards
15 min.	Read Aloud	Large group Chapters 1 and 2	<i>Max the Mighty</i>