# **Continuing Professional Development for NJ Teachers**

## **Teaching Inclusively: African American History Across the Curriculum**

The Amistad Curriculum serves as a model for districts across the country of what should be occurring within classrooms. The empowerment of educators to effectively infuse African American history into their curriculum is essential to its success. This experience is focused on simplifying those complexities for application. Educators are looking for ways to engage with students organically while also having fun. Modules are inclusive of all learning styles and rooted in arts-driven curriculum design, which allows educators to experience what we are teaching them to implement. Experience is literally the best teacher, and the modules are designed to capitalize on this important aspect of learning.

#### Structure

- 1. 8 modules to be completed between November 14, 2023, and June 24, 2024. Modules open the day of the live sessions.
- 2. 4 Live sessions during this time frame
- 3. Streaming online course modules will be announced by January 1, 2024.

### **What You Need**

- Good internet connection with camera, as we will be required to be on screen.
- Openness to new ideas and creative applications
- Willingness to have fun

## **Live Session Schedule**

- Tuesday, November 14, 2023/ 6:00 pm 7:15 pm
- Welcome & Overview
- Pop Pedagogy
- Tuesday, December 5, 2023/ 6:00 pm 7:15 pm
- The Power of People & Their Contributions
- Exploration of Places
- Tuesday, February 6, 2024/ 6:00 pm 7:15 pm
- Interesting Innovations
- Artistic & Literary Works
- Tuesday, April 2, 2024/ 6:00 pm 7:15 pm
- A Taste of Sound
- Putting it All Together

### Registration

To register, please complete the brief registration form here: <u>Teaching Inclusively Registration Form</u>

For questions, please email **Amistad@doe.nj.gov**.