



The BCPVPA Compass Leadership Academy is for
new BCPVPA members, and current members
who are new to their roles.



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In October 2025, the BCPVPA launched a two-year pilot program to support new BCPVPA members from every district who are new to their roles. The pilot also included specialized skill development for our members leading in remote and rural districts.

We are delighted to announce the beginning of the second year of the BCPVPA Compass Leadership Academy with a 2026-2028 cohort. This group will begin their journey in October, strengthening the skills and knowledge of these early career educational leaders, and helping them to better understand the complexities of their new roles as they build their professional networks.

Compass has two distinct pillars:

Pillar One: In-Person Conference in Vancouver, October

The first day of the conference includes new members and new to role members from all districts across the province, and focuses on supporting an understanding of their professional roles in the context of governance and management responsibilities.

On the second day of the conference, those leaders working in rural and remote areas remain with us to examine the unique needs and expectations of these roles.

Pillar Two: Virtual Leadership Development Series

This practical learning takes place in a series of six virtual sessions over two years. The series addresses many critical aspects of a leader's daily practice, and fosters a deeper understanding of the role.

We are looking forward to continuing to work closely with our newest members, and members moving into exciting new roles, as they enhance their skills, increase their knowledge, and secure the tools that will help them to achieve success in their leadership.

Each cohort of the Compass Leadership Academy has a limited number of seats, and acceptance is application-based. If you have any questions, please contact pldinfo@bcpvpa.bc.ca

