Our mission is to support a more evidence-based education system by partnering with policymakers and practitioners to conduct applied research and training in Kentucky, Tennessee, Virginia, and West Virginia.

More than 50 partners, including representatives from state education agencies, regional service agencies, institutes of higher education, and other organizations, shape our work.

Our partnerships include . . .

Early Literacy Partnership
Student Success in Mathematics Partnership
Rural College and Career Readiness Partnership
Workforce Readiness Partnership

Using Data to Improve Literacy Partnership
Improving Postsecondary Transitions Partnerships
Cross-State Partnership on Using Data and Evidence to Facilitate Action

. . . and address educational challenges faced by students in our region, who include:

- English learners
- Students with disabilities
- Students from low-income households
- Students in rural settings

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Note: REL partnerships are constantly evolving to meet the needs of the states and districts in the region. The information presented above is current as of August 2019.

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