

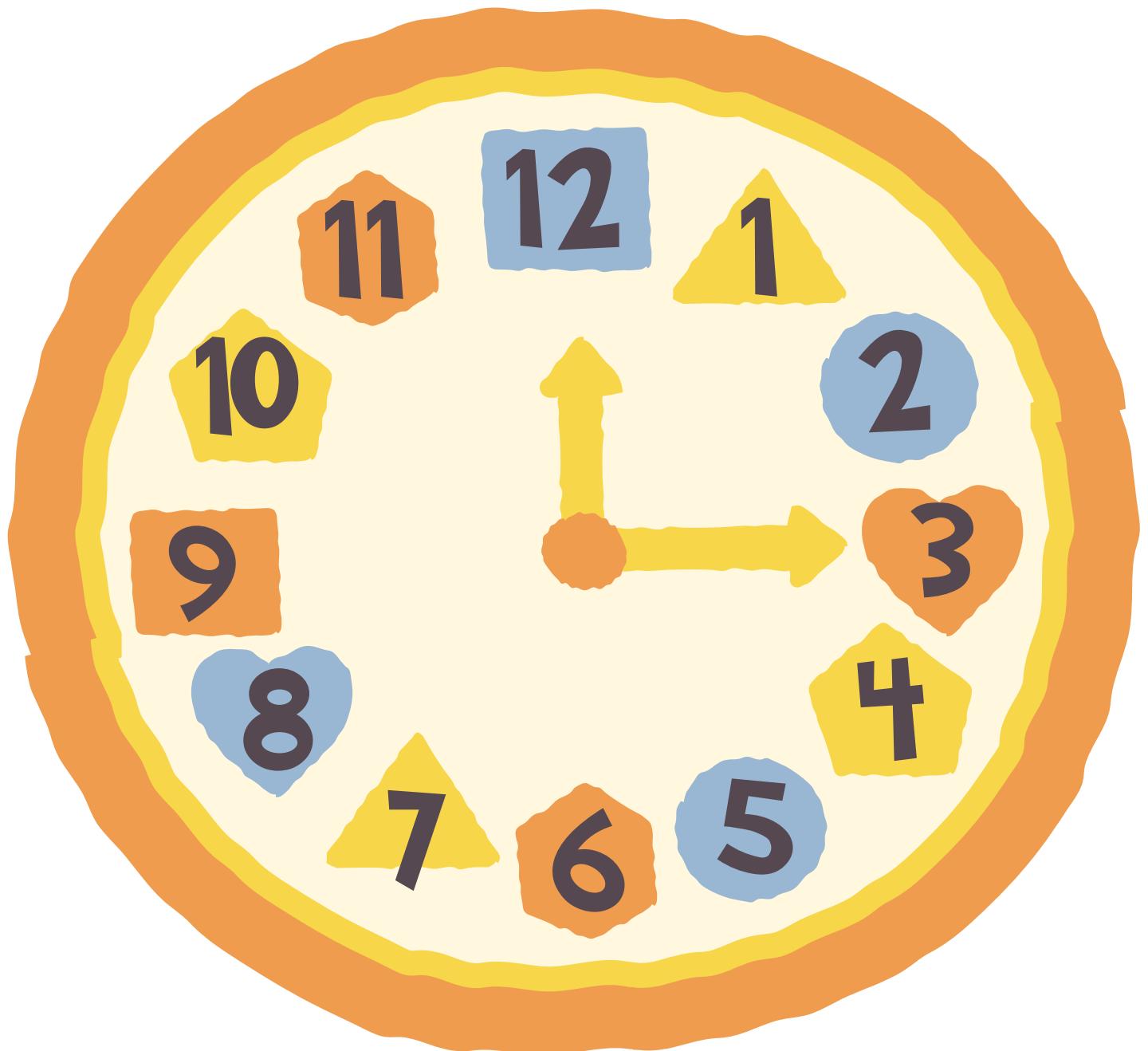
EDUCATION
P.L.U.S.
PROGRAM
(EPP)

“Professional Leadership United in
Service”



Educational Hours Tracking System

This program is tracked by hours, not points. This transition aligns with other professional certifying organizations.



PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Members MUST possess an MMC in good standing.

Current MMCs must complete the application required to participate in the Education PLUS Program. All hours to be applied toward their two-year cycle must be achieved within this time frame—no “saving” hours for future cycles or allocating hours before enrollment into the program.



Complete 30 continuing education hours of Advanced Education every two years consisting of:

- 4 hours – Mandatory Ethics Training - **FIRST 2-YEAR CYCLE ONLY**
- 4 hours – Mandatory Diversity, Equity, and Inclusivity Training (e.g., ADA, veterans (VA), seniors, multi-generational, etc.) – **FIRST 2-YEAR CYCLE ONLY**
- members can select their 8 hours of education in their second 2-year cycle and onward
- 22 hours – Advanced Education from any combination of the following categories



1. IIMC Approved Academy Program

(Mandatory courses should
also be listed here)



2. Applicable College/University-Based Courses





3. State/National/Provincial
Association Programs approved
with Course Review

4. IIMC Education (Annual Conference, Athenian Dialogues, Webinars, Online Learning, IIMC Symposium) *2 Dialogues per cycle with assessment



5. Other Applicable Advanced Training

Programs - Municipal Leadership Programs,
University-based certificate programs and/or
courses, Certified Public Manager Programs,
etc.



6. Elective - “Community engagement” options may include writing an article for IIMC News Digest, writing an article for the IIMC Foundation, facilitating an education session for IIMC’s annual conference, or creating an online professional development component. ***SUBJECT TO IIMC APPROVAL**



IIMC SCHEDULE

| EPP Enrollment Date | EPP Completion Date |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| July 1, 2023 | July 31, 2025 |
| November 1, 2026 | November 30, 2028 |
| March 1, 2030 | March 31, 2032 |
| July 1, 2033 | July 31, 2035 |

The EPP program requires members to commit to the entire two-year cycle.

This is to ensure the sustainability of the program.

ALL REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION MUST BE SUBMITTED

ALTOGETHER ON THE SCHEDULED COMPLETION DATE.

NOT BEFORE AND NOT AFTER. (There is a 5 business day grace period)



Incentive Structure – (benefits are NOT cumulative)

Rewards

BRONZE (2 years) – digital certificate of achievement emailed to members along with a letter of recognition signed by the current IIMC president

SILVER (4 years) – 25% off IIMC annual conference registration and digest profile feature along with a digital certificate and letter of recognition signed by the current IIMC president

GOLD (6 years) – \$200 IIMC annual conference scholarship or academy, along with a digital certificate and letter of recognition signed by the current IIMC president

PLATINUM (8 years) – \$400.00 academy scholarship along with a digital certificate and letter of recognition signed by the current IIMC president

DIAMOND (10 years) – IIMC annual conference recognition, photo feature, digital certificate and a letter of recognition signed by the current IIMC president

